

# A PASTOR'S GUIDE TO PLAN AHEAD

(AND BE INTENTIONAL AND MISSIONAL ABOUT MOVING FORWARD)



**Week of prayer sets the tone for the coming year.**



**Marriage & family emphasis  
Valentines weekend**



**Passion Week & Palm Sunday**



**Good Friday & Easter Sunday  
& Eggs-Stravangaza Outreach**



**Mother's Day & Memorial Day  
Reflections**



**Honoring Graduates &  
Father's Day**



**Independence Day  
Kids & Teen Camp, VBS**



**Summer outreaches, fairs,  
parades, parks**



**New electives addressing felt  
needs; back to school emphasis**



**Harvest Celebration vs.  
Halloween Observance**



**Thanksgiving and the  
Power of a Grateful Heart**



**Christmas themes; the  
purpose of the Birth of Jesus**