

PREPARED



FOR

LIFE

ARE YOU READY  
FOR WHAT'S NEXT?

October 2/3, 2021

**FIRST TIME WITH THE GROVE?**

Click here to fill out our digital Connect Card.

**NEED PRAYER?**

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**BEING CHANGED BY GOD,  
TO REACH ALL PEOPLE.**



# THE GROVE'S Pumpkin Patch

Come on out and enjoy the fall weather on Friday, October 22! The Pumpkin Patch is a come-and-go event from 3-9 PM.

Be a part of the game playing, line dancing, food purchasing, music listening, and of course, the pumpkin picking!



Men, are you interested in going on the HANDS trek to Belize, February 19-26, 2022?

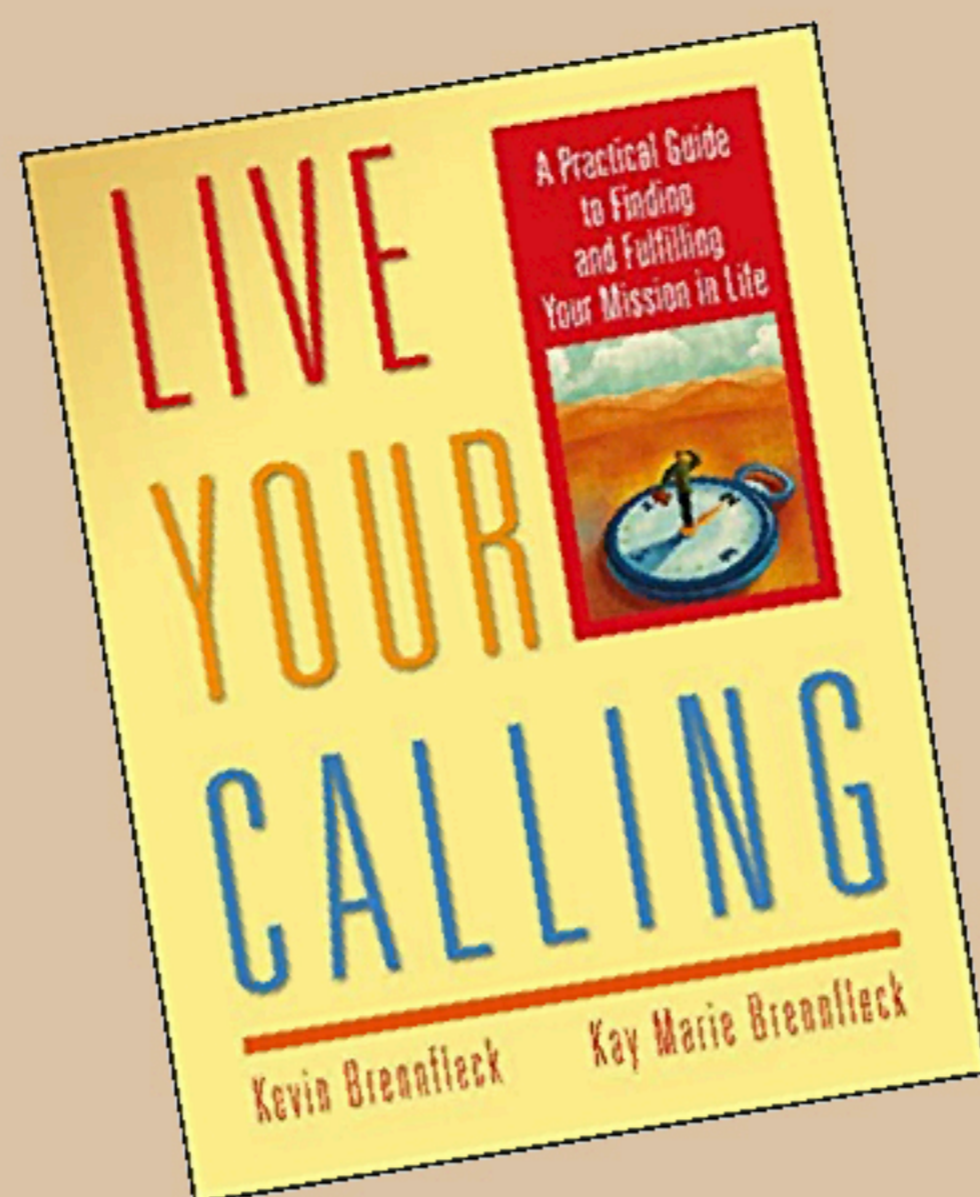
Contact Crystal at [treks@thegrove.cc](mailto:treks@thegrove.cc) for more information! You'll learn the heart behind the trek and the projects we will be working on.

This is a great opportunity to serve and get connected more to The Grove Men!



**Don't miss Baptisms this weekend!**

If you are ready to publicly display your decision to follow Christ, join us in the Baptismal Courtyard on Sunday after the 10:30 AM service - we even have shorts, a shirt, and a towel for you!



In the *Live Your Calling Workshop*, you will learn the keys to finding and fulfilling your mission in life; discover how to discern God's will for your career and life; identify new ways to use your gifts at work, church and in the world; and learn strategies that can help you find the right job/volunteer work faster. No matter what your age, this proven workshop can help you to live out God's best for your career and life.

**Join us October 15, 6:30 – 8:30 PM and  
October 16, 9 AM – 2 PM.**

**[CLICK HERE](#)**

To learn more and to register



# Legacy Grandparenting Summit • 2021

Grandparents, join us for a 2-day simulcasted event hosted in The Grove Chapel on Thursday, October 21 (9 AM – 4:30 PM) and Friday, October 22 (9 AM – 4:30 PM).

The Legacy Grandparenting Summit is for you if you want to see your grandchildren follow Christ; if you desire to leave a lasting legacy of love; if you want to influence generations of your family for Christ.

[Click Here to Register](#)

# PREPARED FOR HARDSHIP

2 Corinthians 4:7-18

**TREVOR CHRISTMAS** Men's Pastor

1. Hardships **HAPPEN**.

2. Hardships test the **DURABILITY** of our faith.

Who will we **ENDURE** hardship for?

3. We have to know GOD is **GREATER** than our hardships.

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4. Hardships are an opportunity to **EXPERIENCE** God.

- God's Power

- God's Presence

- God's Promise: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Hardships **PREPARE** us for Heaven.