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in Murrieta, CA and Pasadena First Church in Pasadena, CA. As a Pastor of Intergenerational Discipleship at Pasadena First, he worked to create a culture of intergenerational focus through the entire church community. Since 2012, he has also coached churches in partnership with the Fuller Youth Institute in helping them to leverage change in church contexts. By far his favorite title is husband to Jayme and Dad to Joncee and Kaizlee.

**WORKSHOP · JULY 24 · 6-8PM**

**“A Church Community for All Ages”**

Everyone likes change as long as it looks exactly how we've been doing things! While change can be difficult, many churches long to see their communities thrive and just do not know how to get there or even begin conversation to start bringing about change. Young people today are honest about church communities, and while we may not like what we hear, you still care about having your church make a difference. Based upon research from the Fuller Youth Institute, there are churches that are not only connecting, but retaining young people in church contexts. This workshop will expose you to the six common denominators of what those churches are doing and invite you to look at your own context and explore alongside the Spirit how God may invite you to begin a journey of change to retain people of all ages.

# **GROWING TOGETHER**

## **GROWING YOUNG - CELEBRATING LEGACY**

**DISTRICT CONVENTION**

**9:00AM**

**JULY 25, 2019**