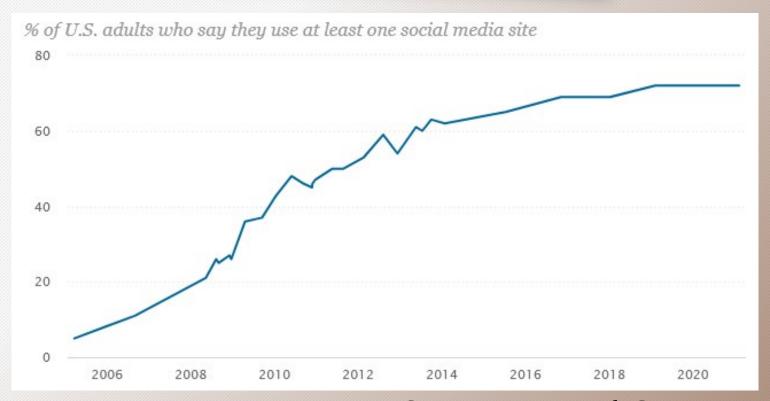
Social Media Marketing for Chapters

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People use social media to:

- Connect with others
- Engage in dialogue
- Consume content
- Exchange goods



Source: Pew Research Center, 2021

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- 3 Big Ideas:
 - 1. Platform
 - 2. Audience
 - 3. Content

	YouTube	Facebook	Instagram	Pinterest	LinkedIn	Snapchat	Twitter	WhatsApp	TikTok	Reddit	Nextdoor
Total	81	69	40	31	28	25	23	23	21	18	13
Men	82	61	36	16	31	22	25	26	17	23	10
Women	80	77	44	46	26	28	22	21	24	12	16
White	79	67	35	34	29	23	22	16	18	17	15
Black	84	74	49	35	27	26	29	23	30	17	10
Hispanic	85	72	52	18	19	31	23	46	31	14	8
Ages 18-29	95	70	71	32	30	65	42	24	48	36	5
30-49	91	77	48	34	36	24	27	30	22	22	17
50-64	83	73	29	38	33	12	18	23	14	10	16
65+	49	50	13	18	11	2	7	10	4	3	8
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\$50K-\$74,999	79	61	39	29	21	29	22	19	20	20	12
\$75K+	90	70	47	40	50	28	34	29	20	26	20
HS or less	70	64	30	22	10	21	14	20	21	9	4
Some college	86	71	44	36	28	32	26	16	24	20	12
College+	89	73	49	37	51	23	33	33	19	26	24

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Facebook:

- Largest age range and membership
- Highest media consumed here



Instagram:

- Second-most used social media platform
- Primarily image- and video-based



Twitter:

- Decline in popularity as news source
- Limited use of characters



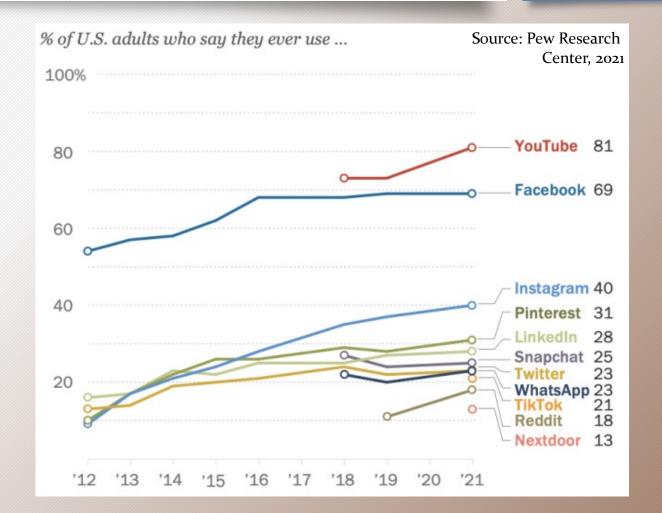
Snapchat:

- Most popular among age 30 and younger
- Content is short media clips that disappear



TikTok:

- Most popular among age 30 and younger
- Content is almost exclusively video-based



The Difference Between Facebook

PROFILES

Invite Friends

- · Personal Individual
- Businesses not allowed
- Invite + Maintain Friends
- Only Friends can view
- No Advertising
- Create Pages + Groups
- It is possible to have a 'Business Profile'

PAGES

Invite Likes

- Official Presence for Business or Celebrity
- · Admin can be shared
- Gain Likes (was Fans)
- Anybody can view + Like
- Nobody needs
 permission to Like
- Advertising Allowed
- Pay to promote Posts

GROUPS

Invite Members

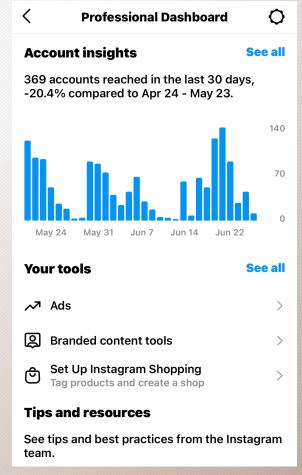
- Discussion Forum or Community for Club, Cause or Specific Purpose
- Business + Ads allowed
- Invite + Maintain Members
- Do not have to be Friends
- Profiles + Pages can join or post
- Open, Closed, or Secret

- Pages are places on Facebook where artists, public figures, businesses, brands, organizations, and charities can connect with their fans and customers.
- **Groups** are a place to communicate about shared interests with certain people.

Sources: REQ and Facebook

Switching your Instagram account to an Instagram Business Profile allows you to:

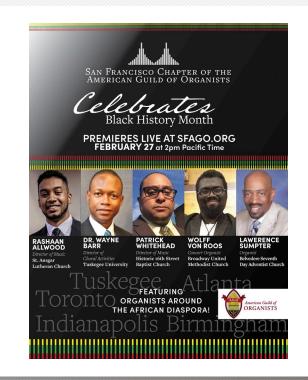
- Have access to more Instagram features, including the Professional Dashboard
- Post simultaneously to Instagram and Facebook
- Schedule posts in advance via integrated posting software
- Promote posts and create ads



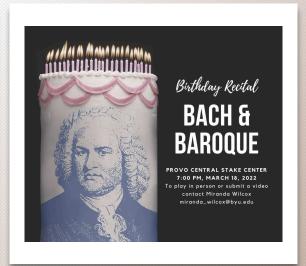
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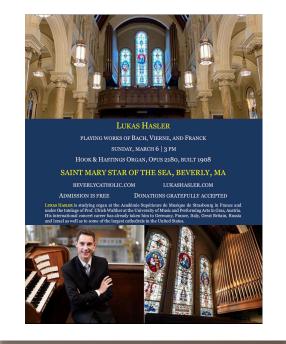
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Scheduling Content: What and When?

Event	Day of	2 Days before	1 Week before	3 Weeks Before
Members Recital	10/31	10/29	10/24	10/10
Potluck	1/7	1/5	12/31	12/17
Concert	3/13	3/11	3/6	2/20
Installation	5/17	5/15	5/10	4/26

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Theme: Church Livestream		Theme: Trivia Tuesday		Theme: Local Church Feature		Theme: Event Spotlight
Idea 1: St. Luke's UMC		Idea 1: Organ fact		Idea 1: Organist feature		۸
Idea 2: First Presbyterian		Idea 2: General music fact		Idea 2: Builder feature		۸
Idea 3: Evensong at St. Stephen's		Idea 3: Composer fact		Idea 3: Current local event		۸

Creating Content

- Use programs like Canva, Visme, and Adobe to create a graphic that is engaging and informative
- Beg, borrow, and steal: use inspiration from posts that catch your attention when you scroll
 - Color schemes
 - Use of photography, shapes, and text
- Create templates that will serve multiple uses down the road
- Don't be afraid to TRY!
- ...but DON'T use photos/images without permission!

Which is more helpful and engaging?



Cathedral Church of St. Peter

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Join us for Evensong this Sunday at the Cathedral Church of St. Peter! Organ Prelude at 4:45pm, and Evensong at 5pm. Freewill offering.



Choral Evensong

Sunday, April 24 5:00 pm

Organ prelude at 4.45pm Freewill Offering

The Cathedral Church of St. Peter 140 4th Street N, St. Petersburg

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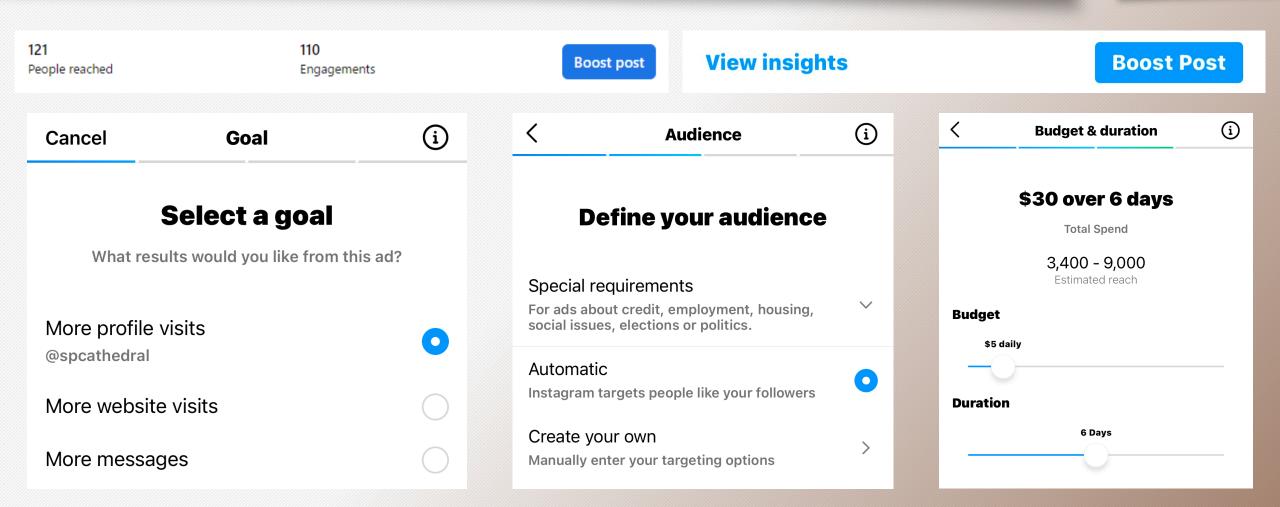
Posting Content: Facebook or Instagram?

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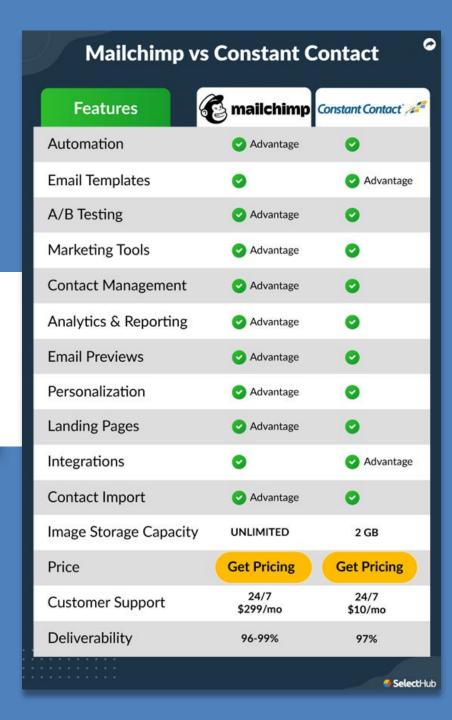
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Financially promoting your content: Boosting

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Two birds with one stone: Graphics on Newsletters



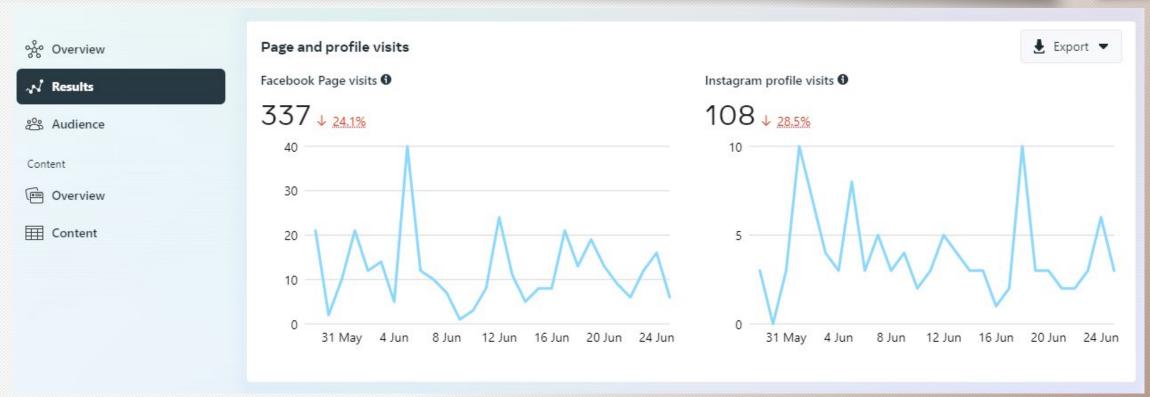
Stop right here. This is a lot. Let's talk burnout.

- Utilize your AGO network. Many hands make light work!
- Consider all your resources and all your needs
- Ask for help and don't always go to the youngest person on the team
- Negotiate the costs and benefits of these roles
 - This IS necessary and viable work!
 - Don't forget: this position could *easily* be a full time, paid position for someone, so it's not fair to ask someone to do all this work "for the benefit of the Guild/chapter"
 - Consider ways to "reward" your tech person or other hard workers in your chapter... Perhaps with a free AGO conference registration?

While we're talking about money...

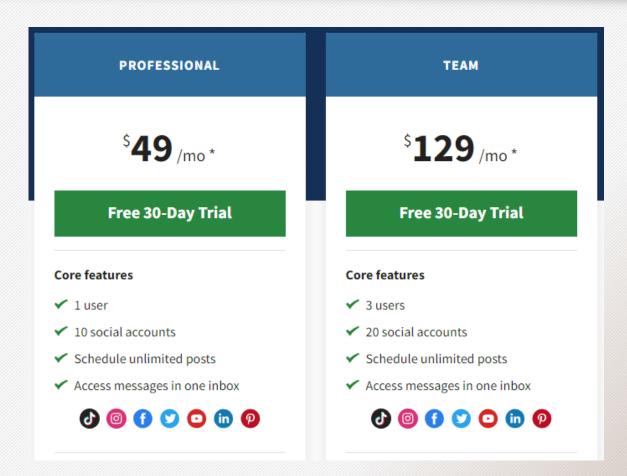
- Your chapter receives a portion from AGO dues and other fundraising ventures for a reason
- Make your money work in your favor:
 - Develop a budget line for social media promotions
 - Invest in subscriptions to valuable software (like Pro versions of platforms you already use for graphic design and content scheduling)
 - Hire a photographer for ONE big chapter event... and get incredible, better-than-stock photos that you can use for years to come

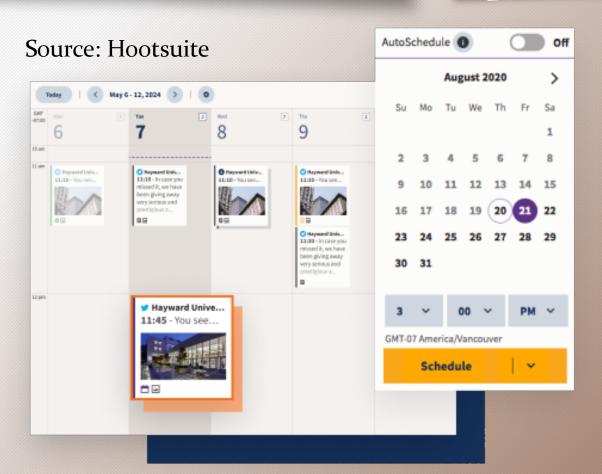
Using Insights to predict peak performing posts



(Peak performing post on Facebook: June 5 Pentecost Picnic photos of parishioners)
(Peak performing posts on Instagram: June 1 Pride Month post, June 19 Juneteenth post)

Scheduling posts in advance with Hootsuite













I'm here for you!

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