



Welcome Letter

****Youth attending must be accompanied by an adult counselor from their local church****

Hello Friends!

I can't even begin to express how EXCITED we are to share this information with you! It seems like it has been forever since we were able to have our regularly scheduled Youth Camp! In fact, it has been quite some time! It may be hard to believe, but our last time together in a "normal" capacity was 2019!

CAN YOU BELIEVE THAT?!?!

To say that we are eager for the week probably doesn't accurately reflect how we feel! And I certainly hope that you share in our excitement!

The theme that has been selected for this year is "It's Time!" How fitting! I almost want to include the word "It's ABOUT Time." But we have the tendency to operate with a "microwave" faith rather than exercising faithful patience with God. We want things right at our fingertips, and often get it (ex. Amazon Prime; I love it!). But our hope and prayer is that your student will, by week end, have a deeper understanding of God's timing, a deeper appreciation of God's "calendar" and a deeper trust that, yes, "*God makes all things beautiful in its time!*" (Ecc. 3:11)

Here are just a few ways you can help! First and foremost, pray! Pray for the youth attending, the staff who will be serving, and the leaders who will be leading. Second, serve! Consider volunteering your time to be with us. Third, follow up! Dialogue with your students about the week!

In preparation for Youth Camp, we do ask that youth/kids attending be accompanied with an adult volunteer/representative from their local congregation. This will ensure that we will have enough staffing for the week. Included in this packet is all the information you, (parents/youth leaders/pastor) will need to get yourselves and your students to Youth Camp 2023!

See you there!

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