2022 Winter Retreat Youth Leadership Information

Basic Information:

Date: March 18th-20th **Who:** 6th-12th Graders **Where:** Camp Cedar Crest

Physical Address: 33325 Green Valley Lake Rd. Running Springs, CA 92382

Phone: 909.867-2531

Cost: \$130

-1 Deposit of \$65 due Feb 6th-13th, 2nd Deposit of \$65 due March 6th-13th

-Please make checks payable to Calvary Chapel Santa Clarita or pay online

Theme: FOR THE GLORY-1 Corinthians 10:31

Web-Site:

Purpose:

The heart at this year's RETREAT, is to challenge, encourage and equip those who attend, to live a life that would be FOR THE GLORY of God.

For many Youth, they are at an age, and live in a world, that they probably are: striving, participating, and living "FOR OTHERS". In the sense that, some youth are trying to fit in with their peers, others are trying to make their parents happy, and some are just thinking about themselves. In some aspects, those are good... others, not so good. However, in light of ETERNITY... striving, participating, and living for anyone but God, is "meaningless". For us as Christians, we are called to live differently, and even have a different mind-set. This

years Retreat, our prayer is to look at what and how our Christian lives should and need to be living... and that is FOR THE GLORY of GOD!

Your Role Before that Retreat:

- 1. Pray: Please pray daily for your youth & those who will attend
 - For their walk w/ the Lord, for faithfulness to home & school, finances
 - -For them to INVITE people to JESUS, BELIEVE in JESUS, & a heart to SERVE JESUS through the HOLY SPIRIT
- 2. Invite & Inform: Please contact & talk to youth as well as parents
- Be challenged to not only inform your Youth Group, but take an active role personally, to let the Parents know what is going on.
- 3. Serve: Get involved in the Youth's lives so that they would desire to spend a weekend w/ Jesus & you
- See ways in which you can pour into these youth so that they can BELIEVE in JESUS through your life. We need to exemplify & live out this theme of FOR THE GLORY before the Retreat starts!
- -Also, prepare to drive a car in the snow(whether that means yours or someone else's, make arrangements to be prepared to drive)

Your Role During the Retreat

- 1. Pray: Please be in constant prayer during the Retreat
- 2. Lead: Be watchful over all the youth... not as a hireling... but a shepherd who loves the sheep
- Keep an eye on your youth, and make sure their "environment" at the Retreat is one that isn't distracting to what God wants to do and speak to them.
 - -Be watchful for all the Youth that attend, not just your own.

What is Needed Before the Retreat from your church:

- 1. Prayer
- 2. Funds Collected
 - -Cost of Retreat is \$130
- There will be an online payment options, but we STRONGLY ENCOURAGE, to collect all your groups funds, and just write one check out to Calvary Chapel Santa Clarita
- 3. Shirt Sizes must be turned in by Feb 13th
 - -Shirts will be ordered in Girls & Guys cut. Please indicate which you prefer, per shirt
- 4. Team Break-Up:
- -Please split your group into 4 equal teams (including all leaders) if your church has 15 or more attending. If less than 15, please split your Group into 2 equal teams.
- -This years colors are GREEN, BLUE, RED and YELLOW. Please encourage your youth to buy (or your church can provide), something to REPRESENT their TEAM (bandanas, shirts, beanies, hats, etc)
- 5. Insure that all leaders attending have passed a Background Check
- -Either through your church, or CC Living Water, we are asking that a background check be run on all leaders attending
- **6. Certificate of Liability Insurance:** contact your church insurance and send a copy to **akemi.deherrera@gmail.com**
- 7. Arrive @ Retreat on Time:
- make best possible arrangements to be at Camp Cedar Crest NO LATER then 5pm (dinner will be served @ this time.) 1st Session will begin promptly @ 6pm. Suggested arrival time is 4pm.

What is Needed Once Youth Group Arrive at the Retreat:

- 1. Once your group arrives, we ask that you send a Group Leader to the "registration tables", where you will receive your Cabin Location, Retreat Shirts, & Retreat Badges
- 2. Please turn in: MEDICAL RELEASE FORMS, FINAL count of your Group, & Final balance of Deposits
- 3. Unload & head to Dinning Hall

RETREAT ABSOLUES:

The following ABSOLUTES are cause for immediate removal from the camp. In extreme cases we may call local law enforcement as well:

- No DRUGS
- -NO ALCOHOL
- -NO VULGAR LANGUAGE
- -NO FIRE of any KIND
- -NO WEAPONS of any KIND
- -NO PUBLIC DISPLAY of AFFETION(NBC RULE)
- -NO GUYS in the GIRLS DORM or GIRLS in the GUYS DORM
- -NO PRACTICAL JOKES
- -NO STEALING
- -NO DESTRUCTION of CAMP PROPERTY

Medication & Food:

If any child needs a special diet, please let us know before the retreat, so we can make proper arrangements. We will have a few medical supplies for any injuries, that should help stabilize anyone, if any injury occurs, until the Ambulance/Parents can arrive at Camp Cedar Crest.

If any of your Youth have a problem and need medicine, they will need to come with their youth leader to receive any over the counter medication. Please insure that they are not allergic to the medicine. (have a list of any over the counter medicine your youth may be allergic too)

2022 Winter Retreat Schedule

Friday 3/18 4:00-4:50 5:00-6:00 6:00-8:30 8:30-11:00 11:30	Arrive/Registration/Unpack Dinner 1st Session(General Session): FOR THE GLORY of God the Father Teacher: IN SANCTUARY Shower/Cabin Time/Devotions/Free Time Lights Out
Saturday 3/19 7:15-7:45	Wake Up/Devotions/Morning Worship -Worship by
8:00-8:45 9:00-945 9:50-10:35 10:45-11:45	Breakfast 1stBreakout Session (Split Session) 2nd Breakout Session (Split Session) Q&A Girls: Sanctuary
11:45-12:00 12:00-1:00 1:00-1:30 1:30-4:45 5:00-5:45 6:00-8:30	Boys: Auditorium Group Picture Lunch Group Game FREE TIME/Tournaments/Talent Show Try-Outs Dinner/TALENT SHOW 2nd Session (General Session): FOR THE GLORY of GOD the Son Teacher:
8:30-11:00 11:30	Shower/Cabin Time/Devotions/Free Time Lights Out
Sunday 3/20 7:15-7:45	Wake Up/Devotions/Morning Worship
8:00-8: 4 5 9:30-11:00	-Worship by Breakfast 3rd Session (General Session): FOR THE GLORY of GOD the Holy Spirit Teacher:-IN SANCTUARY
11:00-12:00	Pack-Clean-Pick Up-Leave Camp Cedar Crest

2022 Breakout Sessions Breakdown

Between 9:00- 10:30, we will be holding 4 Breakout Sessions, in which all participants will have the chance to pick 2 Breakout Sessions to attend. The heart of these Breakout Sessions is to see how we can truly live a life FOR THE GLORY of God, in all that we do. These Sessions will focus on certain aspects:

1st Breakout Topic: FOR THE GLORY in Relationships:

-looking at the aspect of our relationships with: friends, family, dating... and how we can & Glorify God in them.

2nd Breakout Topic: FOR THE GLORY in Worship:

-looking at the aspect of how to lead others in worship too Glorify God

3rd Breakout Topic: FOR THE GLORY in School:

-looking at the aspect and importance of being a light in your school! (Being apart of &/or starting a Christian Club, praying, standing firm in the faith)

4th FOR THE GLORY in Church:

-looking at the aspect and importance of being involved at a local church, to impact others' lives to Glorify God.