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HIKES FOR PRESCHOOL FAMILIES. WEDNESDAY MORNINGS

Families of preschoolers are invited to meet on Wednesday mornings from **9am-noon** for a morning hike (various locations). You will need a park pass (\$5 daily, \$40 season) and water, snacks, and picnic lunch. Contact Jana Yandle janayandle@gmail.com to rsvp and for more information. Locations: **6/21 White Tail Trail to Lake Allatoona, Red Top Mtn State Park and 6/28 Leone Hall Price Park**

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER MEETING. JUNE 25

On Sunday, 6/25, we will gather at **9 am** to pray for God's provision of a permanent facility as well as other needs in the church. Join us to pray to our Abba Father who loves to give His children good gifts!

SUMMER LUNCH PROGRAM

The Student Leadership Program is looking to assemble **100 Summer Lunch meal kits for Must Ministries** to distribute to students in the metro Atlanta area. The estimated cost is **\$1500**. The SLP is looking to raise the funds by **July 9th**. Donations can be made by check or Tithe.ly to the Mercy Fund with "Meal Kits" in the memo line.

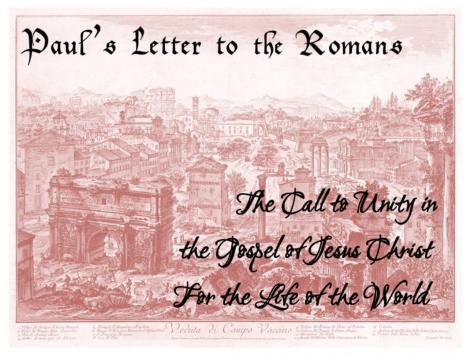
YOUTH MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

We are in need of **one male high school youth leader for the 2023-24 ministry year**. You must be able to pass a background check to serve. We are also looking for **a place for the middle school group to meet twice a month**. Please contact Matt if you would like to learn more! (matt@christcommunitycobb.org)

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CHRIST OMMUNITY



Giovanni Battista Piranesi's Veduta di Campo Vaccino, 1775

OUR VISION:

TO SEE THE GOSPEL CHANGE HEARTS, LIVES, AND COMMUNITY BY MULTIPLYING DISCIPLES IN NORTHWEST ATLANTA AND BEYOND

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OUR WORSHIP CELEBRATION JUNE 18, 2023

Prelude

~The instrumental cue to gather and prepare for worship

Welcome

*Call to Worship - Psalm 22:27-31

~God's invitation for us to engage in worship in the Holy Spirit

*Weekly Congregational Response

~Our humble response to God's call to worship

*Prayer of Invocation

The giving of thanks for God's promised presence and work among us

*Song of Preparation and Praise - Great Are You Lord
~Our celebration of God as our good and faithful Abba Father

*Confession of Sin and Assurance of Pardon - Romans 7:4-6

~Our admission of our failures and need for Christ as Savior

*Congregational Response: Amen!

*Songs of Comfort - Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

~Our praise of Jesus as our Savior

Pastoral Prayer - Jim & Shari Whittle, ELI India and **CCC Church Plant**

~Our prayer for the church gathered near and far

Sermon - Come and Welcome: Spirit-Filled Hospitality Abounding in Hope Romans 15:8-13

*Song of Response - You've Already Won

~Our commitment to apply God's Word in and through our lives

*Announcements

~Weekly opportunities to live out the Word read, confessed, prayed, sung, and preached

*Benediction - Romans 16:25-27

~God's parting blessing as we are sent out on His redemptive mission

*Congregational Response: Amen!

*Stand

"COME AND WELCOME: SPIRIT-FILLED HOSPITALITY ABOUNDING IN HOPE" ROMANS 15:8-13 CAMERON BARHAM

Key Truth: God invites us to believe the Gospel with joy and peace so that by the power of the Holy Spirit we would abound in hope.

Introduction:

O: Which of your enemies do you think have no place in God's family?

Romans 15:8-13: The Invitation of the God of Hope to Believe the Gospel with Joy and Peace Abounding

"(Paul) now shows that Christ has embraced us all, so that leaves no difference between the Jews and the Gentiles, except that in the first place he was promised to the Jewish nation, and was in a manner peculiarly destined for them, before he was revealed to the Gentiles. But he shows, that with respect to that which was the seed of all contentions, there was no difference between them, when gathered, into the Father's kingdom, that they might be one flock, in one sheepfold, under one shepherd. It is hence right, he declares, that they should continue united together, and not despise one another; for Christ despised neither of them."

John Calvin. Romans

Q: Who has the Lord redeemed that brought you joy and peace and believing that caused you to abound in hope in the power of the Holy Spirit? Who are you praying for with joy and peace with hope in the power of the Holy Spirit to be redeemed?

Application:

Romans 15:8-13 teaches us that:

-God invites us to believe the Gospel with joy and peace so that by the power of the Holy Spirit we would abound in hope.

Benediction: Romans 16:25-27