





## FAMILY MINISTRIES NEWSLETTER

February 27, 2024

"Nothing can dim the light which shines from within." - Maya Angelou



## BREAKFAST MINISTRY THIS WEEK

We have the opportunity to serve in Tull Hall for the breakfast ministry this week. We will NOT have choir to encourage participation in serving and I have linked the **Sign-Up Genius** here. I'm looking forward to seeing our Lenten practice of sharing in action together.



## PRAYGROUND INFO

We are excited to try on some new things this summer, including a Prayground at Central. To move this idea forward, we'd love to get your input on how and where this idea can take shape in the sanctuary.

Please fill out this QUICK form with your ideas!



# YOUTH SUMMER PLANNING: Info Needed

We're planning for the summer and we need to know when y'all will be in town so we can have some fun, fellowship and service! Please fill out **THIS FORM** to help us schedule for all rising 6th graders - high schoolers.

Here's a peek at what we've got up our sleeve...

#### For this summer:

- Youth Pool Party based on YOUR scheduling feedback (welcome to our rising 6th graders and youth hangout time, location most likely the Lums!)
- Six Flags Trip based on YOUR scheduling feedback
- Montreat Youth Conference, 6/2/24 6/8/24 in Montreat
- Montreat Middle School Conference, 7/17/24 7/21/24 in Maryville, TN
- Summer in the City Service & Fellowship, in and around ATL based on YOUR scheduling feedback

### Looking towards 2024-2025:

- Montreat All-Church Retreat, 8/31/24 9/2/24 in Montreat, NC
- MLK Service & Learning Trip to Jackson, MS, 1/17/25 1/21/25 (go ahead and SAVE-THE-DATES)
- Summer '25 trip to the US/Mexico Border with Frontera de Cristo, dates TBD in late 2024
- Montreat Youth Conference, dates TBD (week one, early June)
- Montreat Middle School Conference, dates TBD (mid-July)

# SUPPORT THE DONUT FUND (and so much more)!

It is true that DONUTS are a powerful recruitment tool for Central's children and youth. We are so grateful to be able to offer donuts, snacks, art supplies and all of the things big and small that make Family Ministries come to life week to week. We invite you to GIVE AS YOU ARE ABLE to these supplies by bookmarking this link to our YOUTH



FUND (includes children and youth ministries) in Realm. All donations here offset the budget line for things like these weekly expenses. We appreciate your support - gifts of all sizes are hugely helpful

## SAVE-THE-DATES

Sunday, March 3rd - Tull Hall Breakfast Ministry

Saturday, March 9th - Youth see Mean Girls at Decatur High School

Friday, March 15th - Sunday, March 17th - Confirmation Retreat!

**Saturday, March 23rd - Children's Easter Egg Hunt** at Mary Lillian Walker's at 9:30am (3266 E Wood Valley Rd NW ATL 30327)! Y'all bring the joy, we'll provide the candy and baskets. **You can RSVP via Realm right here!** 

Sunday, March 24th - Palm Sunday, Parade before worship and children sing in church

**Sunday, March 24th - Youth Group at Emory Presbyterian,** we walk the labyrinth, 4:30pm - 7:00pm



## **UPDATED CALENDAR**

We did some updates to the calendar so please download the most recent version!

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