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Campus Happenings

October

Bold type = LA Programs

- 30-1 JUFL Capstone Retreat
- 1-3 Faith Covenant
- 4-5 First Christian, Ft Myers
- 8-9 **Mother/Daughter Retreat**
- 11-13 Bernard Retreat
- 14-17 South Florida Get Together
- 21-23 Faith Fellowship
- 22-24 Deep Creek Community
- 26 St Anastasia Catholic School
- 27-29 Skycrest
- 28 **Virtual Owner Church Meeting**
- 29 Northwestern Mutual
- 29-31 Oceans Unite
- 31 Christ's Church on the Move



Staff Family News

- * Happy Birthday to Brylee Upchurch, daughter of Laken and Jared on the 2nd!
- * Happy 1st Wedding anniversary to TJ and Emmalee Raigoza on the 4th and 2nd Wedding anniversary to Derek and Alicia Bornemann on the 5th!
- * Welcome New Life Christian Church, Spring Hill as an owner church of Lake Aurora Christian Assembly, Inc.! The Board of Trustees approved their request for membership at the September meeting.

"My Story" ... from our friends

"3 day retreat was awesome, great food & brisket was amazing. Lots of great activities. Lake was beautiful." Google Review



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Ministry Progress

We are looking forward to our Mother/Daughter Retreat and our virtual Owner Church Annual meeting this month.

We have several churches, schools, and businesses that are still choosing to plan retreats with us but they do tend to be smaller in attendance. October is very busy with these groups.

October begins our fiscal year and we will have our annual report ready for distribution at the end of the month. 🌿



Praise/Prayers

- * Praise - For the return of guest retreat groups & full Mother/Daughter Retreat.
- * Praise - For the smooth transition of Emmalee's role in Guest Relations.
- * Prayer - For the development of our winter and spring retreats.
- * Prayer - For discernment and wisdom on lessons learned from the pandemic and how to move forward.



In Honor or Memory Thank you for remembering loved ones with a gift to the ministry at Lake Aurora.
September

| Memory of... | Given By... |
|--------------------|------------------|
| Denny Farquhar, Jr | M/M David McGrew |
| Dulie Hendley | Coni Hebert |
| Ellie Labonte | M/M Art Schnarre |
| Susan Pate | Eric Morris |

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Looking Ahead...

VIRTUAL
Annual
Owner
Churches
Meeting



October 28
4 pm online

Please RSVP to info@lakeaurora.org by Oct. 25 for link to connect to the meeting.

Updates on the ministry and vote on incoming Trustees.

Each owner church as two votes submitted virtually.

Coming Events

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|------------------------------|--------------------|
| Wonder H.S. Retreat 2022 | Dec. 3-5 |
| Annual Golf Scramble | Feb 5 |
| Men's Retreat - Alan Alhgrim | March 4-5 |
| Young At Heart | March 10 |
| Women's Retreat | April 22-23, 23-24 |

Family Opportunities

Father/Son Retreat
November 19-20
Filling!
CampOut Extension 20-21 - FULL

Online Registration open.
Attendance capped at 100 participants
Child 5-18 = \$40, Adult = \$57
Generations welcome!

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December 3-5, 2021

Save the Date...



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| October 8-9 | Mother/Daughter Retreat |
| November 19-20 | Father/Son Retreat |
| Dec 3-5 | Wonder High School Retreat |
| February 4-5 | Educators Retreat - postponed |
| February 5 | Annual Golf Scramble |
| March 4-5 | Men's Retreat |
| March 10 | Young at Heart Day |



**Hillside
Playground
Funding
Complete!**

We got it! Raised \$10,000 and received the matching \$10,000 gift!!! Thank you for your generosity!!!

We anticipate completing the design and using our winter volunteer teams to help us begin construction this winter.

To God be the glory!!

Preserving the Past...

Tent Pegs

...Securing the Future

TENT PEGS continue to serve as our vehicle to grow the ministry and will provide funding for the next project - the Large Assembly Building
1 Peg = \$25 a month
donated over 3 yrs or any combination.

"Roots Secure - Branching Out"

Cost: We anticipate it will be \$1.1 million to build. We are 1/4 of the way there with over \$300K in savings toward construction.

2022 will be our 75th Birthday and what a way to celebrate by raising 75% of the goal! It's possible if 75 churches encourage 75 families to give \$75.