



Restoration for the Week

RESTORATION CHURCH

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CHANGED LIVES THROUGH RESTORATION CHURCH

If you would like to share your story, email your submission of 250 words or less to Godstories@restorationrva.org

Growing Young Survey Coming Soon

After the start of the new year, you may receive an email about the "Growing Young" initiative. The leadership of Restoration Church needs your input! Your involvement in this survey will assist the leaders and church teams in setting goals as well as living into our church's focus in the new year.

DNow Registration is Open

Disciple Now 2018 registration is now open! DNOW will be February 16-18, 2018.

What is Disciple Now? Disciple Now is an annual middle and high school weekend retreat at Restoration Church where small groups of youth (divided by gender and grade) meet in the homes of church members for small group discipleship (what it means to be a follower of Jesus). These times are led by youth leaders with the goal of beginning or strengthening the ongoing process of discipleship in each youth's life. This year our focus will be on growing deeper in our walk with Christ. In addition to incredible Bible teaching and worship there will be unique times of fellowship and recreation for each small group and their mentors.

Register today and don't forget to invite your friends! You will not want to miss it! *Cost is \$60 if you register and pay by January 5th, or \$80 if you register between January 6-25th. Registration closes January 25th or when all spaces are filled.*

Register using the link below, or you can contact Jen Williams at jwilliams@restorationrva.org for more information.

<https://tinyurl.com/ycn4aj2y>

Costa Rica Mission Trip and Camp Hope

Please continue to pray for the Restoration Church volunteers as well as those they are serving during the annual trip to Costa Rica January 6-20, 2018.

Restoration Congregational Meetings Slated for January

Congregational meetings covering our church's vision renewal and new focus considerations, along with action steps being taken by the ministry teams, will be offered on Sunday, January 14, and Sunday, January 21, immediately following the worship service at Oak Knoll Middle School. All are encouraged to attend these important meetings to hear more about God's revelation of our direction and needs related to pursuing that focus.

Ties That Bind

The next Ties That Bind program is "Healthy Habits for Your Brain and Body". Join us to learn about research in the areas of diet and nutrition, exercise, cognitive activity and social engagement to help us optimize our physical and cognitive health as we age. This community program and luncheon will held on Tuesday, January 9, from 11 a.m.-1 p.m., at Northside Baptist Church, 7600 Studley Road in Mechanicsville. The cost of the luncheon is \$5. Please bring a food pantry item for the One-Stop Shop of Mechanicsville Christian Emergency Functions (MCEF).

RSVP by Thursday, January 4, by contacting the church office at 804-299-3475 or by emailing info@restorationva.org.

Leadership Training Kickoff

The next Leadership Training class begins on January 28 with a 9:00 a.m. breakfast at Oak Knoll. This class continues through May, meeting weekly in small groups to discuss the content and how to apply it to daily life. Leadership Training is a "300-level" overview that covers history, theology, and church leadership, helping you to gain a better understanding of our particular church and your role in it. For more information contact Bill Moore (bmoore@restorationva.org) or make plans to attend the kickoff breakfast on January 28.

JANUARY AT A GLANCE

Growing Young survey
January 3 - 19

Costa Rica Mission Trip and Camp Hope
January 5-20, 2018

Ties That Bind
January 9

All-church meetings (Choose one to attend)
Sunday, January 14, OR Sunday, January 21, immediately after the service

Leadership Training Kickoff breakfast
January 28

DNOW Youth Retreat
February 16-18, 2018
Register by January 5th for \$60, or between January 6-25 for \$80

TEXT YOUR OFFERING

You can text your offering to Restoration Church. Text the word Restore to 73256 and follow the prompts.

BUDGET INFORMATION

If you're interested in a church budget update or would like other financial information, please contact Carrie Dugai at cdugai@restorationva.org

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