



Newsletter

Living the Gospel by Loving the Fatherless.

Preparing for Camp 1:27

The theme for camp this year is *This Changes Everything*, we will be studying 2 Corinthians 5:17, "**Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.**" We will be introducing our campers to the Gospel, and in turn they will have to respond, one way or another, there is no middle



ground when it comes to Christ! Please pray with us for our staff and campers, that we will be spiritually ready to minister and for the children's hearts to be fertile ground for the seed of the Gospel to take root!

As camp approaches, some needs that we have are cleaning supplies; including multipurpose cleaner, large mop heads, Comet cleanser, dish soap, bulk hand soap refills, 10oz or 12oz disposable cups, plastic forks, paper towels and toilet paper. We also need ant poison, wasp spray, and band aids!

Every year we are amazed at God's provision for camp through YOU, our fellow servants to the least of these! Thank you so much, and please continue to hold Camp 1:27 up in prayer as June 5th grows nearer!

How Can I Help With Camp?

Great question! There are several different ways you can help us prepare for Camp 1:27 this summer. Here are a few:

- 1. Sponsor a camper.** Camp is free for our campers but it is not free for us. We depend on faithful supporters to sponsor a child so we can continue to offer Camp 1:27 free of charge. Sponsoring a camper is \$100. This amount helps cover their food, lodging, and activities for the week they attend. This would be a great way to involve your family, friends, small groups, churches, or businesses.
- 2. Serve at a Work Day.** We will plan a few Work Days to knock out some projects before we host our campers and staff. These work days will include cleaning facilities, yard work, and whatever new projects we decide are needed. Work Day dates will be published via email, website and social media.
- 3. Refer Staff Members.** We are actively recruiting for staff members. We need to hire 16 counselors and 20 junior counselors this summer. If you know godly teenagers and/or college students who love children, please refer them to us! This is a tremendous opportunity for young people to do intense ministry as they serve our campers. Please let your churches, youth groups, college ministries, and small group leaders know. (We would also be happy to speak to these groups if there is interest!)
- 4. Tell Your Foster Parent Friends/Family.** Not only is Camp 1:27 a blast for campers, it offers a week of rest for foster parents. This is a Win-Win! Please let your foster parent friends know about Camp 1:27 if they do not already. We would love to serve them by giving their foster children one of the best weeks of their life.

Upcoming Events

Disc Golf Tournament
April 16th
Register today at discgolfscene.com.

Foster Parent Night Out
May 21st
Registration will open soon!

Camp 1:27 Staff Training Week
June 5 - 10

Camp 1:27 Teen Week
June 12-17

Camp 1:27 Middle School Week
June 19-24

Camp 1:27 Elementary Week #1
June 26 - July 1

Camp 1:27 Elementary Week #2
July 3-8

Camp 1:27 Elementary Week #3
July 10-15

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