



April 2-3, 2016

*Ridge Lines:* CONNECTING TO  
THE AUTUMN RIDGE COMMUNITY

## KIDS' SUMMER CAMPS



**REGISTER BEGINNING APRIL 4**

**ART CAMP:** June 13-16

**SCIENCE CAMP:** June 20-23

**SHINE FESTIVAL:** June 27-30

**FCA** (Fellowship of Christian Athletes):  
July 11-15

**CREATION CAMP:** July 19-21

[AutumnRidgeChurch.org/children](http://AutumnRidgeChurch.org/children)

Check out *The Story of Scripture* blog at [www.AutumnRidgeChurch.org/blog](http://www.AutumnRidgeChurch.org/blog)

# Welcome, Guests!

We pray that you felt encouraged by the love of Christ as you worshiped with us. We strive to create a grace- and hope-filled environment where you can take your next step toward Christ!

Please fill out a **Connection Card** from the rack in front of your chair, and bring it to the **Connection Center** in the lobby. The staff would love to meet you, answer questions, and give you a gift bag that includes a 10% off coupon for Christos Bookcenter and tickets for a complimentary Saturday night meal or Sunday morning coffee and pastries at one of our **HotSpots**.

Children are always welcome in our worship services. If your child becomes fussy, we can direct you to spaces which will allow you to see and hear what is going on in the services while attending to your child's needs.



✓ the ARC app

**Quarter 3: Discipleship:** March 26 - April 3

"Why do you seek the living among the dead? Jesus is not here, but has risen!" ~Luke 24:5

## ONGOING MINISTRY OFFERINGS (check website or ARC App for specific details)

Children	Disciple Kids (weekend programs)	Infant-PreK	Sat., 5:30pm	Children's Wing
	Disciple Kids (weekend programs)	Infant-Grade 5	Sun., 9:00 & 10:30am	Children's Wing
	Barnabas Ministry (Special Needs)	5-18 years	Sun., 10:30am	LC102
	American Heritage Girls	Girls 5-14 years	1st & 3rd Mon., 6:15-7:45pm	Children's Wing
	Trail Life USA	Boys K-Grade 5	1st & 3rd Mon., 6:15-7:45pm	Upper Room
	Kids' Club (midweek programs)	K16-Grade 5	Wed., 6:30-8:00pm	Children's Wing
Students	Mosaic/Middle School Small Groups	Grades 6-12	Sun., 5:30-7:00pm	Summit/Lighthouse
	High School Small Groups	Grades 9-12	Wed., 6:30-8:00pm	Lighthouse/off-site
	College-Aged	Ages 18-24	Fri., 7:00-9:00pm	Lighthouse
Men	Morning Bible Study	Men	Fri., 6:00-7:30am	Upper Room
	Wednesday Night Small Groups	Men	Wed., 6:30-8:00pm	Upper Room
	Men's Bible Study Fellowship (BSF)	Men	Tues., 6:55-8:30pm	Upper Room
Women	MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers)	Women	Thurs., (irregular - see website)	Summit Room
	Side By Side	Women	Fri., 9:15-11:30am	Summit Room
	Single Moms Bible Study	Women	Wed., 6:30-8:00pm	Hyde Room
	Women's Bible Study (WBS)	Women	Wed., 9:30-11:00am	Sanctuary
	Women's Bible Study (WBS)	Women	Wed., 6:30-8:00pm	Common Grounds
General	Celebrate Recovery	All	Fri., 7:00-9:00pm	Upper Room
	Financial Peace Univ.	All	Sun., 9:00-10:15am	Upper Room
	FUSION Young Adults	Singles	Tues., 7:00pm	Lighthouse
	OASIS (senior adults)	All	3rd Tuesdays, 12:00pm	Common Grounds
	Precepts	All	Tues., 9:30-11:00am   7:00-8:30pm	Luther Room

## CONNECT BY SERVING

The children of our Rochester are vitally important to the future of our community. We want to do all we can to share the gospel with them and their families and help to set God's course for their life. Consider being a part of this crucial work. Join the Children's Ministry team at Harriet Bishop School June 27-30. Contact Pam Cray at [Cray.Pam@AutumnRidgeChurch.org](mailto:Cray.Pam@AutumnRidgeChurch.org), and she'll share how you can impact young lives at our SHiNE Festival.



**ARCIWAYS**  
THE PATH TO PARTNERSHIP

**All classes are offered  
three times each weekend.**

Saturdays • 7:00pm  
Sundays • 9:00 • 10:30am

April 16/17 • 23/24 • 30/May 1

- Our history, God's gift of salvation
- Our purpose, personality, & beliefs
- Organization & where we're going
- How God made you to contribute

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DEVOTED HEARTS **more of You** less of me

april 22-23

speakers  
ellie lofaro  
allison allen  
music  
phil wickham



[www.DevotedHeartsRochester.com](http://www.DevotedHeartsRochester.com) for details



AUTUMN RIDGE CHURCH

**July 30-August 5**

Information and registration available on the church website.

[AutumnRidgeChurch.org/familycamp](http://AutumnRidgeChurch.org/familycamp)

## THIS WEEK: CLASSES & EVENTS FOR APRIL 2 - APRIL 8

### SATURDAY, APRIL 2

- 5:30 pm Emmaus Service
- 5:30 pm Classes for infant to K16 - Children's Wing
- 6:40 pm Saturday Night Dinner
- 7:00 pm Divorce Care - Edwards Room

### SUNDAY, APRIL 3

- 9:00 am Sunday morning "Traditional" service
- 9:00 am Classes for infant to Grade 5 - Children's Wing
- 9:00 am Rochester MN Chinese Church Sunday School - Timothy Chapel
- 10:30 am Sunday morning "Contemporary" service
- 10:30 am Classes for infant to Grade 5 - Children's Wing
- 10:30 am Rochester MN Chinese Church Worship Service - Timothy Chapel
- 10:30 am Adult Bible Study, Book of John - Upper Room
- NO Mosaic (Grades 6-8 small groups & 9-12 large group)

### MONDAY, APRIL 4

Children's Summer Camps registration opens on website

### TUESDAY, APRIL 5

- 9:30 am Precepts - Book of Deuteronomy - Luther Room
- 6:30 pm Volleyball - CENTER Gym
- 6:55 pm Men's Bible Study Fellowship (BSF) - Upper Room
- 7:00 pm Precepts - Book of Deuteronomy - Luther Room
- 7:00 pm Fusion Young Adults - Kuball Residence (see website for info)

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6

- NO Women's Bible Study (WBS)
- NO Women's Bible Study (WBS)
- NO Kids' Club (K16-Grade 5)
- NO High School Small Groups
- NO Single Mom's Bible Study
- NO Men's Life Groups
- 7:00 pm Adoration Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary

### THURSDAY, APRIL 7

### FRIDAY, APRIL 8

- 6:00 am Men's Bible Study - Upper Room
- NO Side by Side (medical spouses)
- 7:00 pm Celebrate Recovery - Upper Room
- 7:00 pm College-Aged Ministry (18-24 years) - Lighthouse

## UPCOMING MINISTRY/PARTNER EVENTS

Ministry/Event	Date(s)	Details
High School Basketball Tournament	Sun., April 10	7-9pm (after Mosaic). Pizza provided, guests encouraged. \$2
A Time for Women	Thurs. April 14	6:30 - 8:30pm in the Upper Room. Women's craft time
Caregiver Support Group	Sat., April 9	10:00 - 11:30am in the Edwards Room. Open to all caregivers.

# Congregational News

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Kenneth and Michelle Johnson on the birth of a son, Luke Eli, on March 20.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Robert and Barbara Johnson as they celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on April 3.

We extend our **SYMPATHY** to Sherry Cragoe, whose mother died March 25.

**LAST WEEK'S OFFERING: \$ 90,495**

## MISSIONS THIS WEEK

Please pray for the CMDA Conference in Marathon, Greece on April 4-14. Many Autumn Ridgers are participating including Jeff and Allison Cabalka, Alan Carr, Phil and Juli F., Brian and Lori Harrison, Joel Michelson, Mark Topazian, Chris Moir, and Tait Shanafelt. The conference not only serves to update health care professionals on current medical, surgical and dental practices and procedures, but it enables physicians, dentists, and other health care professionals licensed in the USA to fulfill their board requirements. This world-class educational program is supplemented by times of fellowship and worship. There are also spouse's and children's programs.

## CHRISTOS BOOKCENTER

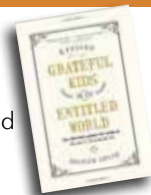
[AUTUMNRIDGECHURCH.ORG/CHRISTOS](http://AUTUMNRIDGECHURCH.ORG/CHRISTOS)

MON - THURS: 10AM-6PM, SAT: 5-7PM, SUN: 8:30AM - 12:00 PM

507-252-9090

**Raising Grateful Kids in an Entitled World: How One Family Learned That Saying No Can Lead to Life's Biggest Yes** ~by Kristen Welch

Welch shares ups and downs in her family's journey to teach her children the difference between wants and needs; finding she helped her kids become hardworking, fulfilled, and successful adults.



**Make It Zero: The Movement to Safeguard Every Child** ~by Mary Frances Bowley, and Jennifer Bradley Franklin

With eyes open, moms, dads, bus drivers, virtually anyone can correct situations that put children at risk, enabling us to rescue kids from the ravages of poverty, hunger...even sex trafficking.



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RidgeLines or ARC Magazine:

[Publicity@AutumnRidgeChurch.org](mailto:Publicity@AutumnRidgeChurch.org)

DEADLINES: ARC Magazine-1<sup>st</sup> Friday of a month  
RidgeLines-1 week prior to date

**Saturday**  
5:30 pm  
Band

**Sunday**  
9:00 am  
Choir & Orchestra

**Sunday**  
10:30 am  
Band

## Contact Us

Call the church office at 507-288-8880

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**Executive Pastor**  
Pat Wester

**Children**  
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**Counseling & Care**  
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**Missions**  
Woody Roland

**Serving**  
Karen Foster

**Group Life**  
Paul McDonald

**Students**  
Jason Motte

**Worship**  
Allen Hightower  
April Rowe

**Administration**  
George Beech

For a complete listing of our leadership team, please visit the church website at:  
[www.AutumnRidgeChurch.org/leadership](http://www.AutumnRidgeChurch.org/leadership)