## MISSION/VISION

MISSION: Leading people to move one step closer to Jesus Christ every day VISION: To become a church fully committed to reaching the unchurched

## FAMILY MIN

#### LITTLE SAFARI

For kids birth-5 years old - "Where kids can get wild about God." We want parents to understand that we value your children & strive to provide environments help them grow & are engaging for kids. We have awesome volunteers who care about your preschoolers & want you to have an worry-free experience in the Auditorium.

#### VELOCITY

For kids in K-5th grade – "Because life moves fast". We strive to provide a relevant, engaging, fun, & safe environment for our VELOCITY kids. But we also want to partner with you – the parent. We're committed to being the best resource we can be to your family & give out weekly resources to ensure that.

#### **TRANSIT**

For students in 6th-8th grade (@ 10:45a) - "Because transitioning from a kid to a teen is hard". Not only is TRANSIT a blast with relevant teaching & fun games, but we want students to have a group of friends to do life with & a SG Leader guiding them

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## WHAT'S HAPPENING @ CORE

#### FIRST TIME VISITORS

If you're joining us for the 1st time, we want you to know how privileged we feel that you've chosen to take a chance on us. We get it... it's not easy to walk into a church for the 1st time. But because you did, we want to do something to say THANK YOU. After the service, we'd love for you to stop at our "Connections Booth" in the corner of our lobby. We've got a "1st Time Visitors" pack filled with a bunch of great stuff for you. If you ever need anything or have questions, don't hesitate to find a person wearing a RED lanyard.

#### BAPTISM @ CORE

If you have a relationship with Jesus Christ, baptism is an exciting and important step to take in your faith. It is an opportunity to go public with your faith and the life-change Christ has made in you. Our next opportunity for Baptism @ Core is <u>Sunday</u>, <u>February 11</u>. If you are interested or would like more information, please fill out a RED CARD in the seatback in front of you, sign-up on the "Next Steps" tab on our website (<u>corecommunity.church</u>), or email us at <u>bencarver@corecommunity.church.com</u>.

#### GLOBAL IMPACT TRIPS—SUMMER 2024

At Core, we want to reach further into our city & further into our world to make church about so much more than just us & just what happens inside these walls. In Summer 2024, we will embark on TWO trips to our 2 Care Points around the world. In June, we will take a team to visit our Care Point in Guatemala,. In August, we will take a team to visit our newly launched Care Point in Uganda, Africa. It is an opportunity for us to see the Care Point, serve the Care Point, & interact with our 142 sponsored kids. We will host a quick "Info Meeting" TODAY @ 12:00p in our Adult Meeting Room.

#### NIGHT OF WORSHIP

Do you ever feel worn out, exhausted, & like you're running on empty? Ever feel like we're constantly running our kids in a million directions, dealing with emergencies at work, figuring out jam-packed schedules, & never quite finding enough time to focus on the most important relationship in our life? This is an opportunity to recharge in the middle of your week & the beginning of a new month. Come out to Core on Tuesday, February 6 @ 7:00p for a "Night of Worship". This is an incredible way for you & your family to refocus on what's most important. Childcare will be provided.

### NEXT STEPS @ CORE

#### **BAPTISM**

Baptism is an important step for every person who follows Jesus Christ. It is an opportunity to publicly declare your faith in Jesus Christ and follow His example of being baptized. Baptism is a way to show the change Jesus Christ has made in your life.

#### **COMMUNITY GROUPS**

Community Groups are an opportunity to join a group of people in a similar stage of life as you. At Core, we believe that no one is meant to do life alone and that spiritual growth happens best in circles, not in rows. Find a group to do life together with. To get more info on a group, visit our website & click on the NEXT STEPS tab.

#### **GIVING**

Everything we do at Core Community Church is made possible through the incredible generosity of people here. If you are new to Core, we don't want you to feel any obligation to give. At Core, we believe giving is an incredible way to trust God with your finances. It is a way for us to give back what He has given us to ensure lost people are being reached in our community and around the world. At Core, we are committed to being great stewards of the money entrusted to us. We offer ONLINE GIVING for your convenience. You can give online by visiting our website (corecommunity.church) and click on the NEXT STEPS tab. GIVING BOXES are located at the back of the Auditorium.

#### GLOBAL IMPACT SPONSORSHIP

One of our big "Global Impact" initiatives is our partnership with 2 Care Points around the world—one in Guatemala (Puerta de Esperanza) and one in Uganda (Odudui). Our Care Points service over 300 kids with food, healthcare, school supplies, schooling, clothing, and other necessary needs. Core sponsors 125+ kids at our Care Points. For more info, visit <a href="https://hopechest.org/puerta-de-esperanza/">https://hopechest.org/puerta-de-esperanza/</a> or <a href="https://hopechest.org/puerta-de-e

#### **SERVING**

At Core, we value service. We believe that our church is stronger with everyone working together. One of the best ways to get connected & grow in your relationship with Christ is through serving on a ministry team. There are multiple areas to get involved & we are always in need of new, excited volunteers! If you would like more info, grab a "Put Me In Coach" card in the seat pocket in front of you, and drop it in the GIVING BOX.