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SEPTEMBER 9/10, 2023

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**BEING CHANGED BY GOD,
TO REACH ALL PEOPLE.**

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At The Grove, we truly believe we are better together, and finding a place to serve is a key part of finding community! If you aren't plugged in already, we're excited to have a special time where you can come "Find Your Team" on September 16 & 17 after each service in the Baptismal Courtyard.

Young @ Adults Kickoff

The young adult years are life-shaping. At The Grove, we define these years as 18-29. We have a Young Adult ministry that meets on Thursday evenings at 7 PM, and we gather on Sundays at the 9 AM service.

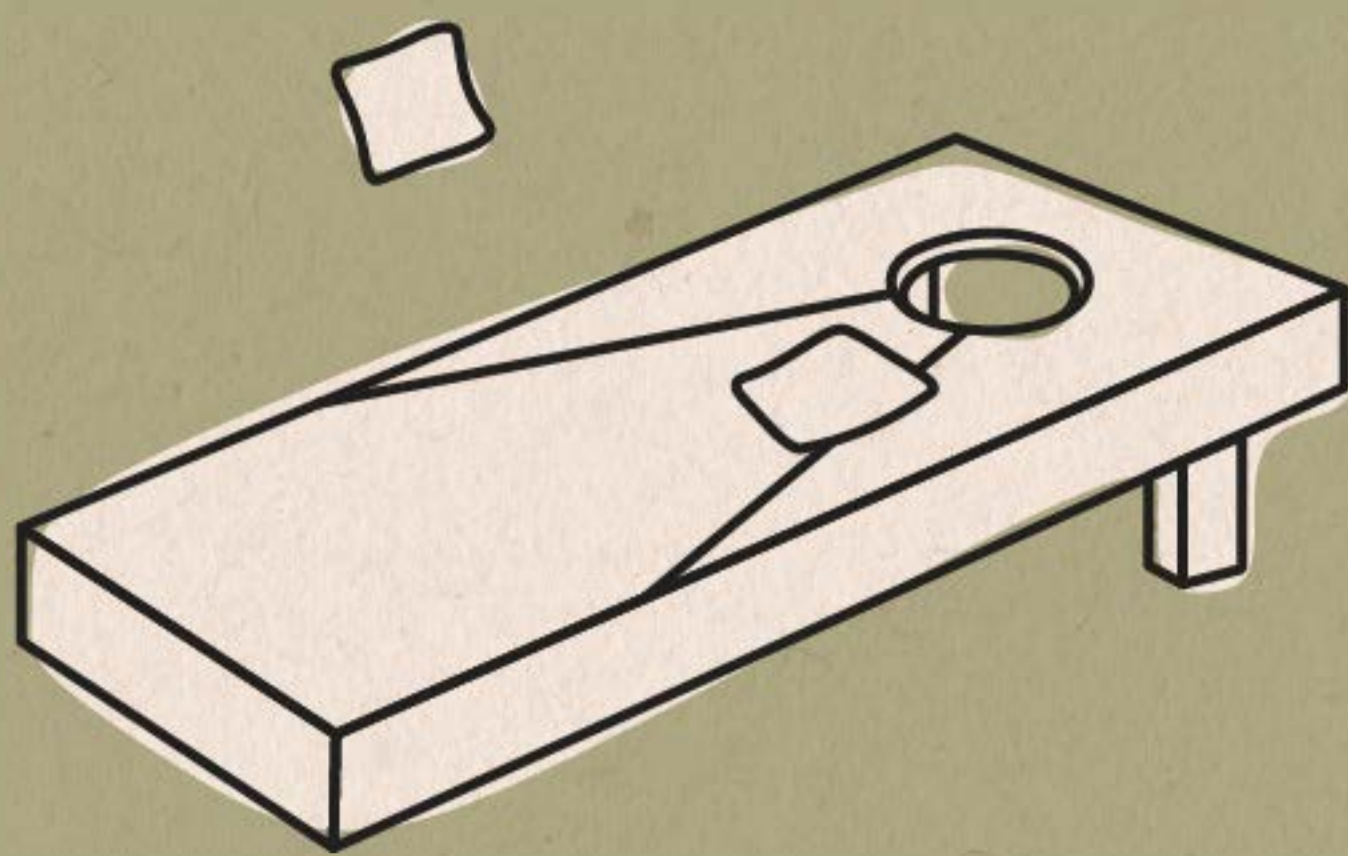
Come learn more at a special breakfast just for young adults at 10:15 AM at the East Lawn picnic tables.



INDISPENSABLE NIGHT

Join us on Friday, September 15 from 6-7:30 PM in Room D-2 for our support group for people who have family members with disabilities. This is a great opportunity to meet other families impacted by disabilities, receive support, and grow together. A counselor from our counseling center will facilitate each meeting. The Allies Ministry will provide childcare (children 18 and under) for those who attend the support group!

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CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT

SATURDAY AT THE GROVE

Join us for our September Community Event on Saturday, September 16, after the 4 PM service for a cornhole tournament. All ages and skill levels are invited for the chance to win some prizes. Let's have fun together, building relationships with a bit of competition! Dinner will be available for \$5 per person. We hope to meet you there!

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BEACH PARTY



WELCOME INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS!

Join us as we welcome International University Students with a Beach Party on Saturday, September 23.

University Students from all over the world come to study in Riverside. The Beach Party gives us an opportunity to meet these students in a casual atmosphere with games, activities, and an all-American cookout. Don't miss this chance to engage the nations God is bringing to Riverside. Sign up to participate with your family or Small Group!

The Information and Orientation meeting is on September 12 at 6:30 PM.

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Deconstruction

John 6

Daniel Bishop Lead Pastor

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RESOURCES

The New American Commentary: John 1-11 by Gerald L Borchert

The Great Dechurching: Who's Leaving, Why Are They Going, and What Will It Take to Bring Them Back?
by Jim Davis and Michael Graham

"Deconstruction: The Way of Jesus & The Ideologies of the World." Sermon by John Mark Comer

"Christian Deconstruction, Part 1." Sermon by John MacArthur

"5 Misconceptions About Dechurching in America."
Article by Jim Davis and Michael Graham
(gospelcoalition.org)

"What Does 'Deconstruction' Even Mean?" Article by John Bloom (desiringgod.org)

"4 Causes of Deconstruction." Article by Josh Butler (gospelcoalition.org)

Five Real Reasons Young People Are Deconstructing Christianity by Joe Terrell