

BROOKHAVEN+PRESBYTERIAN  
**CHURCH**

//AUGUST 14, 2022//





## BASICS

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### WHERE

Camp Westminster//Conyers, GA

### WHEN

August 26 - 28, 2022

### COST

\$50 per person or  
\$100 per couple/family

### SIGN UP

Register on the events page  
of our website by August 1<sup>st</sup>

## LODGING

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### CABINS

**MORNINGSIDE AND HILLSIDE CABIN AREAS** - this is likely where most people will be staying. The individual cabins hold 13 twin beds each - fitting approx 2-3 families, a group of girls, or a group of guys. The cabin areas have a shared bathhouse. Both the cabins and bathhouses are climate-controlled. Please note on your registration who you'd like to bunk with and we'll try to make it happen!

### DORM-STYLE ROOMS

**SWANN DORMS** - hotel-style lodging that will mainly be reserved for families with young kids who need a more private room due to sleeping arrangements or other factors. There are 14 of these rooms available containing a queen bed, a twin bunk bed, and a private bathroom.

Please visit the events page on our website for a link to Camp Westminster's virtual lodging tours.

# MEALS

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## BREAKFAST, LUNCH & DINNER IS PROVIDED

Camp Westminster is able to accommodate most all food allergies and dietary restrictions with *sufficient notice*. Please make note of any necessary accommodations on your registration form.

# CHILDCARE

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## SEE CAMP SCHEDULE FOR SPECIFICS

Childcare will be provided at various points by Camp Westminster counselors. Please see the schedule for specific times and age groups.

# ACTIVITIES

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## SEE CAMP WESTMINSTER'S WEBSITE FOR SPECIFICS

High ropes course  
Climbingtower//Zip line

Sports Fields  
Basketball//Volleyball//Soccer

Lakefront activities  
Canoeing//Kayaking//Fishing

Pool - Lifeguards Provided

Arrow Tag

Horseback Riding

Paintball

# CONTACT

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## BPC CAMP DIRECTORS - WILLIAM HESTON & DAVE COUSINS

If you have any further questions or concerns, please contact Mallory Chow or William Heston by using the "contact" button on the retreat page on our website.

**NOTE:** If you'd like to come for only a portion of the weekend or drive down each day rather than staying the night, you are more than welcome to do so. There are also several hotels if you'd prefer to stay somewhere else nearby. **Even if you can only attend part of the retreat, please still register online.**

# CAMP SCHEDULE

## FRIDAY - AUGUST 26<sup>TH</sup>

**5:00 - 7:00 PM ARRIVAL**

**7:00 - 8:00 PM DINNER**

**9:00 PM BONFIRE**

## SATURDAY - AUGUST 27<sup>TH</sup>

**8:00 - 9:00 AM BREAKFAST**

**9:30 - 11:30 AM LEADERSHIP RETREAT**

Childcare for all kids is provided in the morning.

**Ages 0 - 2** Camp Westminster Counselors can monitor play and nap time

**Ages 3 - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade** Counselors will be leading activities

**11:30 - 12:30 PM FREE TIME**

\*\*Foundations Kickoff Meeting

**12:30 - 1:30 PM LUNCH**

\*\*Foundations Participants + Mentors lunch

**2:00 - 5:00 PM ACTIVITIES**

**Ages 0 - 5** Camp Westminster Counselors can monitor play and nap time

**Ages 6+** Counselors will be running activity stations for everyone, so parents will need to somewhat monitor children over 6

**5:00 - 6:00 PM FREE TIME**

**6:00 - 7:00 PM DINNER**

**7:00 - 8:00 PM FREE TIME//TWILIGHT PAINTBALL**

**8:00 PM KARAOKE // SILENT DISCO**

Camp Westminster Counselors will be available to monitor sleeping kids

## SUNDAY - AUGUST 28<sup>TH</sup>

**8:00 - 9:00 AM BREAKFAST**

**9:30 - 11:00 AM CHURCH @ CAMP WESTMINSTER**

**Ages 0-5** Camp Westminster counselors will provide childcare

**11:00 AM PACK UP TO LEAVE LATEST BY NOON**

\*\*SUBJECT TO CHANGE BASED UPON AVAILABILITY OF CAMP COUNSELORS

# let's glorify God.

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## SONGS OF WORSHIP

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### GOD IS SO GOOD

"Nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord." Romans 8:39

No height or depth can separate  
Your steadfast love we can't escape  
Your faithfulness, an endless sea  
So full of grace and mercy  
We sing

#### [CHORUS]

God is so good  
God is so good  
God is so good  
He's so good to me

Haunted by the past no more  
My answers have been restored  
Forgiveness flows from Your veins  
Your kindness shown in all Your ways  
We sing

#### [REPEAT CHORUS]

#### [BRIDGE]

There's never been anyone like You  
There's never been anyone like  
You are worthy, You are worthy  
Never been anyone like You  
Never been anyone like You  
You are worthy, You are worthy

Your hope is rising like the sun  
The old is gone, the new has come  
I fix my eyes on Christ alone  
My Rock, my Shield, my Cornerstone  
We sing

[REPEAT CHORUS]

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## CALL TO WORSHIP

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[ Psalm 23 ]

*The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters. 3 He restores my soul.*

*He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.*

*4 Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. 5 You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. 6 Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*

## STAND IN YOUR LOVE

When darkness tries to roll over my bones  
When sorrow comes to steal the joy I own  
When brokenness and pain is all I know  
I won't be shaken, no, I won't be shaken

**[CHORUS]**

My fear doesn't stand a chance  
When I stand in Your love  
My fear doesn't stand a chance  
When I stand in Your love  
My fear doesn't stand a chance  
When I stand in Your love

Shame no longer has a place to hide  
And I am not a captive to the lies  
I'm not afraid to leave my past behind  
Oh, I won't be shaken, no, I won't be shaken

**[REPEAT CHORUS]**

**[BRIDGE]**

There's power that can break off every chain  
There's power that can empty out a grave  
There's resurrection power that can save  
There's power in Your name, power in Your name

**[REPEAT CHORUS]**

## **ABIDE WITH ME**

Abide with me; falls the eventide;  
The darkness deepens; Lord with me abide.  
When other helpers, fail and comforts flee,  
Help of the helpless, abide with me.

Thou on my head, in early youth didst smile;  
And, though rebellious, and perverse meanwhile,  
Thou hast not left me, though I oft left Thee,  
On to the close Lord, abide with me.

I need Thy presence, every passing hour.  
What but Thy grace, can foil the tempter's power  
Who, like Thyself, my guide and stay can be

Through cloud and sunshine, abide with me.

I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to bless  
Ills have no weight, tears lose their bitterness  
Where is thy sting death? Where grave thy victory  
I triumph still, abide with me.

Hold Thou Thy cross, before my closing eyes;  
Shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies.  
Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee;  
In life, in death, Lord, abide with me.

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## SCRIPTURE READING

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"For whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction, that through endurance and through the encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope." Romans 15:4

### [ John 18:33-38 ]

So Pilate entered his headquarters again and called Jesus and said to him, "Are you the King of the Jews?" **34** Jesus answered, "Do you say this of your own accord, or did others say it to you about me?" **35** Pilate answered, "Am I a Jew? Your own nation and the chief priests have delivered you over to me. What have you done?" **36** Jesus answered, "My kingdom is not of this world. If my kingdom were of this world, my servants would have been fighting, that I might not be delivered over to the Jews. But my kingdom is not from the world." **37** Then Pilate said to him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this purpose I was born and for this purpose I have come into the world—to bear witness to the truth. Everyone who is of the truth listens to my voice." **38** Pilate said to him, "What is truth?" After he had said this, he went back outside to the Jews and told them, "I find no guilt in him.

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## CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

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"Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours" Mark 11:24

## //LORD'S PRAYER//

*Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.  
Your kingdom come, your will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread,  
and forgive us our debts,  
as we also have forgiven our debtors.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from the evil one.  
For yours is the kingdom and the power  
and the glory, forever.  
Amen.*

### MATTHEW 6:9-13

**[ Children of all ages are welcome in the service at  
all times. Anyone going to class may do so now. ]**

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## SERMON

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*"And we impart this in words not taught by human wisdom but taught by the Spirit,  
interpreting spiritual truths to those who are spiritual." 1 Corinthians 2:13*

### **[ 1 Corinthians 12:2 - 3 ]**

You know that when you were pagans you were led astray to mute idols, however you were led. **3** Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking in the Spirit of God ever says "Jesus is accursed!" and no one can say "Jesus is Lord" except in the Holy Spirit.

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## NICENE CREED

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*We believe in one God,  
the Father almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all things visible and invisible.  
And in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
begotten from the Father before all ages,  
God from God,  
Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made;  
of the same essence as the Father.  
Through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven;  
he became incarnate by the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary,  
and was made human.  
He was crucified for us under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered and was buried.  
The third day he rose again, according to the Scriptures.  
He ascended to heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again with glory  
to judge the living and the dead.  
His kingdom will never end.  
And we believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the Lord, the giver of life.  
He proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
and with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified.  
He spoke through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.  
We affirm one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look forward to the resurrection of the dead,  
and to life in the world to come. Amen.*

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# LORD'S SUPPER

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“For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord’s death until he comes” 1 Corinthians 11:26

For Christians, the Lord’s Supper is the most sacred thing we do all week. We believe as Presbyterians that though the bread and wine do not become the physical body and blood, nevertheless something mysterious and spiritual happens when we eat and drink by faith, so that we are spiritually nourished and our union with Christ and one another is signified and sealed. For that reason, anyone who is not a Christian and does not see this as sacramental may feel free to abstain, as we do not want to force you to do something with your body that is inconsistent with your heart. However, the Heidelberg Confession says that for those who are displeased with themselves because of their sins, and yet trust that these are forgiven them, the Supper may help remind them that their weakness and sin is covered by the suffering and death of Christ.

If you think your child is ready to go through confirmation and receive communion, please contact Beth.

The following are some prayers to consider as you receive or refrain from communion. Obviously a person could potentially pray more than one of these prayers at once.

## **Prayer for those searching for Truth**

Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth, and the life. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open to me the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convincing, and that leads to the life that you promise. Amen.

## **Prayer of Belief**

Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross, and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as Savior and Lord. Amen.

## **Prayer for Those Struggling with Sin**

Lord Jesus, grant that I may see in you the fulfillment of all my desires and needs, and may turn from every false satisfaction to feed on you, the true and living bread. Enable me to lay aside the sin that clings so closely, and run with perseverance the race set before me, looking to you, the pioneer and perfecter of my faith. Amen.

## **Prayer of Commitment**

Lord Jesus, you have called us to follow you in baptism, and in a life of committed discipleship in your church. Grant that I may take the necessary steps to be one with your people, and live in the fullness of your Spirit.

## **TODAY IF YOU HEAR HIM**

Today if you hear him, skipping rocks on the river  
Laughing in the garden, like when you were young  
Today if you hear him, walking through the pine woods  
Racing down the big hill, calling you to come

Don't be too grown, oh, for your own sake  
Let the children come, let us become like children today

Today if you hear him, let your feet take off running  
Don't worry who is watching, let him kiss you on the face

Don't be too grown, oh, for your own sake  
Let the children come, let us become like children today

Let the children come, let us become like children today

## **AMAZING GRACE**

Amazing Grace how sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me

I once was lost, but now I'm found  
Was blind but now I see

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear  
And grace my fears relieved  
How precious did that grace appear  
The hour I first believed

Through many dangers, toils, and snares  
I have already come  
'Tis grace that brought me safe thus far  
And grace will lead me home

When we've been here ten thousand years  
Bright, shining as the sun  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
Than when we first begun

Amazing Grace how sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me  
I once was lost, but now I'm found  
Was blind but now I see

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## BENEDICTION

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[ **Psalm 121:5 - 8** ]

*“The Lord is your keeper; the Lord is your shade on your right hand. The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in from this time forth and forevermore.”*

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# in the know.

**MEMBERSHIP** If you have completed both membership classes and would like to join the church on September 18, please fill out the membership application found here by August 19. If you are planning on being baptized or having your child baptized on September 18, please let Beth know.

**DISCIPLESHIP GROUPS** Discipleship groups will be starting back up again in the fall! If you are interested in being part of one of these groups, please email Beth (women) or Steve McGuire (men), mcguire.stephen@gmail.com.

**SUMMER LADIES NIGHT** Join us for our 2nd ladies night of the summer as we hear how God is working in the lives of a few ladies in our church. It will be on August 15th at 7:30pm at Amy Walker Barrs' house (1616 E. Nancy Creek Dr.). Please email Beth if you have any questions.

## **MOM'S CONNECT EQUIPPING CLASS**

***Motherhood Without All The Rules*** book discussion with Kelly Varalla and Diana Shaw. Time: 9:30am-11:30am Dates: 9/15, 9/22, 9/26, 10/6  
Childcare provided. Please sign up at on the website for childcare.

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## **CONNECT WITH US**

If you would like prayer for something specific, are new to the church, or would like to meet with a church leader for any reason, please text your information to 770.241.8131 or fill out the connect form on the website.

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