

WELCOME TO FUGE CAMPS

Parents,

We are so excited your child will experience a life-changing week of camp this summer! Thank you for allowing us to partner with you in discipling your child. The information in this packet contains camp details you will want to know about and pass along to your child. Please let us know if you have any questions. You can contact me at (423)215-0880, (865)354-3300, or jstorey@fbcrockwood.com

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WHAT WILL YOUR CHILD BE DOING THIS WEEK?

Your child will be attending Centrifuge at North Greenville University and will include:

- Graded Bible studies with students from other churches
- Recreation
- Afternoon track times
- Worship
- Church group time
- Camp-wide fellowships

CAMP SCHEDULE

SAMPLE CAMP SCHEDULE CF = Centrifuge, MF = MFuge

Note: Unless noted, the schedule element applies to everyone

Opening Day

- 1:00 - 4:00 PM Registration
- 5:00 PM Dinner
- 7:00 PM Opening Celebration
- 7:30 PM Students: Bible Study
- Adults: Adult Gathering
- 8:45 PM Worship
- 10:15 PM Church Group Time
- 11:00 PM In Rooms

Full Day 1

- 7:00 AM Breakfast
- 8:00 AM Morning Celebration
- 9:00 AM Students: Quiet Time-Bible Study (MF)/Recreation(CF)
Adults: Adult Gathering (MF)
- 10:30 AM Students: Quiet Time-Bible Study (CF)/Site Planning(MF)

- 11:00 AM Adults: Adult Gathering (CF)
- 11:00 AM Lunch (MF)
- 11:45 AM Site Send-Off (MF)
- 12:00 PM Lunch (CF)
- 1:00 PM Track Rally (CF)
- 1:15 PM Track A (CF)
- 2:15 PM Track Rally (CF)
- 2:30 PM Track B (CF)
- 4:00 PM Return from Sites / Hang Time
- 5:00 PM Dinner
- 7:00 PM Worship
- 8:30 PM Church Group Time
- 10:00 PM Hang Time
- 11:00 PM In Rooms

Day 2 (Program elements prior to this are the same as Full Day 1)

- 9:45 PM Night Life
- 10:30 PM Hang Time
- 11:00 PM In Rooms

Day 3 (Program elements prior to this are the same as Full Day 1)

- 9:45 PM Mega Relay
- 11:00 PM In Rooms

Closing Day

- 7:00 AM Breakfast
- 8:30 AM Students: Bible Study
Adults: Adult Gathering
- 9:45 AM Closing Celebration
- 10:45 AM Churches Depart

Note: Subject to change by camp location.

DRESS CODE:

While at camp, we ask students and adults to:

- Wear modest shorts. When hands are extended to the back or the front, fingertips must touch the fabric.
- Sleeveless shirts **(NO WIFE BEATER TYPE SHIRTS)** and tank tops are now allowed during daytime activities. Shirts with spaghetti straps, open backs, or excessive armpit cutouts which expose the torso and undergarments are NOT allowed.
- **Large t-shirts that cover shorts may not be worn.**
- Wear closed-toe and closed-heel shoes while at recreation and track times and during Mega Relay.

If a water activity requires a bathing suit, it must meet the established standard of the Rockwood First Baptist Student Ministry.

- Young women will wear a modest, one-piece bathing suit covered with a dark-colored t-shirt.
- Young men will wear modest swimming trunks or shorts a dark-colored t-shirt.
- T-shirts are to be always worn while participating in water activities.

Worship Time

- Wear modest shorts, pants, jeans, or dresses for worship. Dresses with spaghetti or small straps, open backs, and excessively short lengths are unacceptable (when hands are extended to the back or the front, fingertips must touch the fabric). Modest sleeveless tops are allowed in worship.

Do Not Bring or Wear

- Do not dress in a way that calls attention to underwear (sagging your pants, rolling down your waistbands, etc.) or wear pants or shorts with lettering on the bottom.
- Do not bring clothing that advertises alcohol, tobacco, illegal drugs.
- Do not bring clothing that explicitly or implicitly promotes racism, sexism, or hatred of any group or person.
- Do not bring clothing that explicitly or implicitly refers to sexual actions or situations.
- Do not bring clothing that has spaghetti straps, except for sleepwear.
- Do not bring clothing that is excessively short or tight fitting.

WHAT TO PACK

- Linens (sheets for a twin bed), towels, pillows, blankets
- Water bottle you can refill and carry with you
- Closed-toe, closed-heel shoes (for outdoor activities)
- Bible, notepad, and pen
- Toiletries such as toothbrush and shampoo
- Sun protection
- Spending money for snacks, camp store, and missions offering (optional)
- Summer clothing (see dress code)
- Your favorite space/galaxy attire for Mega Relay

WHAT NOT TO PACK

- Alcohol, tobacco, vaping items, hookah, illegal drugs, fireworks, water guns, or any kind of weapon.
- Items that may be used for pranks such as water balloons, shaving cream, silly string
NOTE: Pranks are not allowed at camp. Your church will be charged for any damages or issues related to clean up.
- iPads, iPods, gaming devices, roller blades or skateboards
NOTE: If students bring cell phones or other electronics, they are not to be out and in use during programming elements: Morning Celebrating, Bible Study, Worship, Night Life, Recreation, and Track Times/Ministry Tracks.

CAMP RULES

CELL PHONES

- The decision of cell phone usage at camp is in the hands of the Group Leader of each church. (No phones during worship, small groups, or group activities.)
- Throughout the week, some elements may allow students and adults to join in via social media (i.e., Twitter, Instagram, Facebook, etc.) However, these opportunities are optional and will not limit the camp experience for those who do not participate.
- Unless instructed by staff, students with cell phones are not allowed to have them out or in use during programming elements: Morning Celebration, Bible Study, Worship, Night Life, Recreation and Track Times/Ministry Tracks. Ringers should be turned to silent or vibrate.

MUSIC and MUSIC PLAYERS (CELL PHONES)

- Staff cannot monitor all music to verify that it is appropriate so there will be no music or headphones allowed. We are on a spiritual trip and do not want the distraction of non-religious music. Any music played will be provided by leaders or FUGE Camp staff.

ACTIVITIES

- Participate in all activities and be on time.
- Drink plenty of water and eat three meals a day. (Bring a refillable water bottle.)
- Wear closed-toe and closed-heel shoes to recreation and ministry sites.
- Wear your nametag at all times. (You cannot get into cafeteria without your nametag.)
- Name calling, fighting, bullying, arguing, profanity or any other aggressive behaviors are strictly prohibited at camp. Play safely and use good sportsmanship.
- Always have a buddy. Don't go it alone.

HOUSING

- Be in your room by 11:00 PM with lights out no later than 11:30 PM.
- No guys in girls' rooms or hallways and no girls in guys' rooms or hallways.
- No public displays of affection.
- No practical jokes.
- Housing areas should be kept clean, in order, and free from damage. Churches will be responsible for any damage to the room.
- Valuables such as money, jewelry, and phones should be properly safeguarded.
- All campers are expected to respect the rights and property of others.
- Loud noise and similar intrusive behaviors are prohibited.
- Athletic activities such as running, playing and throwing are prohibited in housing areas. These and similar activities are to be done outside.

WORSHIP

Because we desire worship to be reverent and distraction free, we request:

- No video and flash photography are allowed in the worship center before or during the worship service.

- If campers must leave to go to the restroom, they should have an adult sponsor escort them. Make sure students go to the restroom before they go to worship.
- No gum, food, or drinks in the worship center.

LOCATION INFORMATION

North Greenville University

7801 N. Tigerville Road
Tigerville, South Carolina 29688 USA

North Greenville University is in Tigerville in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains near Greenville, SC. The campus setting provides a panoramic view of the surrounding mountains, with the college itself situated on the summit of a rolling hill amid acres of land. NGU has hosted FUGE camps since 1982 and is now one of our largest locations. We offer both Centrifuge and MFUGE at NGU.

Amenities

The NGU campus offers a game room, campus bookstore, Chick-Fil-A, tennis courts, gym, lake with kayaking, hiking trails, and more! NOTE: Restaurants and stores like Walmart are about 15 minutes away, in Traveler's Rest. There is a general store and gas station across the street from campus, but Papa John's Pizza is the only restaurant in the store. Housing: Most camper housing is suite-style dorms with two people per room sharing a bath with another room of two. Please be aware that your group is personally responsible for damage to any facilities including but not limited to the dorm room your group occupies. The facility will also ask you to pay for any lost keys.

NIGHT LIFE DETAILS

This summer, we will offer two night life options in addition to Mega Relay. One will be a fun fellowship time and the other will have a mission emphasis.

Night Life 1 (At The Movies)

Night Life at the Movies is a themed outdoor event where students attend as the stars of the camp going out to the movies, except its FUGE style. Students will get to walk down the red carpet, pose in front of murals, and get their picture snapped by the VP of the camp. The pictures will be for a surprise later in the week, so you don't want to miss out!

After arrival, students can bring their own blanket to place on the ground and watch a movie under the stars screened outside. There will be another movie screened inside the auditorium as another option for people wanting more of a theater experience. Popcorn stands and other activities will be happening throughout for students to experience and enjoy the Night Life option together.

Night Life 2 (Images of God)

Images of God Night Life is a missions-focused, walk-through experience. Students will visit stations and an immersive room that goes in-depth on why we care about missions, the Embera people, and how to see and love them as image bearers of God. The Night Life will end with an acoustic worship set and dismissal to church group time after.

Mega Relay

This summer's Mega Relay theme is Yee-Haw. Encourage students to bring western/cowboy wear during Mega Relay.

PARENT DEVOTIONS

Parent devotions are resources that will allow you to study what your child is learning in Bible Study.

IN HIS IMAGE OVERVIEW

Our theme this summer is 'In His Image'. Below is an overview of what your child will be studying in Bible study. This theme will be carried throughout camp programming.

At some point in our lives, we have all struggled with our image - what we look like, who we really are, how we fit in, and what we stand for. As humans, we are uniquely created in the image of God. If you believe this to be true, what does that mean for your life and others around you? As Christians, we are called to bear this image as Christ did on earth. Therefore, we are called to live as a new creation, one who is set apart and is a reflection of the God who created us and loves us.

“We all, with unveiled faces, are looking as in a mirror at the glory of the Lord and are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory; this is from the Lord who is the Spirit.” 2 Corinthians 3:18

DAY ONE: IMAGE OF GOD

Scriptures: Genesis 1:27, Psalm 139:13-16, Deuteronomy 7:6-9, Galatians 3:13-14

Key Verse: “I will praise you because I have been remarkably and wondrously made. Your works are wondrous, and I know this very well.” Psalm 139:14

Life Question: What does it mean to be created in the image of God?

God created us in His image. He set apart the Israelites as His chosen people. As believers, we are called to bear God’s image as Christ did on earth.

DAY TWO: IMAGE DISTORTED

Scriptures: Genesis 3:6-7, Exodus 32:1-6, Romans 1:22-25

Key Verse: “For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.” Romans 3:23

Life Question: What have you allowed to distort the Image of God in your life?

Do you find your identity in Christ or in the world? Sin distorted the Image of God in our lives, resulting in a broken relationship with Him. The Israelites turned from God and created their own image and worshiped it.

DAY THREE: IMAGE RENEWED

Scriptures: Isaiah 53:1-12, 2 Corinthians 4:16-17, Colossians 3: 9-11

Key Verse: “Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has passed away, and see, the new has come!” 2 Corinthians 5:17

Life Question: Have you experienced renewal through the new covenant of Christ? What impact does that have on your daily life?

The Old Testament is filled with Scriptures pointing to the promise of a coming Messiah to fulfill the law and to be the ultimate sacrifice for sin. Jesus came as the prophesied new covenant to replace the old covenant made with the Israelites. Through Him, our relationship with the Father is renewed.

DAY FOUR: IMAGE SHARED

Scriptures: Matthew 9:36-38, Matthew 28:18-20, Acts 1:6-8

Key Verse: “Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.” Matthew 28:19

Life Question: Who in your life needs to know that they were created in the image of God?

What is keeping you from sharing? Everyone is created in God’s image. Jesus was the image of God on earth and therefore is the perfect example of how to share this image with others. So, like Christ, we are to have compassion on them and share the love of God with them.