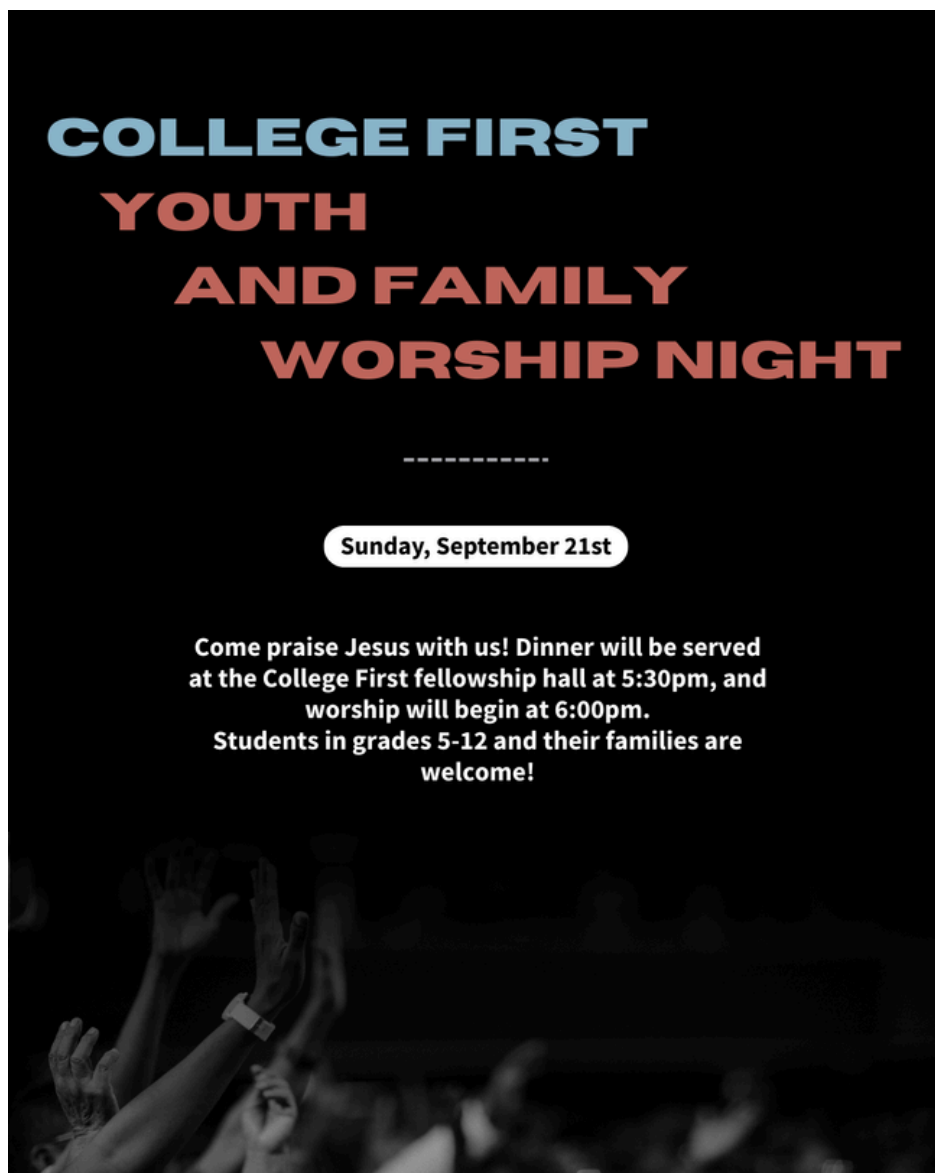




Hi College First Families,

This Sunday, September 21st, please join us for our Youth and Family Worship Night! This will be a time for students and their families to gather and worship Jesus together in fellowship. Some of our students will be reading scripture and saying prayers. If there are any questions, feel free to reach out to Pastor Nancy. We are looking forward to seeing you here!



On Sunday, September 28th, we will be having a craft night during our Youth Group time. We will be making jump ropes, which will be put in our Operation Christmas Child boxes. This event is open to anyone from 5th grade to Young Adulthood. It is a fun way to make a difference in the lives of children who are growing up in less fortunate circumstances.

JUMP ROPE CRAFT NIGHT



HELP MAKE A TOY FOR A CHILD IN NEED

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

5:30-7:30PM

COLLEGE FIRST FELLOWSHIP HAL

OPEN TO ANYONE 5TH GRADE THROUGH
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COLLEGE FIRST YOUTH AND FAMILY WORSHIP NIGHT

Sunday, September 21st

**Come praise Jesus with us! Dinner will be served
at the College First fellowship hall at 5:30pm, and
worship will begin at 6:00pm.
Students in grades 5-12 and their families are
welcome!**



We would also like to take a moment to introduce a new member of our Student Ministry Team, Caitlyn Myers. Caitlyn is a great addition to our team, and we are so excited to have her!



~Caitlyn Myers

Caitlyn graduated from UF in December 2023 with a degree in early childhood and special education and is working on getting her masters in reading. She taught for 1.5 years at Upper Sandusky Middle school and now teaches at Liberty-Benton High School as an intervention specialist. She has attended Gateway for 5 years, but had a covenant connect partner at College First. She appreciates how wonderful the community has been already. She has been looking to get more involved with youth ministries and is excited to be helping with encounter and youth group. She grew up in the church and her mom is a church pianist! She has spent her summer recently camp counseling which she really enjoys. She also loves to cook, ride motorcycles, and spend time with her animals in her free time. She can always be found with a good book!

Here are a few pictures from our first Bible Quizzing practice of the season:



WHAT'S HAPPENING

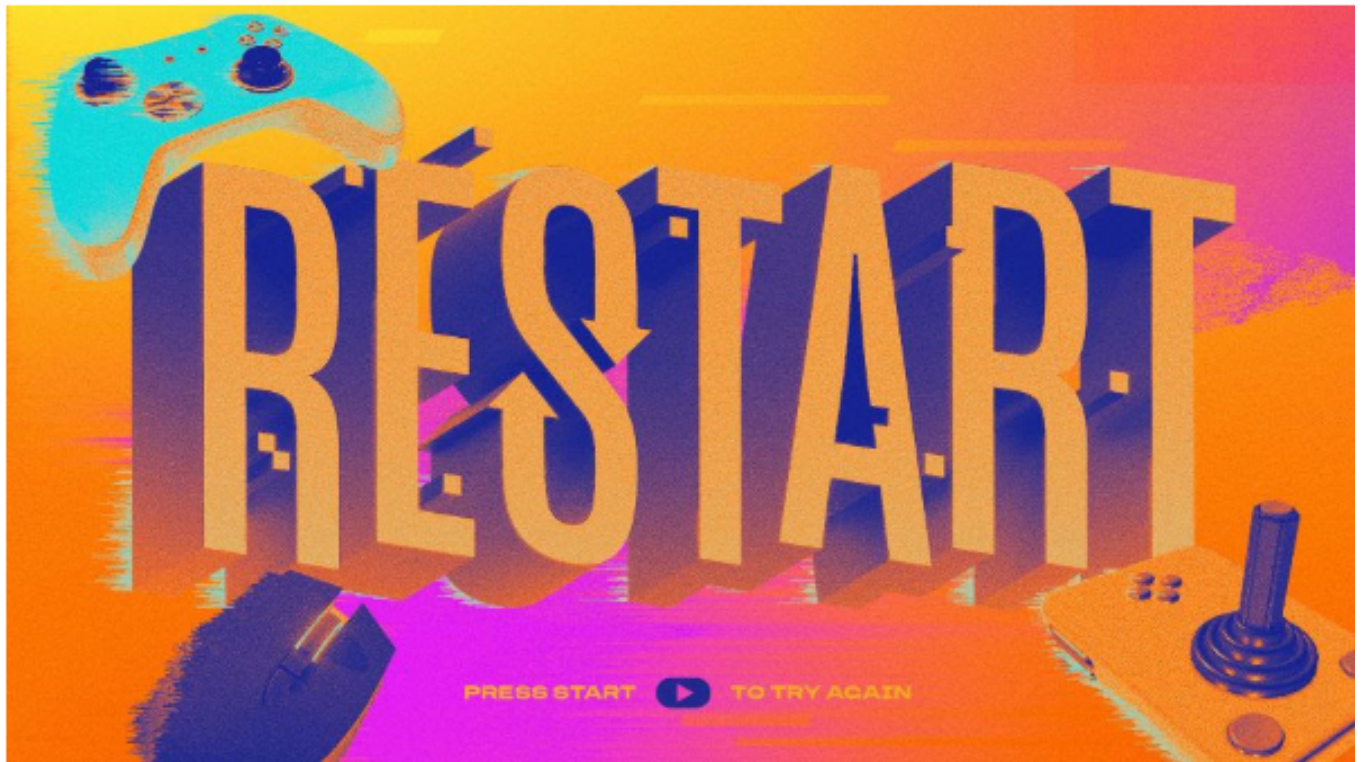
Here are a few things coming up in our ministry . . .

September 21st - Family Worship Night

October 12th- Suter's Corn Maze Night

November 16th- Operation Christmas Child Shopping Extravaganza

WHAT WE'RE TEACHING



RESTART: A 4-Week Series from the Gospels and Old Testament on God's Promises

SERIES OVERVIEW:

In a video game, you expect to face challenges and make mistakes, but there's always a way out. If things get too difficult, you can just turn it off and start over. In real life, it's not so easy for us to recover from mistakes or start over when we face challenges, but Jesus gives us a chance to restart— no matter how difficult our circumstances. In this 4-week series from the Old and New Testaments, we'll look at a few people who needed God's help to give them a restart. From their stories, we'll discover four promises from God we can trust: **when we feel like a failure, God helps us restart**, and at times in our lives, **when we feel overwhelmed, God takes care of us**. If you ever **feel stuck, God gives you guidance**, and if you ever **feel unwanted, God says you belong**.