

We are planning a summer camp opportunity for Mid High Youth, incoming 6th graders to incoming 8th graders.

I. **SURGE** will take place at **Lake Junaluska, NC**, in the Great Smoky Mountains, **July 16th-20th**.

II. **SURGE** events will focus on the Imago Dei, the image of God, inside each young person. **SURGE** will examine how God has created us with divine mission, how we have corrupted that image, and how Jesus came to restore God's place in our lives. Youth won't want to miss the powerful worship, the life-changing small groups, the interactive workshops-and loads of fun! This year, **SURGE** will explore new opportunities for your young people to be in mission, putting the experience of God in worship to work. Tim Reave's southern accent and wacky sense of humor will highlight the final event of the Lake Junaluska's summer line up. The **SURGE** house band rocks one last time as Tim challenges young people to live out their convictions with boldness and to live out the image of God that lies within them. In addition to worship, workshops, and mission work, there will also be time for free sightseeing.

III. For the trip to "make", we need a minimum of four Youth, one adult female chaperone (Ms. Sarah) and one adult male chaperone (Mason Faulk) registered by May 1. Maximum group size is ten Youth. So the focus can be on Youth rather than Family, no younger siblings are allowed. Also, additional adults may attend only if the adult to youth ratio is at least 1:3 and if there is room in the vehicle(s). All adults must complete our Child Protection Policy training.

IV. Costs. Program, housing and meals while at Lake Junaluska are \$250 including a deposit of \$50 paid by May 1; \$265 including \$65 deposit if made after May 1. Payment in full is due by July 8. CCUMC will pay transportation costs for the group, and registration, room and board for one male and one female chaperone. Not included: food while driving to/from Lake Junaluska; activities during free time.

V. We understand that financial issues and family schedules may not make this trip available to everyone. We will work with those registering to do fund-raising events. We will also schedule other low-cost day trips during the summer.

Sincerely,

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