

MISSION/VISION

MISSION: Leading people to move one step closer to Jesus Christ every day

VISION: To become a church fully committed to reaching the unchurched

FAMILY MIN

LITTLE SAFARI

For kids birth-5 years old - "Where kids can get wild about God." We want parents to understand that we value your children & strive to provide environments help them grow & are engaging for kids. We have awesome volunteers who care about your preschoolers & want you to have an worry-free experience in the Auditorium.

VELOCITY

For kids in K-5th grade - "Because life moves fast". We strive to provide a relevant, engaging, fun, & safe environment for our VELOCITY kids. But we also want to partner with you - the parent. We're committed to being the best resource we can be to your family & give out weekly resources to ensure that.

TRANSIT

For students in 6th-8th grade (@ 10:45a) - "Because transitioning from a kid to a teen is hard". Not only is TRANSIT a blast with relevant teaching & fun games, but we want students to have a group of friends to do life with & a SG Leader guiding them

INSIDE OUT

For students in 9th-12th grade (@ 4:00p) - "Because living out what we believe on the inside is a big step". Not only is INSIDE OUT a blast with relevant teaching & fun games, but we want students to have a group of friends to do life with & a SG Leader guiding them through all the things that come with making decisions as a high school student.

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NINETEEN



WHAT'S HAPPENING @ CORE

BAPTISM @ CORE

If you have a relationship with Jesus Christ, baptism is an exciting and important step to take in your faith. It is an opportunity to go public with your faith and life-change Christ has made in you. We believe baptism is a personal decision made after you decide to follow Jesus. During our Sunday Morning Service on February 23, we will be offering baptism to anyone interested. If you are interested in baptism or would like more information, please fill out a RED CARD in the seatback in front of you or email us at bencarver@corecommunitychurch.com.

CORE 101

Have you just started coming to Core? Ever wanted to know a little more about Core? CORE 101 is the perfect place to learn more about Core and our staff. It's also a great way to find out how to get plugged in & start partnering with us to reach our community and out world – for whenever you might be ready to jump in. Our next CORE 101 is Sunday, March 16 @ 12:15p – immediately following the 2nd service – in the Adult Meeting Room. It will last for 60 minutes. Lunch & childcare are provided. Registration is strongly encouraged for CORE 101. Registration is available at our website (corecommunity.church) or by stopping at the Connections Booth.

GATHER 25

In 2025, the founders of the IF Conference have launched an initiative to gather the ENTIRE CHURCH. For 25 hours, the global church will be gathered around the world to unify & lift one voice. Core is joining the movement. This is a chance for us to be a part of something bigger than ourselves spanning across the United States, United Kingdom, Malaysia, Romania, Rwanda, New Zealand, & Peru. We will be kicking it off with a powerful Night of Worship on Friday, February 28 @ 7:00p and capping it off with a powerful service on Saturday, March 1 @ 7:00p. This could jumpstart something deeper in your faith, in our church, & across the global church. Let's gather!

VERTICAL REALITY

Vertical Reality is a weekend retreat for high school students (9th-12th) that helps them know Jesus better, deepens their relationships, and sends them home with practical tools to put their faith into action. The dates are February 28-March 2 and the camp is located in Hillsdale, Michigan. The cost is \$140 which covers lodging, meals, and transportation to camp. You can register for Vertical Reality by following this link – <https://lifehouse.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/384/responses/new>.

NEXT STEPS @ CORE

BAPTISM

Baptism is an important step for every person who follows Jesus Christ. It is an opportunity to publicly declare your faith in Jesus Christ and follow His example of being baptized. Baptism is a way to show the change Jesus Christ has made in your life.

COMMUNITY GROUPS

Community Groups are an opportunity to join a group of people in a similar stage of life as you. At Core, we believe that no one is meant to do life alone and that spiritual growth happens best in circles, not in rows. Find a group to do life together with. To get more info on a group, visit our website & click on the NEXT STEPS tab.

GIVING

Everything we do at Core Community Church is made possible through the incredible generosity of people here. If you are new to Core, we don't want you to feel any obligation to give. At Core, we believe giving is an incredible way to trust God with your finances. It is a way for us to give back what He has given us to ensure lost people are being reached in our community and around the world. At Core, we are committed to being great stewards of the money entrusted to us. We offer ONLINE GIVING for your convenience. You can give online by visiting our website (corecommunity.church) and click on the NEXT STEPS tab. GIVING BOXES are located at the back of the Auditorium.

GLOBAL IMPACT SPONSORSHIP

One of our big "Global Impact" initiatives is our partnership with 2 Care Points around the world—one in Guatemala (Puerta de Esperanza) and one in Uganda (Odudui). Our Care Points service over 300 kids with food, healthcare, school supplies, schooling, clothing, and other necessary needs. Core sponsors 125+ kids at our Care Points. For more info, visit hopechest.org/puerta-de-esperanza/ or hopechest.org/odudui.

SERVING

At Core, we value service. We believe that our church is stronger with everyone working together. One of the best ways to get connected & grow in your relationship with Christ is through serving on a ministry team. There are multiple areas to get involved & we are always in need of new, excited volunteers! If you would like more info, grab a "Put Me In Coach" card in the seat pocket in front of you, and drop it in the GIVING BOX.