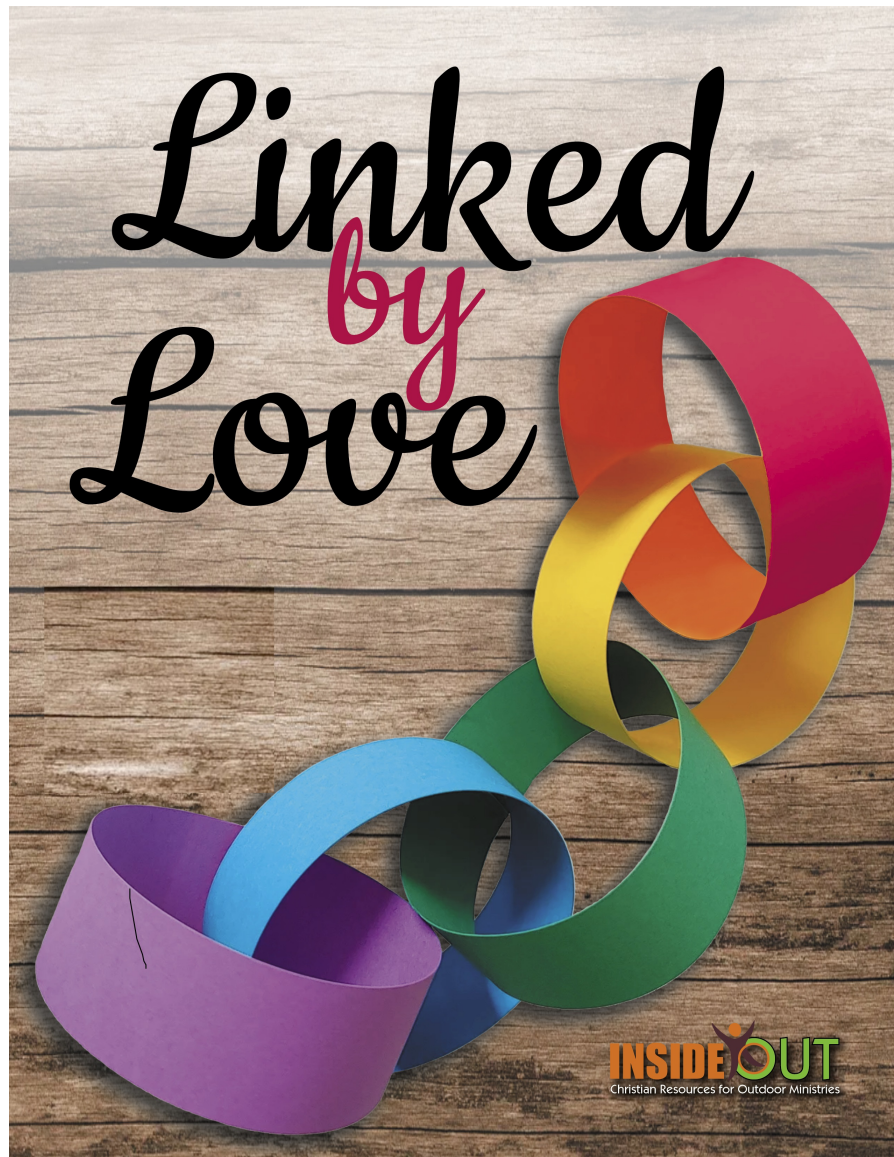


*2024 CCNC-N*  
*Registration Guide*  
*for*  
*Summer Camps*  
at the  
Community of the Great Commission



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# WELCOME TO **Linked by LOVE!**

## CGC CAMP 2024

Welcome again to family groups, silly games, crafts, and joyful sounds at CGC. This registration packet contains the information you need to make decisions and to plan and register for camp. We will eliminate all Covid-19 protocols this summer. If Covid-19 numbers, CDC guidelines, or California Public Health Department indicate that camp needs to take new precautions, we will inform all registrants and offer full refunds as desired.

- It is the strong preference of the Outdoor Ministry Committee and the Christian Church (DOC) of Northern California/Nevada Region, that, if possible and available to them, campers, the site staff and volunteer staff should be vaccinated prior to camp.
- Please administer a Covid test the day of arrival at camp.
- If a camper or counselor shows symptoms of COVID during camp, that individual will be isolated with proper supervision, and a COVID test will be taken. If positive, parents/guardians will be called to take the camper home.
- Masks will be completely optional. This choice will be honored by all.

### **All registration will be online at [ccncn.org](http://ccncn.org)**

We invite you to join in the excitement, pray for the success of camp 2024, and register for camp with great expectations.

Leanne Stump, Director of Outdoor Ministries, CCNC-N

### **Information on Camp Scholarships**

The Region has been blessed to receive a generous bequest that will allow us to offer scholarships of 30-50% of the cost of camp. Partnerships among parents, congregations and the Christian Church of Northern California-Nevada will help ensure that any camper who wants to attend camp may be able to do so. Please see the scholarship request form at the end of this registration form to request the help that you might need.

LaTaunya Bynum, Regional Minister, CCNC-N

# **Summer Camp 2024**

## **At the Community of the Great Commission (CGC)**

June 23 - June 27	Junior Camp (Completed 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup> , and 5 <sup>th</sup> grades by June 2024)
June 23 - June 29	Chi Rho Camp (Completed 6 <sup>th</sup> , 7 <sup>th</sup> , and 8 <sup>th</sup> grades by June 2024)
June 23 – June 29 2024)	CYF Camp (Completed 9 <sup>th</sup> , 10 <sup>h</sup> , 11 <sup>th</sup> and 12 <sup>th</sup> grades by June
June 28 – June 30	JOY Camp (Completed K, 1 <sup>st</sup> , and 2 <sup>nd</sup> grades by June 2024 and a Grandparent or other Adult Companion)

**Invite a friend to register with you!**

## Congregational Camp Registrar Information

Each congregation recruits a Congregational Camp Registrar who will:

1. Promote a CCNC-N Camp Awareness Month of April and note the Registration Due Date on Wednesday, May 29, 2024.
2. Encourage and help parents and campers to 1) complete online registration forms, 2) complete online Regional Camp Scholarship Form if needed, 3) complete online Waiver Form, and 4) understand the portion of camp registration costs that will be paid by the congregation, the region, and the registration balance due by campers before designated due dates.

**MAY 29 DUE DATE for online registrations for Early Bird registration fee:**  
**\$490 for Chi Rho and CYF and \$350 for Junior Camp**  
**JOY Camp**  
**Claar House - Adult \$160 Child \$95**  
**Holland Cabin - Adult \$130 Child \$75**  
**RV or Tent - Adult \$115 Child \$65**

1. Complete online CGC Registration
2. Complete all online Regional Camp Scholarship requests – Scholarship requests will not be accepted after May 29.
3. Print the registration confirmation and give to Congregational Camp Registrar at your church.

**May 30-June 8 FINAL DUE DATE for all Youth Community of the Great Commission Camps at \$550. No registrations will be accepted after this date!**

Work with the Pastor:

- To determine what amount of camp registration fee parents/campers owe
- To determine what amount the congregation will pay
- To determine whether a Regional Camp Scholarship is needed. Have parents (if a youth camper) or adult (if adult camper) fill out Regional Camp Scholarship form online.

The required accompanying Pastoral letters documenting financial need can be emailed to [lataunya@ccncn.org](mailto:lataunya@ccncn.org) or mailed to:

**Christian Church of Northern California-Nevada**  
**9260 Alcosta Blvd., Suite C-22**  
**San Ramon, CA 94583-4143**

3. Request from the church treasurer **ONE CHECK** for the congregational portion of all campers' fees. **Send check, Pastor signature page, and Registrar's Worksheet** to the Regional Office with **Attn: Camp Coordinator.**

4. ***Do a happy dance to be sending youth and adults to camp!!!***



**This section to be completed by your Pastor:**

\_\_\_\_\_ I have read the covenant and am familiar with the CCNC-N policies and procedures. I affirm the efforts of the leaders to provide a safe camp experience and to create a positive Christian community. I expect the directors to communicate with me any serious violations of the covenant. I am satisfied that the campers from my congregation meet the age requirements of the camp, and I recommend that they be registered for the camp requested.

\_\_\_\_\_ I have included information that would be helpful in assisting the camp staff.

\_\_\_\_\_ **I have further information that would be helpful in assisting the camp staff, and I would like a phone call from the director.**

This information will be kept confidential.

Pastor's  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor's Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Office Mobile

## Congregational Camp Registrar's Worksheet

Church	Check No.				Amount \$		
Name	Camp Designator Circle one				Family Payment	Church Scholarship	Regional Scholarship Request
	Junior	Chi Rho	JOY	CYF	<b>Online</b>		
	Junior	Chi Rho	JOY	CYF	\$	\$	\$
	Junior	Chi Rho	JOY	CYF	\$	\$	\$
	Junior	Chi Rho	JOY	CYF	\$	\$	\$
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	Junior	Chi Rho	JOY	CYF	\$	\$	\$

**Registrars, please use this worksheet to track camper payments, church scholarships and regional scholarship requests. Send this sheet to the Regional Office with your check for church scholarships by the POSTMARK DEADLINE of May 29. All regional scholarship requests must have an accompanying pastor letter.**

## Information about Camp at the Community of the Great Commission

*Keep this page to help you plan for camp.*

At the Community of the Great Commission, campers enjoy swimming, hiking, crafts, games, fun activities, and campfires under the stars. Worship, singing, Bible study, group discussions, and time for personal devotion enrich campers' lives throughout the week. Compared to other camps, CGC is small. Our focus is on building relationships with each other and with God. Camp staff members are chosen for their spiritual maturity and their commitment to outdoor ministry. They are adults who are themselves on a faith journey, and their desire is to encourage others to grow in faith. For the safety of all children and youth campers, each adult counselor and director submits to a criminal background check. Additional forms and information about camp can be found on the regional church website at [www.ccn.org](http://www.ccn.org).

### Location

CGC is located at 4,000 feet on the western slope of the Sierra Nevada Mountains, 25 miles east of Auburn. Although cooler than the Sacramento/San Joaquin Valleys, summer temperatures are still quite warm. Campers sleep in cabins that have wooden bunk beds with mattresses. In the Bobbitt area each cabin has a toilet and a shower. The summer cabins share a bath house. The camp has a beautiful swimming pool, trails for hiking, program buildings, athletic facilities and a dining hall.

### Medical Care & Emergencies

Medical care is provided by a Camp Medical Supervisor who is an RN and/or certified in First Aid and CPR. The nearest hospital to camp is in Auburn. There is a doctor's office located in Forest Hill. In case of emergency there are paramedic units located in Foresthill, about seven miles away. All medical costs incurred during camp are to be paid by parents/guardians or adult campers if not covered by personal or camp insurance. The camp phones are for emergencies and camp business only. If there is an emergency and you need to contact someone at camp, the camp phone number is: **530-367-2370** (the camp business line). Claar is 539-367-2387 and Bobbitt is 530-367-2378 where you may reach an answering machine.

### Mail at Camp

Campers (and counselors!) love to receive mail. Address letters and postcards to: Camper's Name, Name of Camp (**Adult, CYF, Chi Rho, Junior or JOY Camp** (Formerly Grandparents & Me Camp) Community of the Great Commission, 30303 Chicken Hawk Road, Foresthill, CA 95631. Please be sure your mail has the correct postage and is mailed before Wednesday in order to arrive at CGC by Friday. Remember, letters and postcards must be no smaller than 5 x 3 ½ inches. For items sent overnight or by FedEx, please sign the waiver so that it may be delivered without a signature. Do not send packages with food or other items inappropriate for camp (see below).

### Arrival/Departure

The development of a special camp "community" begins the moment campers arrive at CGC. Campers who arrive late or leave early disrupt that development. All children and youth campers must arrive on time and stay through the end of camp.

**Junior camps will begin on Sunday at 3:00 and end Thursday at 11:00am**

**Chi Rho camps will begin on Sunday at 3:00 and end Saturday at 11:00am**

**CYF camps begin Sunday with arrival at 3:00pm and no later than 5:00pm. Camp will end on Saturday at 11:00am.**

**JOY Camp (Formerly Grandparents and Me) begins Friday at 2:00pm and ends Sunday at 11:30am.**



## What to bring to camp

- ✓ Bible
- ✓ Sleeping bag (or sheets and blanket) & pillow
- ✓ Clothes (keep in mind the warm afternoons and cool nights at CGC as well as the red dirt!)
- ✓ Pajamas
- ✓ Appropriate swimwear
- ✓ Extra socks (they get dirty fast!)
- ✓ Long pants & long-sleeved shirt and sweatshirt or jacket for evenings
- ✓ Closed-toed shoes and water shoes for pool wear
- ✓ Water Bottle labeled with your name
- ✓ Sun block, hat
- ✓ Lip balm with sunscreen
- ✓ Small stick of antiperspirant (eases itch from mosquito bites)
- ✓ Insect Repellent
- ✓ Towel (for showers & swimming)
- ✓ Toiletries – soap in a container, shampoo, toothpaste, brush, etc.
- ✓ Flashlight
- ✓ Camera
- ✓ Letters to home kit (paper, envelopes, pen and stamps)
- ✓ Money for offering
- ✓ Prescription Medication in original containers with clearly readable name and dosage to be given to camp nurse
- ✓ Any other items indicated by the camp director in a director's letter sent out before camp begins
- ✓ **A note signed by your parent or guardian stating who will drive you to camp and who will drive you back home from camp**

Please **do not bring any food items, chewing gum, or valuables with you to camp.** Having food in the cabins will attract the animals that live at CGC. Cabins are for people, not bugs, raccoons, bears, or deer!

### **New Cell Phone Policy for Chi Rho and CYF Campers:**

Phones will be collected at check in. Campers will have thirty minutes to an hour each day during free time to access their phones. We want our campers to be present at camp as much as possible, but also understand the realities of technology in our lives.

**Junior Campers** are asked to leave phones at home or the Directors will lock phones in a safe place for the week and return them at the end of camp. If your child or youth is homesick or having difficulties, one of the Directors will contact you to help resolve the situation.

Please do not bring any other electronic devices including computers, tablets, and game systems.

The Christian Church of Northern California-Nevada is not responsible for loss or theft of items or money brought to camp.

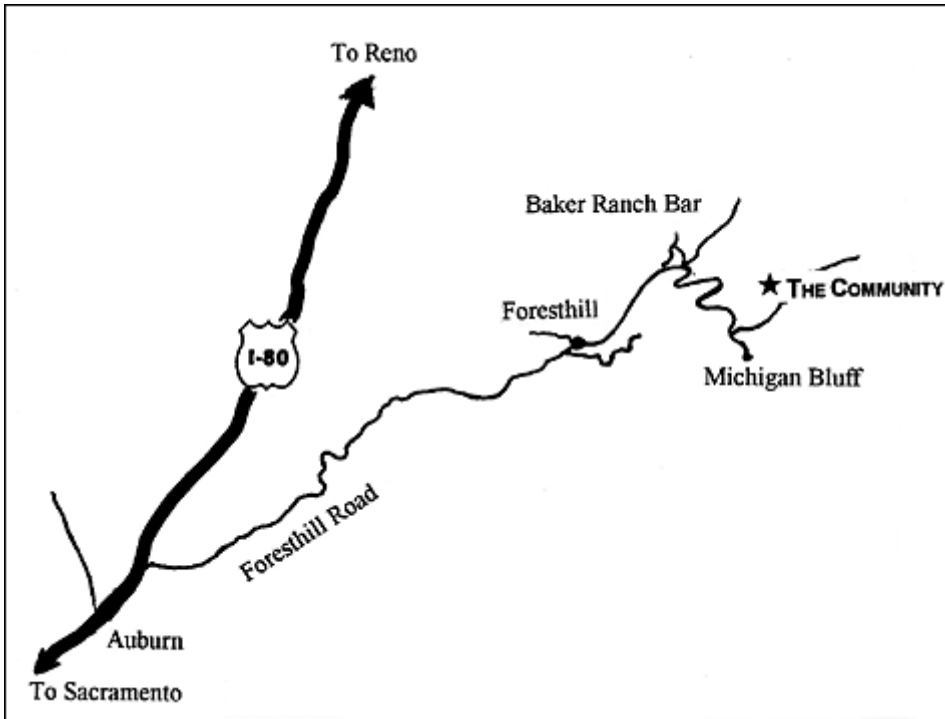
### **Cancellations/Refunds**

For cancellations, call the regional office. A camper who cancels two weeks prior to the first day of camp will receive a refund of their camp fee, less a \$100 cancellation fee. **IF CANCELLING WITH LESS THAN 2 WEEKS NOTICE, CAMPER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR FULL PAYMENT.**

**IF CANCELLING WITH COVID 19 CONCERNS OR ILLNESS, CAMPER WILL RECEIVE A FULL REFUND.**

### Directions to CGC

Take I-80 to Auburn. Just east of Auburn, take the Foresthill (Auburn Ravine Rd.) exit. Turn right, crossing the American River on California's highest bridge. Continue up the mountain through Foresthill. Approximately four miles past Foresthill, where you'll see the Baker Ranch Bar (on the left), turn right onto Michigan Bluff Road. Follow this steep winding road until you see the signs for the Community of the Great Commission. Travel times: from Auburn – 45 minutes, from Sacramento – 1.5 hours, from San Francisco – 3 hours, from Redding – 4 hours.



**In the case that you might hear of fire or other emergency situation** that would affect camp communities, please check at the [www.UCCCR.org](http://www.UCCCR.org) opening page at the bottom right “Current Conditions” for up to date information.

### For more information:

Contact the regional office at 925-556-9900 or Jim Thomas, [jim@ccncn.org](mailto:jim@ccncn.org).

## Camp Scholarship Information

### CCNC-N Summer Camp 2024 at the Community of the Great Commission

(All information is required)

**The Christian Church of Northern California-Nevada is pleased to be able to offer scholarship assistance for children, youth and adults participating in our summer camp program. This is made possible by the Ben Bohren Scholarship Fund, the Galt Scholarship Fund, the San Lorenzo Scholarship Fund, and the Cal Underwood Camp Scholarship Endowment Fund.**

- The Outdoor Ministries Committee recommends a 3-way division of payment for campers wishing financial assistance. If possible, the camper, the local congregation, and the region should each pay 1/3 to 1/2 of the total cost. Check with your pastor to find out if your church can contribute. Some churches will pay as much as 50-100%.
- The camper contribution includes the contribution from camper and parent/guardian, as well as the amount fundraised by the camper, which is highly encouraged.
- The local congregation contribution is the amount of scholarship freely given by the church.
- The balance requested from Regional Scholarship funds is the regional contribution.
- Maximum scholarship amount granted will be half of the cost of the camp fees for youth campers.
- Before filling out the scholarship application, please read the following information carefully, paying close attention to deadlines.
- The scholarship request must accompany the completed camp registration form.

### **Criteria for Scholarship Assistance**

- 1) Applicants for scholarships must have demonstrated involvement in the local church.
- 2) A pastoral letter must accompany the application. If your church is currently without pastoral leadership, another leader such as Board Chair or Elder Chair will suffice.

The letter must include the following information that will remain *confidential*:

- Confirmation of the applicant's financial need (source of income, extenuating family circumstances, etc.)
- State whether your congregation will give scholarship assistance. If yes, please state how much.
- Confirm the youth's involvement in the local church.

**Applications lacking any of the above information will not be considered.**

### **Timeline for Process**

\* **Scholarship applications must be submitted with the online registration by May 29.**

\* \* Pastoral letters can be emailed to [lataunya@ccncn.org](mailto:lataunya@ccncn.org) or mailed to:

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San Ramon, CA 94583-4143**

No late applications will be considered. Applicants will receive notification by June 8 that will state the request that has been considered and the dollar amount of assistance given.

# Camp Scholarship Application

## CCNC-N Summer Camp 2024 at the Community of the Great Commission

(All information is required)

**Application Due Date: May 29, 2024**

Please be sure to read Camp Scholarship Information above before filling out this form.

### Camper Information:

Camper's Name

Birth date (MM/DD/YY)

Street Address/City/State/Zip Code

Home Phone Number

Camp planning to attend (please circle):

JOY      Junior      Chi Rho      CYF

Name of Local Congregation/City

Has the camper attended summer camp before? (please circle): Yes / No

If yes, please list camps attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Has the camper received a scholarship previously? (please circle): Yes / No      How many times? \_\_\_\_\_

Will there be other children from your family attending the CCNCN Regional summer camp and conference program? (please circle):  
Yes / No      Will they be seeking scholarship assistance as well? Yes / No

If yes, how many children? \_\_\_\_\_ Which camps? \_\_\_\_\_

### Parent/Guardian Information:

Name

Phone Number

Street Address/City/State/Zip Code (if different than above)

Occupation

### Scholarship Information:

Individual contribution: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Local church scholarship: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Amount of scholarship you are requesting:  
(up to half of cost) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Other sources of support for camp: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian or Adult Camper

Date