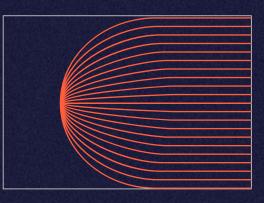




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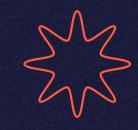




We remain committed to fulfilling our **MISSION** and **VISION**, as a church family. The past three months included a variety of ministry opportunities, for us to:

...Lead people to a growing relationship with Jesus: LOCALLY, REGIONALLY, and GLOBALLY (*Our Mission*)

...REACH UP in worship, REACH IN to grow, and REACH OUT to serve and share (Our Vision)



THANK YOU for your financial generosity, that enabled these efforts! For more information on 2023 church finances, email blake@3circlechurch.com.

MISSION & USION





Our Easter weekend journey took us from poignant moments of remembrance to joyous celebration, with the evidence of life-change all around us!

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Easter On-Site Attendance 9,769 people heard the Gospel, across our five campuses!

Through our Worship on the Water outreach, an additional 4,500 people heard the Gospel, for a weekend grand total of 14,269 people!









We recently formed a partnership with Flora-Bama, called Worship on the Water. This includes weekly Sunday worship gatherings at Orange Beach, serving roughly **700 people** every week! Attendees are a combination of tourists and locals, worshipping together on Sundays, with opportunity for additional Bible studies and fellowship during the week.





HURY & HOUD

Our current Glory & Good Initiative covers our ministry efforts for the next two years, in our local, regional, and global circles. This includes capital improvements at our local campuses. Your generous giving toward Glory and Good enables us to step into 'what's next,' including upcoming construction at many of our campuses. Second quarter highlights include:



We look forward to serving our communities through these new facilities! (*Projected Dates, subject to change*)

Daphne Campus: Breaking Ground This Fall!

Here is a look at the exterior of upcoming construction, as well as a shot of the new worship center, which will include over 800 seats.







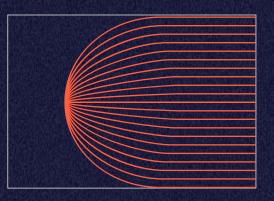




Fairhope Campus: Breaking Ground This Fall!



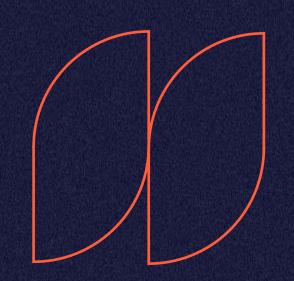
We are thrilled to add a new Community Center building, which will function as both a gymnasium, and as a worship space for students and special events.





Thomasville Campus: Renovations Beginning In August!

We are currently renovating an existing building in Thomasville. There will be a worship center with over 300 seats, as well as plenty of classroom space for kids.



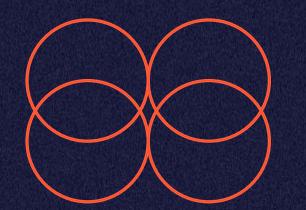


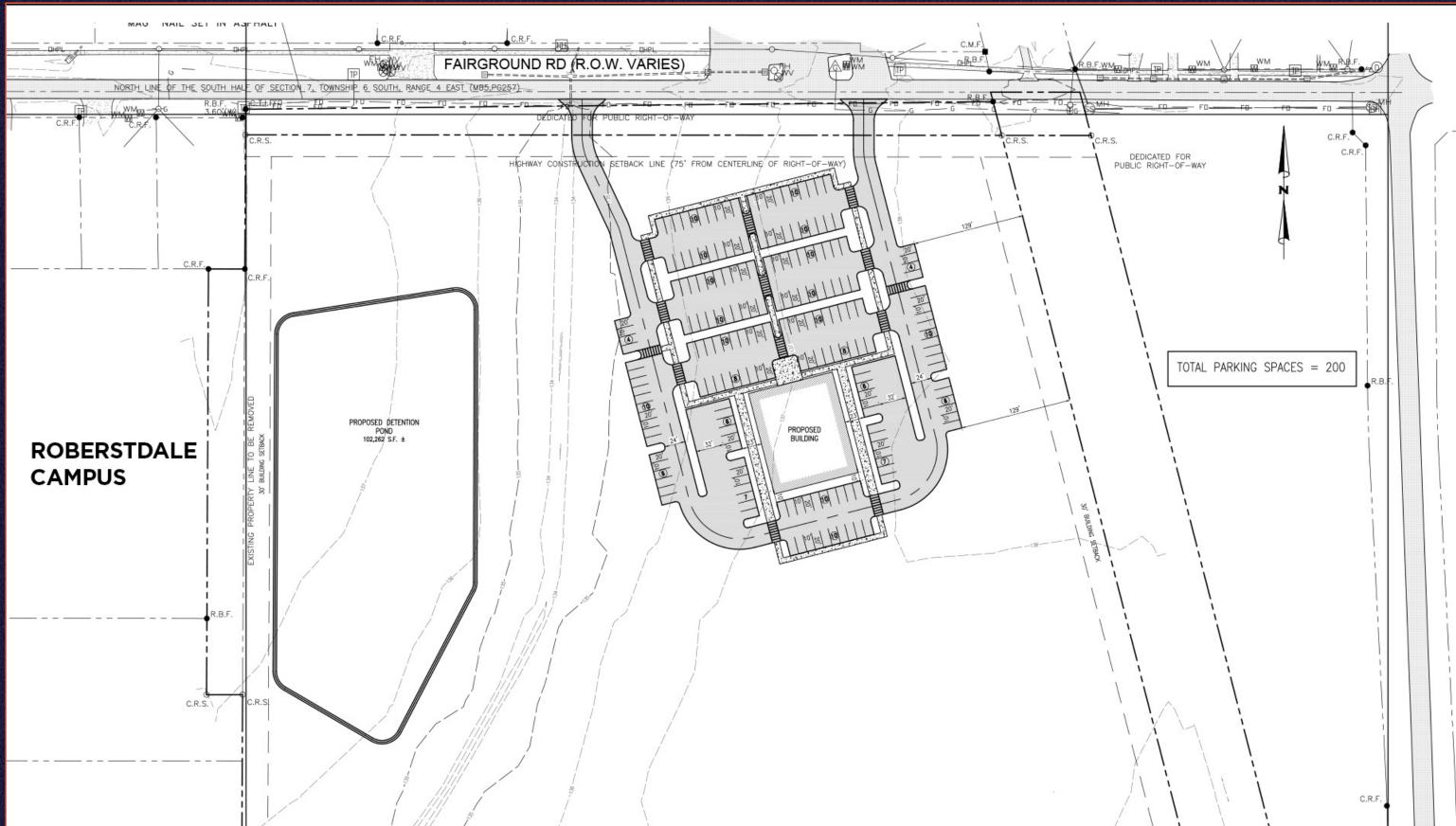




Robertsdale Campus: Site Plans Now In Place!

Our new Robertsdale Campus currently meets in Robertsdale High School, including set-up and teardown every Sunday. Here's a look at the site plan on our newly purchased land, right across the street from the high school. This will be our future home!



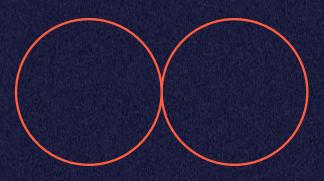




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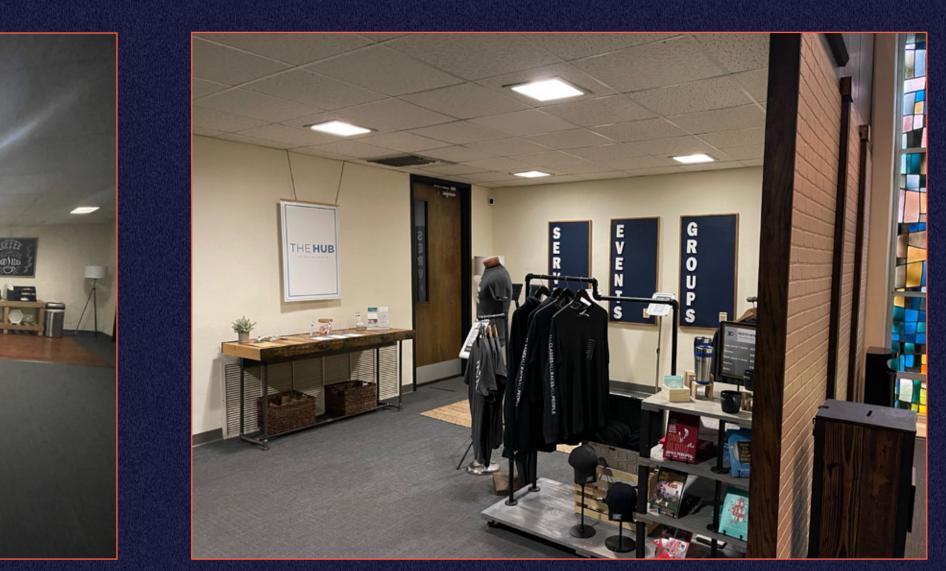


We recently concluded renovations of current spaces in our worship and lobby environments, including the addition of 'The Hub,' which creates a central area for guests and members to ask questions, register for events, and purchase 3Circle merch. We also added another coffee station inside our auditorium, and updated the lobby restroom.











SEND Network 'Glory & Good' Offering



• Last quarter, we gave an additional \$50,000 toward church planting, through the SEND Network. We not only give to the SEND Network, but we are also a part of the Network now! Since 2010, the SEND Network has planted over 10,000 churches throughout North America. The biggest way to evangelize a city is through a church plant, and the SEND Network is committed to seeing people being raised up, trained, and sent out to plant gospel-centered churches. We are excited to see how God is going to continue to plant churches throughout North America, and see His name proclaimed and lives changed for eternity. To learn more about the SEND Network, click *here*.



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Doulos 'Glory & Good' Offering

produced by God through Doulos.



• Last quarter, we gave \$100,000 (above our annual commitment) to Doulos Partners, which was also matched by another organization, as well! Doulos Partners serves as a missions mutual fund for Christian non-profits. Since their inception in 2008, Doulos has assisted in planting over 41,000 churches, in 190 countries, leading to over 8 million professions of faith! We love to see all the fruit being



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> On April 20, we launched a weekly worship gathering on Thursday nights at our Fairhope Campus. This is nearly identical to our Sunday gatherings, including safe and engaging environments for children. Thursdays are a great option for those who 1) generally prefer a midweek or evening option, 2) regularly work or travel on the weekends, or 3) are leaving town for a holiday weekend/vacation.

> > Learn more about our Thursday night gatherings <u>here.</u>







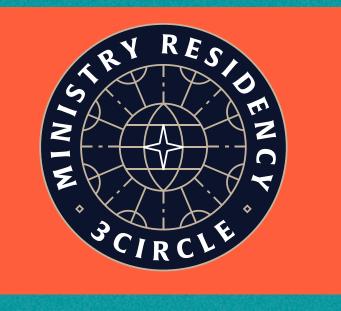
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We had an extra special Thursday night gathering on May 25 that officially kicked off the summer! We enjoyed BBQ, Kona Ice, and inflatables, prior to our Thursday night gathering. Nearly **1,000** people attended this special event/gathering!

THURSDAY NIGHT TALEATE





Our 3Circle Ministry Residency offers residents hands-on ministry experience, coupled with biblically-based leadership training, with each resident focusing on one of five ministry tracks. Thus far, 100% of our residents who have graduated the program are now in vocational ministry, with our admissions increasing by 40% at the start of the summer semester. If you are interested in applying for our Ministry Residency, click **here** to learn more.

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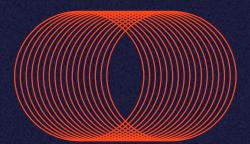
2023 Second Quarter Update

- Summer is in full swing at Hope Center, as our staff and volunteers continue to be faithful to the needs of the community. From our newest to our most seasoned staff, this group of professionals is always ready to serve. This summer's project is a food drive; if you would like to get involved, please email dana@3circlehope.com.

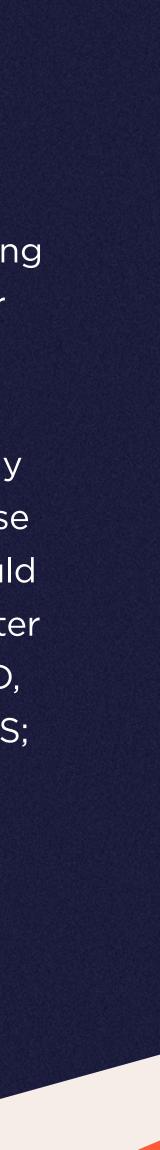


 Hope Center 'Lunch and Learns' are going strong, taking place every fourth Tuesday at 12P, at the Fairhope Campus. Dr. Mark Hammond provides detailed information on nutrition with a light, healthy lunch included. July's Lunch and Learn will be on Weight Loss. You can sign up here.

- Our patient assistance program has grown beyond Hope Center, and we are now partnering with Counsel on Aging in Robertsdale, to assist us with patient assistance medications. Counsel On Aging will be bringing a lot to the table for our clients, ages 55+.
- Our dental appointments are continually full. If you are a dental professional, please contact dana@3circlehope.com. We would love to have you on our team. Hope Center welcomes Dr. Austyn Grissom, DMD, MSD, and his wife, Dr. Maggie Grisson, DMD, MS; thank you for your serving hearts!



Learn more about the Hope Center **here**.









View our teaching archives here.



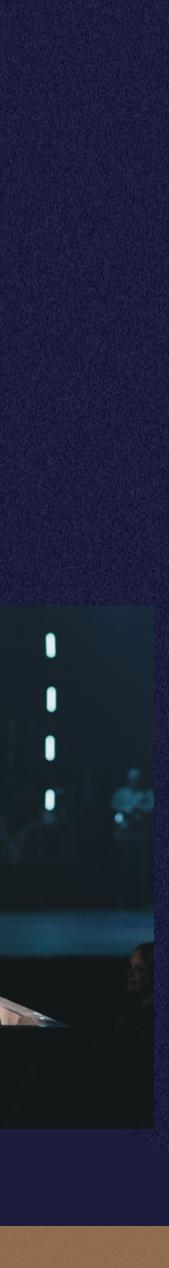
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During the second quarter of 2023,

120 ADULTS

attended our Next Step church membership classes, and engaged with our mission to impact our world with the Gospel!

BITSUS 48 Baptisms among our campuses!









This is a special time when parents commit to follow the Lord's leadership in the spiritual development of their child.

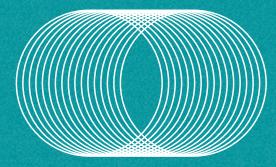
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Together we celebrated our moms, and reminded them how special they are to us!







Father's Day 2023 occurred during our 'Fruit of the Spirit' teaching series, complete with series-themed gifts for dads!









STUDENTS

SKO (Summer Kick-Off) was one for the books! It was such a great way to kick off the summer, filled with crazy games, amazing worship, and impactful teaching.









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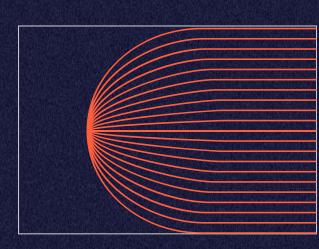
hot dogs

11 INCHES OF RAIN in 20 minutes











Our student ministry traveled to Panama City Beach for BigStuf Camp, including **75** students and **15** leaders, representing multiple 3Circle campuses. They experienced not only a week of fun in the sun, but also of growing in relationship with God, and with each other. Over the course of the week, **3 of our students were baptized, another 3 made decisions to be baptized after** camp, and one of our students prayed to receive Christ as Savior!





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We recognized and celebrated the achievements of **29** of our seniors from our Fairhope and Robertsdale campuses, as their high school careers came to a close.





FAMILY SERVE DAY

SERVE DAY

Our Family Serve Day on May 7 provided a great opportunity to partner together and show our community the love of Jesus, with ways for both parents and kids to serve!



Father Daughter Bell 2023

It was wonderful to welcome **20** daughters and their dads for a night of dinner, dancing, and memory-making, at our Midtown Campus!



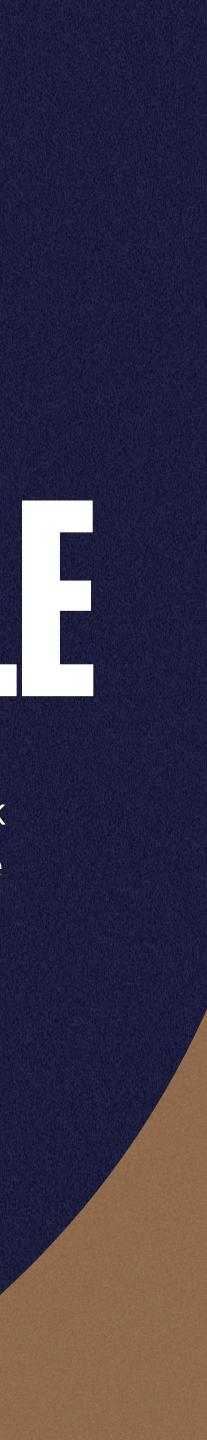


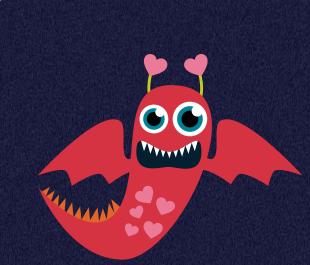






This year, Camp 3Circle headed out of this world! Lift Off: A Journey Into the Greatness of God took kids to different planets, where they learned more about the unchanging character of God. During the month of June, Camp 3Circle took place at 4 of our 5 campuses.





- Record attendance in SOAR for a single gathering, on Easter Sunday
- 28 CHILDREN total in SOAR on Easter Weekend
- Grew by 18 VOLUNTEERS this quarter (51% growth!)
- 7 of those chose Easter as a time to start serving
- 8 of those began serving with Camp 3Circle
- 10 NEW KIDS joined SOAR

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SOAR: Partnering with Parents

- An event open to the community to come and learn what EDUCATIONAL, THERAPEUTIC, AND RECREATIONAL opportunities their children with special needs have in our local community DURING THE SUMMER. Vendors answered questions, handed out printed materials, and explained how they welcome and accommodate those with special needs. And there was a gift basket given to one lucky attendee, full of free passes and items donated by our partners (vendors).
- OVER 75 attendees, including 10 existing SOAR families
- 18 SOAR VOLUNTEERS served
- 16 COMMUNITY PARTNERS set up as vendors





Now two years old, 3Circle's Young Adult ministry has grown to include monthly worship gatherings with food, community, worship, and a biblical teaching. Young Adults also meet weekly in small groups to dive deeper into the teaching, and monthly to cultivate relationships through fun events. We are excited to be present on many college campuses across our local circles (around each 3Circle campus), including Coastal Community College in Bay Minette, Coastal Community College in Fairhope, the University of Mobile, and the University of South Alabama. This ministry also participates in local Baptist Campus Ministry gatherings, to better serve young adults and leaders in those spaces.

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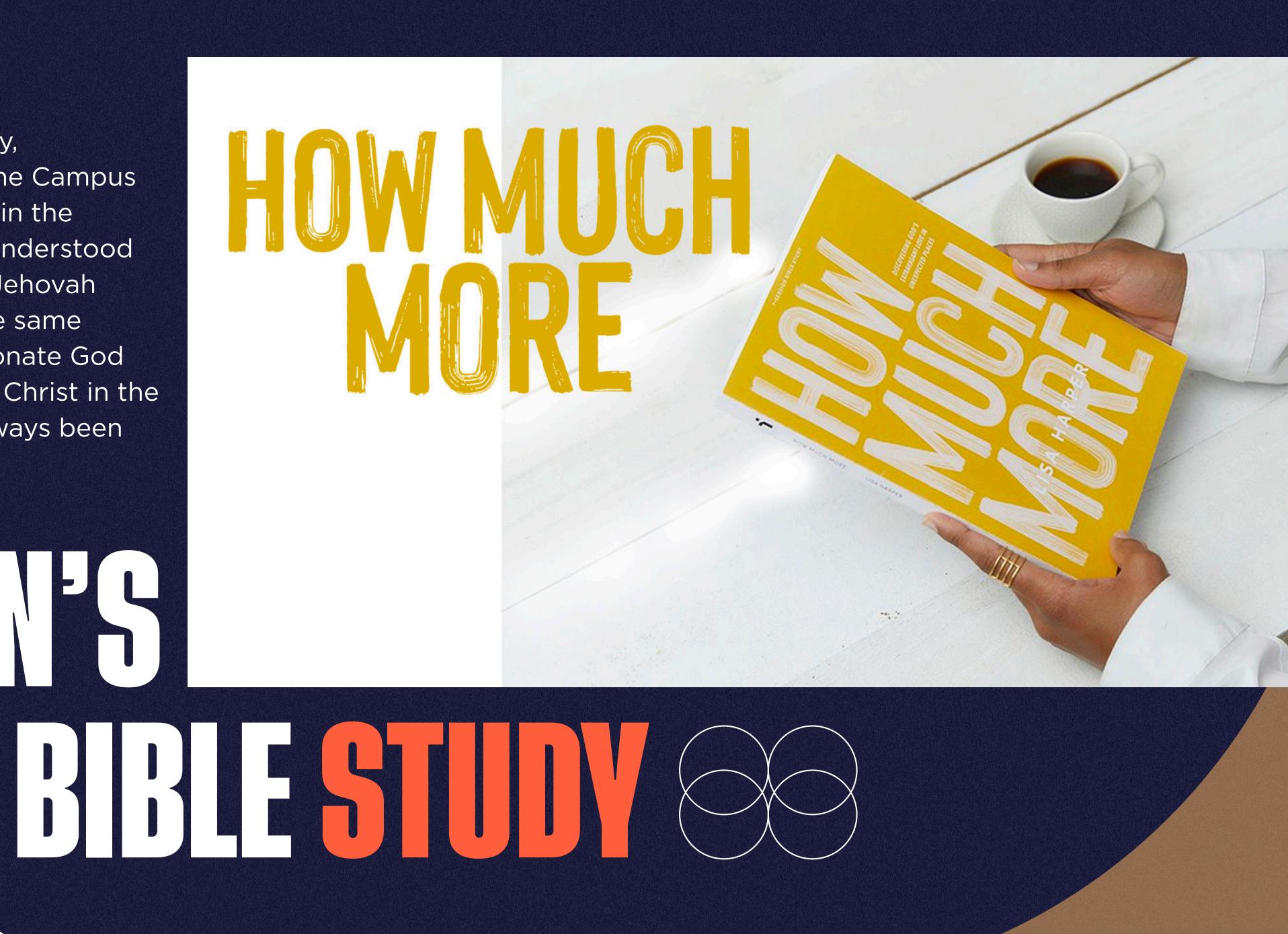
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Our bimonthly Sharing the Gospel trainings launched in September of 2022, and have been equipping young adults to follow God's command for believers, to spread the Gospel and make disciples. We have now expanded these events to include all adults who are interested.



How Much More

In this 7-session Bible study, **46 women** from our Daphne Campus discovered the divine love in the often overlooked and misunderstood passages, and found that Jehovah of the Old Testament is the same redemptive and compassionate God that we see through Jesus Christ in the New Testament. He has always been and will always be for us!





This summer, 3Circle is offering an intensive 9-week course on the book of Exodus. We are taking a focused look at key events in the narrative of Exodus, with the goal of gaining a richer understanding of God's plan for the redemption of His people and how this Old Testament picture of redemption points to Christ. Thus far, over **200 people** have joined us.

SUBJECT OF EXODUS





DivorceCare | DivorceCare is a 13-week, video based, small group experience that welcomes people and guides them on the pathway of recovery after separation or divorce.

> **GriefShare** | GriefShare is a 13-week study designed for those who have lost a loved one, through death. A caring group of people will walk alongside you; you don't have to go through the grieving process alone.

Recovery Groups | Recovery groups happen at different times and seasons. Please contact russell@3circlechurch.com for more information.





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3Circle Music is the songwriting and recording arm of 3Circle Church.

New This Quarter!



3Circle Kids Camp Theme Songs Release Listen now!

For more info and other releases, check out our website <u>here!</u>



Our missions efforts continue, with a focus on needs within our local, regional, and global circles. In addition to ongoing efforts, 3Circle assists local families with financial assistance through gift cards, utilities, repair work, lodging, and food.

> As a church, we partner with amazing missionaries, local churches, and organizations in both our regional and global circles, to carry the Gospel to the world. Are you interested in joining us on a short-term mission trip? Or want to learn more about our missions partners? Click **here.**

ANSWERING THE CALL







Greece Our first annual Footsteps of Paul trip was a great success! In April, we sent our first team of 21 people to Athens, Greece to visit with Jamison and Kelli Creel. The Creel family moved to Athens in the summer of 2022, to work and serve the many refugees that are arriving from Syria and Afghanistan, as well as other countries throughout the Middle East. We had an amazing time catching up with the Creel family, and seeing the work that has already started on the island of Samos, which is directly across from Turkey.

While we were there, we were able to journey throughout the mainland of Greece, seeing Acts 16-18 come alive right in front of us. We saw where Paul baptized Lydia outside of Philippi, and where Paul preached and taught in Philippi, Thessalonica, Berea, Athens, and Corinth.

To find out more about the Creel family and get involved with their ministry, click here.

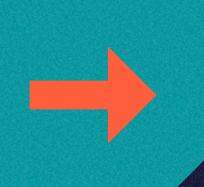




Costa Rica

We sent a team of 10 people to Tamarindo, Costa Rica! Casa Vida Church in Tamarindo is a long time global partner of ours, with a vision to train and raise up leaders to plant more gospel-centered churches throughout Costa Rica. They gather every week on Sunday to worship, and then they reach out in the community through mercy homes and feeding centers. Our team helped with several outreach projects while they were in Tamarindo. To find out more about Casa Vida Church, click here.









Alaska A team of students and leaders from our Daphne Campus participated in a mission trip to Anchorage, Alaska, in partnership with GraceWorks Missions - a summertime Anchorage organization. Fun fact: Alaska is the most unchurched state in the United States! With the help of GraceWorks, students were able to put on a portable VBS week for Anchorage kids (ages 4-15) in local trailer parks. From 12-4P each day, Daphne students were packing vans, supplying lunches, hosting games, leading worship, teaching the Word of God, and competing in the most competitive flag football

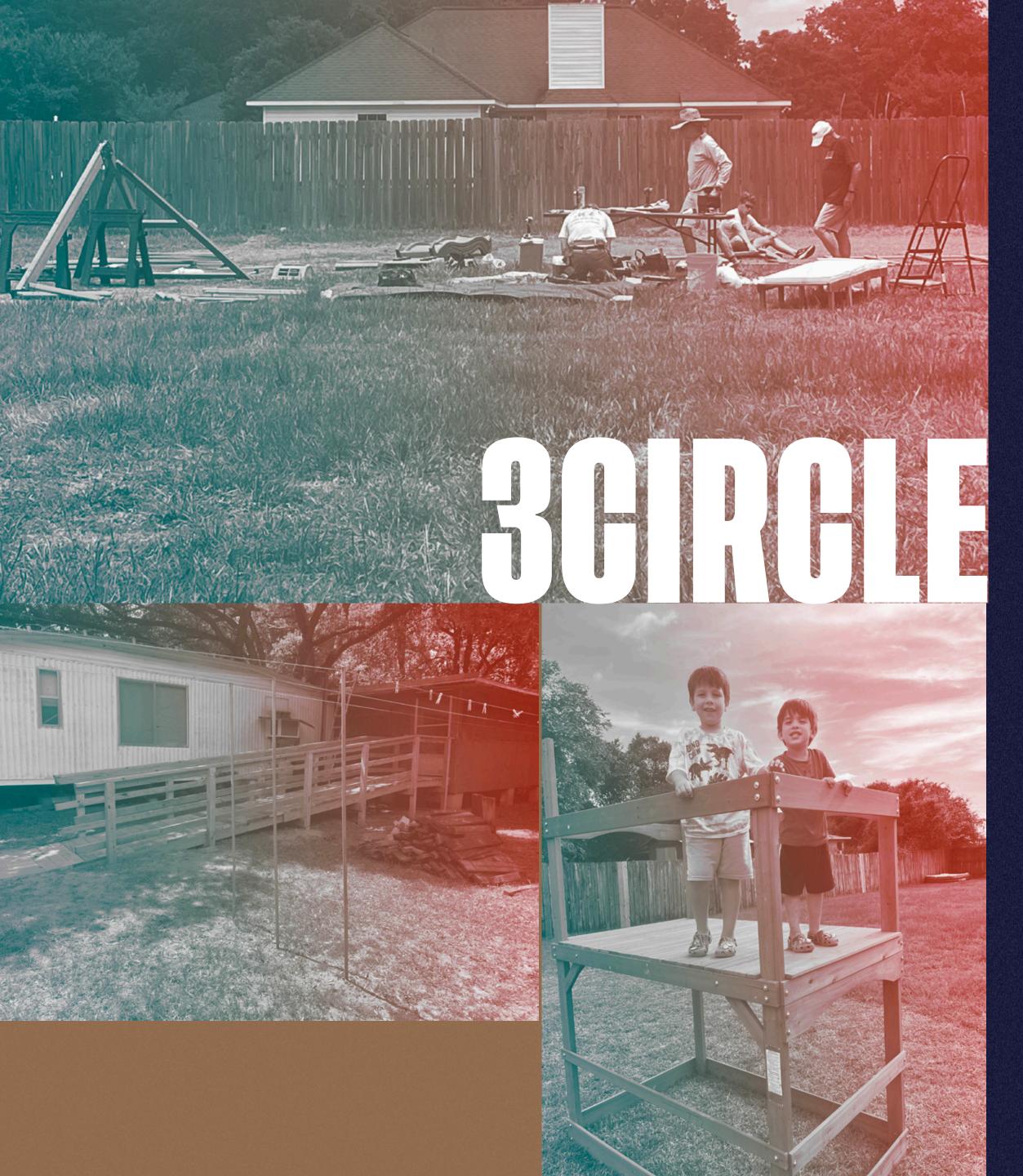
games of all time. The locals did not take it easy on us. Students were also shown the beauty of God's creation in white-capped mountains, waterfalls, and hiking trails. Students were encouraged by their service, and reminded of the joy that is gifted to us when we walk in our purpose - to know, serve, and enjoy God.

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On the first Monday of every month, we host a monthly training for the Baldwin County Foster and Adoptive Parents Association. Each month, we provide childcare and a meal for approximately **40 FOSTER PARENTS** and **50 CHILDREN.**

MONTHLY FOSTER PARENT TRAINING







3Circle Helps exists to help people in our church and local community with safety, sanitation, and security. From repairing hurricane roof damage, working on vehicle maintenance, building wheelchair

ramps, and helping people move, these team members do it all. We are so thankful for the many people that consistently go out and serve those who are unable to do some of these tasks by themselves. If you would like to learn more or join the team, please click <u>here.</u>



All of this IMPACT occurred over the past 3 months due to the faithfulness of God and the generosity of His people!



