



# ENCOUNTER GOD'S PRESENCE

JESUS THE LION OF JUDAH  
HAS OVERCOME! (REV. 5:5)

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NAME:  
CHURCH:  
COUNTRY:

# EGP WORSHIP BAND & GUESTS



**Heidi**



**Michael**



**Shane**



**Moe**



**Shannon**



**Brighton**



**Sophia**



**Anna**



**Matt**



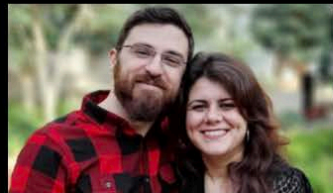
**Philip**



**Ronnie**



**Lance**



**Alexy & Lina (persecuted in Iraq)**

# E.G.P. 2023 Youth Pastors /Group Leader /Senior Pastors



Jason & Heidi  
E.G.P. Leaders

Paul & Yuri  
E.G.P. Student Ministries

Shannon & Amanda  
"Shan the Man"

Jermaine & Tabitha  
Revive



Bobby  
Security / EMT

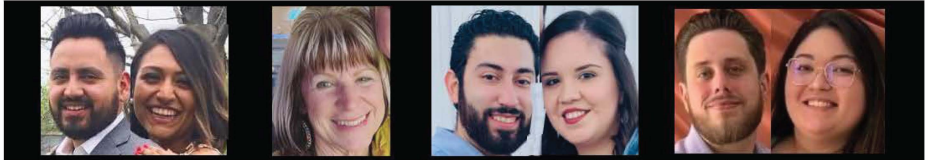
Noemi & Daniel  
Lighthouse on Tin Top

Tom  
NewLife Temple

May & Eduardo  
NewLife Temple

Lori  
Siloe Church

Alan  
Promise Church



Rudy & Karen  
Central Park

Jane  
Calvary

Beto & Cynthia  
One Faith

Dalton & Carisa  
Peace Church



Dana  
Restoration

Travis & Caree  
Abundant Life

Steven  
Believer's Worship

Philip  
Grace For Eternity

Janna  
Grace For Eternity



Tracy  
In the Beginning

Katie  
In the Beginning

Bryson & Tiffany  
The Gathering

Gary & Ashley  
Bethel in Hobbs

Jeff & Sherry  
Grace Formed













# Mission Houston - Sat. Oct. 7-Mon. 9 (holiday)

\* Worship \* Testifying \* Prophetic \* Youth Rally

- \* Outreach in a cool park
- \* Clowns w/ balloon animals
- \* Face painting \* dramas
- \* Sharing the love of Jesus



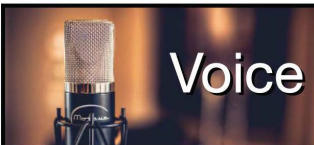
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## SERVANT LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

MATURE YOUTH & ADULTS



FRI. & SAT. IN JANUARY



Voice



Guitar



Piano

## Lessons w/ Heidi



- ▶ Online or In Person  
For ages 5 to 105
- ▶ \$30 for 30 Minute Lessons
- ▶ Fall & Spring Semesters
- ▶ UIL Preps, Worship Vocals,  
Harmonies & Dynamics
- ▶ Chording, Classical,  
Ear Training

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## AT CAMP DEVO #1 “Changing my mind”

### **Bible verses:**

Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God’s mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God - this is your true and proper worship.<sup>2</sup> Do not conform to the pattern of this world but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God’s will is - His good, pleasing and perfect will. (Romans 12:1-2)

Our brains are fascinating. They have an amazing ability to process information. Neuroscience – the study of the brain – tells us that we can change the way our brains work by the thoughts that we think. It’s like changing the default settings. Science says that if you think positively, it rewires your brain to think positively. (The reverse is also true)

The Bible teaches us that the more we focus on the goodness of God the more we will see it. This is not simply trying to think happy thoughts. This mind change is changing the way your mind operates by filling it with the Word of God. The more we immerse our minds with His Word the more clearly we see who He is and who we are. Romans 12:2 says not to be like everyone else around us but to allow the Spirit of God to change us. His desire for us is to be more like Him. He wants to fill our minds with His amazing thoughts. He wants to change our mindset from just thinking of ourselves to focused on Him & His supernatural Kingdom.

### **Talk with God:**

Heavenly Father, I thank You for how You made me. There are so many things I think about. You know it all. Help me to think Your thoughts & focus on You & Your will. Please renew my mind as I read Your Word. In Jesus name I pray.

## AT CAMP DEVO #2

### “Faith is evidence”

#### **Bible Verse:**

Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see. (Hebrews 11:1)

Recently I had to make a trip to a “big-box store” to return something. (I bought the wrong thing.) This was a really easy process. It was an easy process because I had something proving that I had bought it the first time, it was a little piece of paper called a... yep, you got it – a receipt. That receipt was proof of my earlier purchase.

Believe it or not faith is kinda like a receipt. It is proof that because God has been good before and cannot change, He will be good again. Faith in God’s power gives us confidence that even if we don’t know what He’s doing, that He is working on our behalf to bring about good. Faith causes us to have complete assurance that God is faithful. All the evidence that we need as children of God to know that He will do what’s best is to look at His track record. He's never failed and He’s not about to start now. I believe whether I see or not. That’s faith. It’s all the evidence we need.

#### **Talk with God:**

Jesus, You have been so good to me. Thank You for saving me. Thank You for all You have done for me. I choose today to have faith over fear. I will trust You. I receive Your peace today. And I pray all this in Jesus name.

## AT CAMP DEVO #3

### “What do you want me to do for you?”

#### **Bible verse:**

In Mark 10:51 we find this great account about a guy named Bartimaeus. He was blind and was on the roadside begging. He yelled out for Jesus to stop by and “have mercy” on him. The people around him told him to be quiet. But he yelled even louder. Jesus stopped and asked him, “What do you want me to do for you?” He said he wanted to see, and guess what, Jesus healed him.

The question Jesus asked could seem strange or even rude. What the man needed from Jesus was clear and obvious. But Jesus wasn't trying to embarrass him. Jesus wanted him to ask for what he wanted. The question required him to be bold and have faith that Jesus is who he thought Jesus is.

What do you want Jesus to do for you? Do you believe He can do it? Do you believe He wants to? Choose to believe that He wants to heal your body, or your family or a broken relationship. Whatever you truly need, just ask. He is willing and able. What do you want? When you pray & ask... believe.

#### **Talk with God:**

Jesus, there is nothing You can't do. You're so powerful and have done so many amazing miracles. I'm asking You to heal and to restore these areas of my life. I'm asking You to provide and protect. I trust You will. Thank You for Your love and for meeting this need. You deserve all the glory. In Jesus name I pray.



## AT CAMP DEVO #4 "Limitless"

### **Bible Verse:**

Great is our Lord and mighty in power; His understanding has no limit. (Psalm 147:5)

"I have no idea". Ever said that? Perhaps it was looking at a math problem or when asked to explain an author's meaning for some random paragraph in a story. Perhaps you've also thought this when trying to figure out why something may be happening in your life or in the world. We all face times where our knowledge and understanding is limited.

Here's some good news. God has never had a moment where He was clueless or confused. His knowledge is limitless. God is Omniscience - that means He is all-knowing. Not only does He understand all the mysteries of the universe, but He also understands every person who has ever lived. He knows you. He gets you. He knows your hopes and dreams, your fears and worries. He knows the greatness He has placed in you. Nothing is hidden from Him. Whatever you need from Him, just ask. He wants you to share your heart with Him.

### **Talk with God:**

Heavenly Father, thank You for limitless power and love. I also thank You for Your limitless knowledge and understanding. I'm so grateful that You know me and You love me more than I will ever understand. Help me to see what You see. I ask all this in Jesus name.

## AT CAMP DEVO #5 "Jesus is Lord"

### **Bible Verses:**

<sup>9</sup>If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. <sup>10</sup>For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved. (Romans 10:9-10)

Jesus is Lord. What do you think that means? The word lord means one who has authority or rulership over another. To say that Jesus is Lord means that we recognize that He has authority. Sounds great, right? But what does that really mean? Jesus is not interested in controlling you. He is interested in you trusting Him. He always leads us in what's best. There is nowhere that we go where He is not; and wherever He is, He is Lord. We can trust that His plans for us are good.

Do you believe that Jesus died, was buried and rose again? That's the Gospel message. If you believe this in your heart and will say with your mouth that Jesus is Lord, then you are saved. There is no mystery here. Jesus wants to have a relationship with you. He is the King of the universe, who alone is worthy of all honor and glory. He is Lord of all, yet He desires to walk through your life with you.

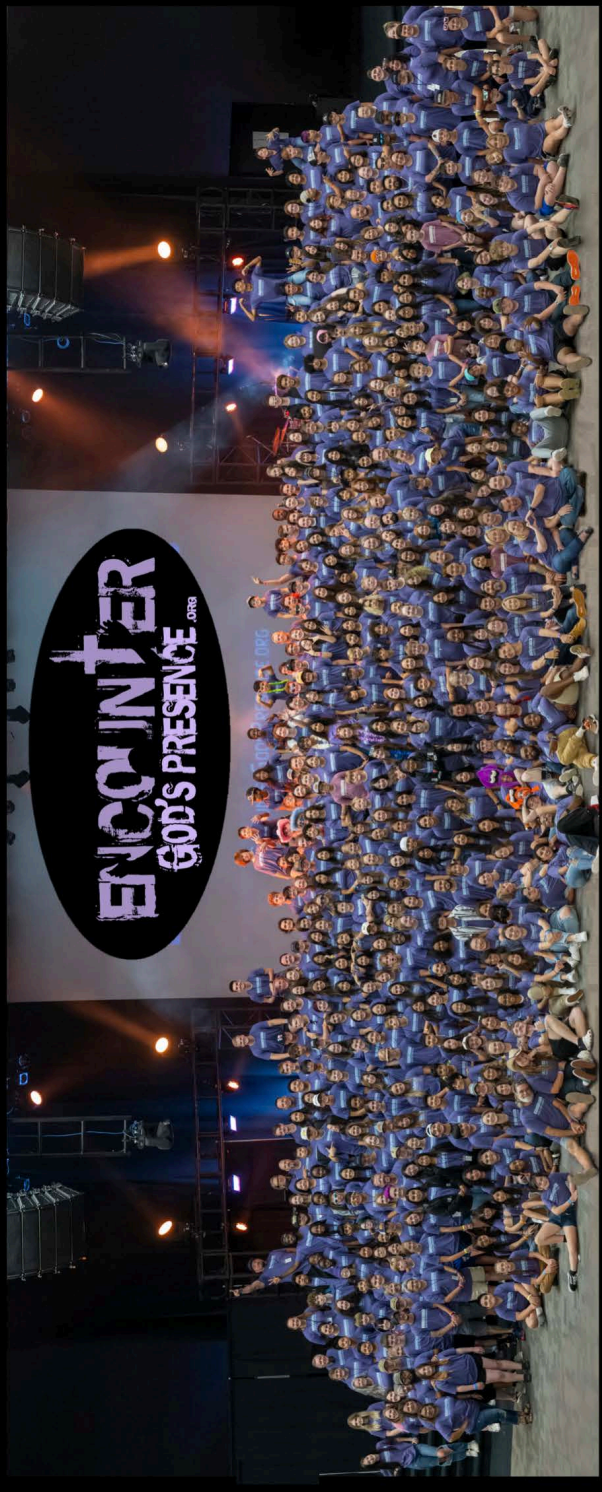
### **Talk with God:**

Jesus, You are Lord. All the earth is Yours. Everything You made testifies to Your power and love. Even so, You choose to know me and want a relationship with me. You conquered death so that I might live with You forever. I believe that You were crucified, buried and then on the third day rose again. I declare that You are Lord over all. Help me to live life with that truth. In Jesus name I pray.

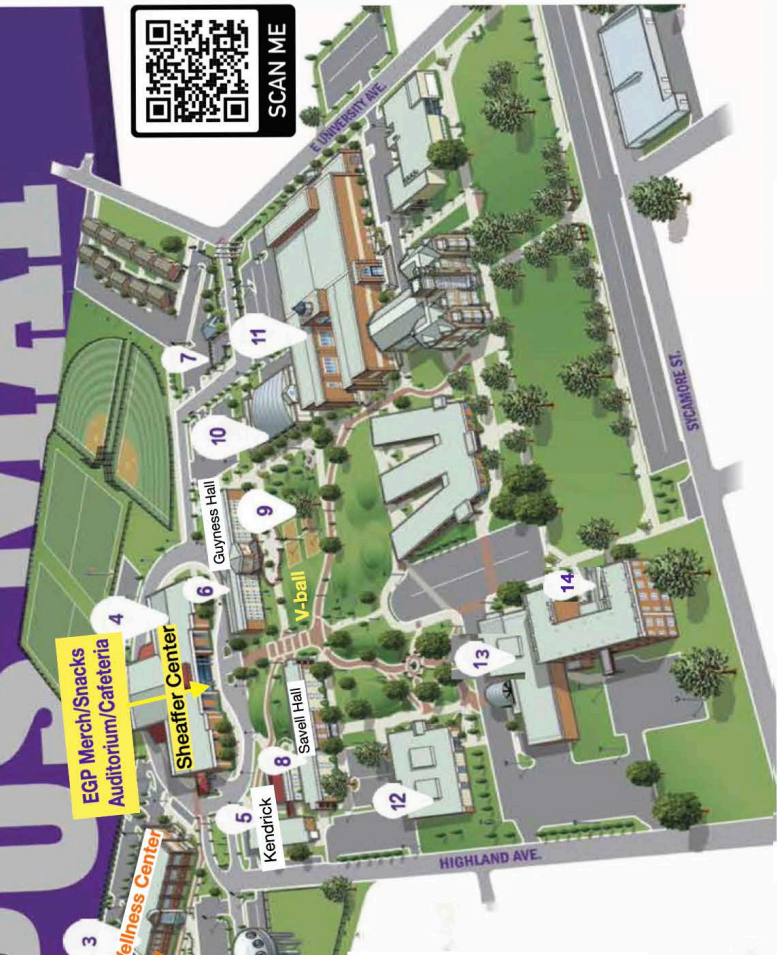


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SPIRIT-FILLED YOUTH SUMMER CAMP



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- 1. **Bridges Hall**
- 2. **Teeter Hall**
- 3. **Wellness Center**  
Indoor pool,  
Racquetball & B-ball
- 4. **Sheaffer Center (FLC)**  
**Auditorium/ Cafeteria/ Snacks/ Merch**
- 5. Kendrick Hall
- 6. Guynes Hall (Ga-wines)
- 7. SAGU Security & Info center
- 8. **Savell Hall**
- 9. **Sand v-ball courts**
- 10. Claxton
- 11. Hagee Center  
Einstein Bagels
- 12. Barnes Student Center  
Lions Den
- 13. Foster Mundt
- 14. Collins Hall

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## EGP WORD SEARCH

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**Looking for  
free time options?**



# AT HOME DEVO #1

## “Thank You!”

### **Bible verse:**

Give thanks to the Lord of lords: His love endures forever. (Psalm 136:3)

In Luke 17 we find a cool account where Jesus heals ten men with leprosy, a terrible skin disease. One of them came back to say, thank you. Jesus asked where are the other nine? He wasn't being critical of the others; He was pointing out how awesome it is that this guy came back. He was using this to teach those around then – and then us – the simple truth, there is power in gratitude.

God did some amazing things at EGP camp. He always does. It would be easy to just move on. Instead, take some time and tell God how much you appreciate what He has done. Thank Him for healing, saving, and delivering people. Thank Him for what He did in you and through you. Give thanks to God, His love endures forever.

### **Talk with God:**

Jesus, all I can say is thank You. Thank You for allowing me to see and experience such amazing things at EGP camp.

Thank You for what You did in my life. Thank You for Your love for me. Help me always be grateful. I ask all this in Jesus name.

## AT HOME DEVO #2

### “Just getting started”

#### **Bible verse:**

Being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus. (Philippians 1:6)

“Remember at camp when ...” One of the best parts of camp is the stories we can tell afterwards. Some stories we will tell are funny things that happen to us, or we saw. Some stories we will tell are about some of the times with our friends and leaders. Some of the stories will be about the amazing things that God did. Praise God for the stories.

Camp may be over for this year, but God is far from done. He has started something in you. He did – and is doing – more in us than we will ever know. God planted seeds in your heart during camp. These seeds will continue to grow and produce fruit throughout your life. God did amazing things in your life at EGP camp, but he’s just getting started.

#### **Talk with God:**

God, I am amazed at what You did at camp. Every year we come with expectancy of powerful things, and every year You exceed those expectations.

Thank You for what you started in my heart, my friends and my church. I know You have so much more. I look forward to seeing what’s next. In Jesus name I pray.



## AT HOME DEVO #3

### “Go!”

#### **Bible verses:**

Then Jesus came to them and said, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. <sup>19</sup>Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup>and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely, I am with you always, to the very end of the age.” (Matthew 28:18-20)

On your mark, get set... There is something exciting about the world “Go”. Some of the going that we do in life is ordinary, some is difficult. There are even times when we want to “go” but can’t.

After Jesus was raised from the dead, He walked the earth for 40 days. His final words to His disciples were a command to go. Where? Everywhere. He told them to go into all the world and preach the gospel. He let them know that His Spirit would be with them and that they should tell people about Him everywhere.

The same command is for us. We are to be telling people about Jesus everywhere we go. Speaking of going, have you ever been on outreach or a mission trip? Ask The Lord to show you where He wants you to go and then trust Him. Across the street or across the world, it’s time to go!

#### **Talk with God:**

Jesus, I thank You that You love the whole world. I know that You have chosen me to have a role in advancing Your Kingdom. Speak the words and I will go. Open my eyes to see what You are doing. Give me the courage to obey when You direct. Today, I choose to take part in what You are doing in the earth. I pray all this in Jesus name.

## AT HOME DEVO #4

### “Stay!”

#### **Bible verse:**

“I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing. “ (John 15:5)

Some of the most memorable times at camp happen at the table. Yes, the pizza is good, but the point is the time together. The laughing, the crying, the selfies. We also experienced amazing, life-changing moments when we gathered together and accepted The Lord’s invitation to come and gather.

Before Jesus was separated from His disciples, He gathered them together and let them know that He was going away but would always be with them. They certainly didn’t understand everything He was telling them, but they knew Jesus was good. He told them to stay connected to Him. He wanted them to know that they need Him, and that He is always there.

This world is full of things that can distract us. The enemy wants to do everything he can to pull us away from Jesus. Jesus is always with us. We can feel distant, but He is always near. How do we stay connected? We pray, we worship, we spend time in His Word, we gather with other believers. With Jesus we can bear much fruit, apart from Him we can do nothing. The world will try to pull you away from Jesus, but you are His. He is always with you. He is enough.

#### **Talk with God:**

Jesus, I thank You that everything I need I have in You. I exchange my fear for Your peace. I receive Your rest. You are enough. Help me to not be distracted by what the world has to offer. Greater are You than anything or anyone in the world. Help me to abide in You. In Jesus name I pray.

## AT HOME DEVO #5

### “Fruit basket”

#### **Bible verses:**

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness,<sup>23</sup>gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law. (Galatians 5:22-23)

What’s your favorite fruit? No, the pink Starburst is not a fruit. Fruits are good for you. A farmer plants the seeds and waters, and God causes the fruit to grow.

In Galatians 5 Paul is contrasting the works of the flesh and the fruit of the Spirit. The works of the flesh are those things that we do when we listen to our own selfish desires and the voice of the enemy. The fruit of the Spirit is what God produces in us as we walk with Him. As we pray, read His Word, and spend time with Him we become more loving, joyful, peaceful, patient, kind, good, faithful, gentle, and self-controlled. We become more like Jesus. Our life bears the fruit of His Spirit in us, so when people see us, they see Jesus living through us.

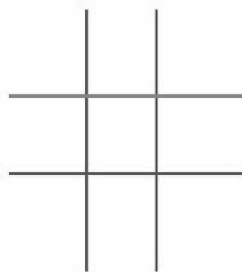
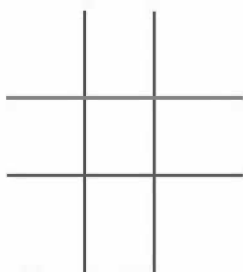
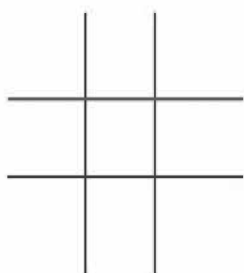
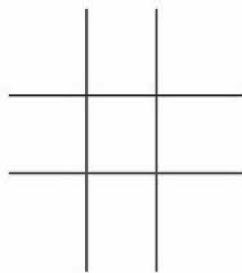
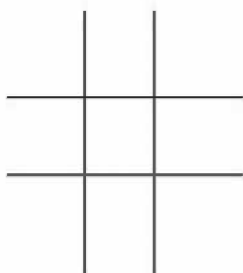
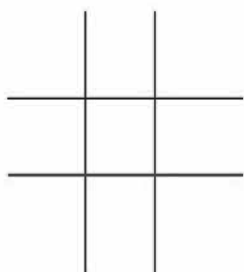
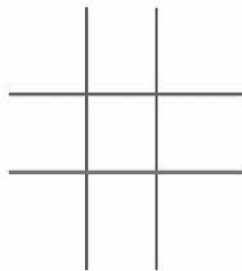
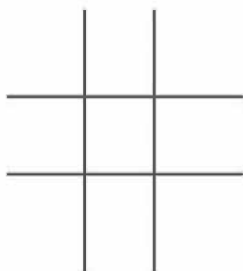
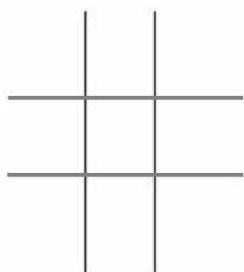
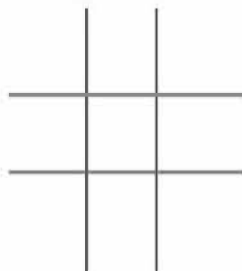
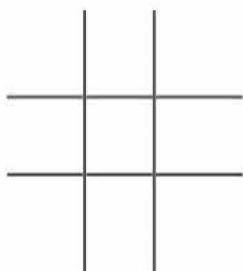
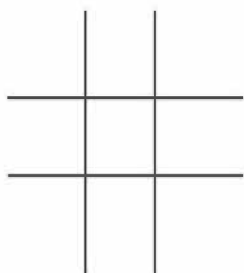
You can’t produce the fruit of the Spirit in your life by just trying hard or thinking happy thoughts. As we yield to the Holy Spirit’s working in our lives, He forms it in us. The more time we spend with Jesus the more we become like Him.

#### **Talk with God:**

Jesus, I yield myself to Your working. I choose to listen to Your voice. Help me to be all that You have created me to be. Forgive me for giving in to my selfish desires and help me to bear fruit. I want to be more like You.

I ask all this in Jesus name.

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SCAN ME





# Mission Trip - Flying to Yucatán, Mexico

Sat. July 22nd - Fri. July 28th, 2023

For adults & youth (families welcome)

- \* Helping poverty-stricken families & sharing the love of Jesus
- \* Outreaches & school supplies for the kids of Mexico
- \* Youth rally with dramas, worship & God's Word
- \* 3 Days of VBS with 100 kids
- \* Stay in a nice hotel & enjoy God's creation at a beautiful beach

*Gotta have  
a passport.*

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# SPIRITUAL AMAZING RACE

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Pakistan



Saudi Arabia



Somalia



Sudan



Syria



Turkey



Vietnam



Yemen

# EGP Youth Camp SCHEDULE

## Subject to change via The Holy Spirit

### Monday-

- 12-2:30pm** - Groups Check-in (By Apt in Main Auditorium)  
Check rooms / Do Devo #1 /Check out merch tables
- 5-6:15pm** - Dinner in Cafeteria (Servant Leaders cut for all meals)
- 5:30pm** - Servant Leader's Prayer & Equipping Mtg (Main Auditorium)  
/Youth hang out in foyer until doors open (Not back to dorms)
- 6:30pm** - Night Session (Main Auditorium)
- After After After Party - Games & Transform DJs (Main Auditorium)
- Youth Pastor's Reception

### Tuesday - Thursday

- 8-8:45am** - Breakfast
- 8:30am** - Servant Leader's Prayer  
& Equipping Mtg
- 9am** - Morning Session
- 11am** - Choose from Workshops (Tues. & Wed.)
- 12pm** - Lunch / Servant Leaders meet 12:30pm
- 1-3pm** - Spiritual Amazing Race (Starts in the Main Auditorium)
- 3-5:30pm** - Rec Time (Indoor Pool 3:30-5:30pm)
- 5-6:15pm** - Dinner / hang out in main foyer
- 6pm** - Servant Leader's Prayer & Equipping Meeting
- 6:30pm** - Night Session
- TripleT (Time To Testify -Youth Group's Individual Testimony Time)
- The "In Room Curfew" & "Lights Out Time" announced each night.

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### Friday- 8-9am / Breakfast

- 9am - Clean-up Rooms, Common Area & Return Keys to SAGU
- 10am - Head Home & Tell Everyone What Jesus Has Done for You!

**Report  
ROOM  
ISSUES**

**Work Order**



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camp info.

