



Sunday morning, our teens are dismissed right after worship and our video announcements for traditional Bible Instruction, personal ministry and a time to reflect. We have an obligation to make sure our teens and young adults are well versed in God's Word! This word, brought by Pastor Ed, is challenging, strong in good theology, placed into context and

> brought to our teens at a level they can fully grasp. Teens are always given an opportunity to give their lives to Christ and become a follower of Him.

Our student lounge and basketball court is open every Sunday before church starts, from 9:30-10:00am.

#### **Ground Zero Tailgate Nights**

The 1st and 3rd Wednesday nights of each month are usually outreach centered. We call these services our "Tailgate" nights, where there are always burgers on the grill, great music. Some type of sports, and a brief inspirational message, where teenagers are given an opportunity to give their hearts to Jesus. While Sunday mornings are more traditional Bible training, Wednesday nights often use current events, topical trends and subjects related to teen culture as our starting point of our discussions. Our Tailgate nights have more hangout time included in the format, so teens can play pool, foosball, basketball, video games and connect with their new friends.

#### **Ground Zero "IGNITE" Services**

The 2nd and 4th Wednesday nights our teens experience passionate worship during out "IGNITE" format. This format is designed for teens to go deeper in their relationship with Christ. Our teenage worship team leads us into God's presence, usually 3 songs and personal ministry. The ministered Word is usually a bit longer and deeper than our evangelistic "Tailgate" format. You'll often find teens kneeling, worshipping and recommitting their lives to Christ during out IGNITE services. Our IGNITE services are about 45 minutes long, with time for personal ministry and prayer afterwards.

## **Ground Zero** Serves the **Larger Vision**

Since Ground Zero is fully integrated into the life and events of the church, our teens are encouraged to attend all church events, and to serve whenever possible. If it's a rainy Sunday, you'll find our

teenage guys meeting ladies as they drive in, escorting them with an umbrella to the front doors of the church, to make sure they don't slip and fall. You'll often find our young ladies helping in the nursery with children and infants. Ground Zero operates a Sunday morning Sanctuary Café, where fresh coffee and hot cinnamon rolls are served.

## **Ground Zero Small Groups & Student Leaders**

During the Fall, our 'Tailgate format" switches to small home groups, located in homes in and around Auburn.

# TOURDATES 2016

# **Summer Rafting Trip**

Saturday, June 18, 6:00-5:00pm Meet at the church at 6:00am for transportation. Breakfast provided.

### **Annual Men v Teens Softball Game**

Sunday, June 26, 1:00pm Meet at Regional park, Hot Dogs, sodas provided. Bring your own lawn chair and softball mit.

Sunday, July 23, 10:00am Great Music, special speaker,

## **Camping & Bonfire**

Friday, August 26- Saturday, August 27, 6:00pm Meet at the church at 5:00pm for transportation. \$99 each, included overnight accommodations and meals.

## **3rd Annual Road Rally** & Scavenger Hunt

Wednesday, August 31, 6:30pm-8:30pm Always a Ground Zero fun outreach event. \$5 each

# Ice Skating in Roseville

Wednesday, December 7, 6:30pm \$10 each, dress warm, transportation provided.

#### **Christmas Formal**

Wednesday, December 14, 6:30pm Great Food, great fun, catch the vision, Mother/Son dance & Father Daughter dance! \$10 per person, dress is formal.

### See You at the Pole 2016 - The Gathering of the Unashamed V

Stand courageously at your school's Flagpole and pray at 7:00am. And gather with hundreds of other Auburn area teens at the Gathering of the Unashamed at 7:01pm.

## **Thanksgiving** "VIKING" Feast II

Wednesday, November 16, 6:30pm All the great food of a traditional Thanksgiving meal, but no forks, spoons or knives. \$5 dollars each.

