



April 14, 2024 | 3rd Sunday of Easter



ROOTED

Dwelling Deeply with Jesus and Others through Prayer

“The Biggest Problem with Prayer”
Matthew 6:7-15



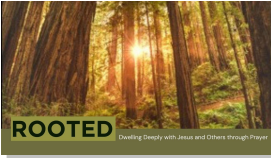
GETTING CLOSER to God

GROWING DEEPER in Love

REACHING WIDER with the Gospel

Order of Worship

Welcome & Announcements		Joanie Huston
Opening Hymn	“O How I Love Jesus” #170	Mike Gaul & Joseph Brewer Director of Music Ministry
Children’s Message		Sasha LaBonte Director of Children’s Ministry
Scripture Reading	Matthew 6:7-15	Frank Jones
Message	“The Biggest Problem with Prayer”	Rev. Tim Emmett Senior Pastor
Anthem	“Psalm 86” by Carl J. Nygard	Worship Choir
The Apostles’ Creed		Jacque Burkhart
Gloria Patri		
Pastoral Prayer		
The Lord’s Prayer		
	Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.	
Mission Moment		Kairos Prayer Chain Links
Invitation to Give		
Offering & Offertory Music	“Have My Heart” by Brandon Lake, Chandler Moore, Steven Furtick, & Tiffany Hudson	Praise Band
Closing Praise	“The Lord’s Prayer (It’s Yours)”	
Call to Service		
Benediction		
Song of Response	“On Eagle’s Wings” #143	
Postlude		



ROOTED

A few possible next steps

As we seek to be ROOTED, as Jesus was, in GOD through PRAYER, we invite you to join us each day this week as we Read, Reflect, Practice, and Pray.

Read

Since the early church was deeply connected with Jesus through prayer, we are reading the book of Acts in April and May. Most often referred to as *The Acts of the Apostles*, it is more accurately called *The Acts of the Risen Lord by His Spirit through His Church*. Read on and see why!

- Monday: Acts 4:32-37
- Tuesday: Acts 5:1-11
- Wednesday: Acts 5:12-16
- Thursday: Acts 5:17-42
- Friday: Acts 6:1-7
- Saturday: Acts 6:8-15
- Sunday: Catch up on your reading!

As an aid to your reading of Acts, take a few minutes to watch this video from *The Bible Project*:

<https://bibleproject.com/explore/video/acts-1-12/>

Reflect

When you need to be inspired to dwell deeply with Jesus and others through prayer, read and reflect on any or all of the following observations about the Lord's Prayer:

After more than twenty-five years in pastoral ministry, twenty of them teaching on prayer, I have come to the conclusion that most people's biggest problem with prayer is God. They envisage him scowling, perpetually disapproving, invariably disappointed and needing to be placated or persuaded in prayer. If that's how you picture God, I really don't blame you for trying to avoid his gaze! But Jesus says something completely different.

(Pete Greig, *How to Pray*, p.53)

All who adore Him must adore Him in the Spirit of truth. And day and night let us direct praises and prayers to Him, saying, "Our Father, Who art in heaven.". (Francis of Assisi)

This God whom we worship, even while being our Father, is also the God of the heavens, the inescapable one, the profound mystery that we are too small to even begin to conceive. And yet, this one loves us as a Father! (Justo Gonzalez, *Teach Us To Pray*, p.59)

Practice

For most of Christian history, believers have paused three times a day to pray the Lord's Prayer. During the months of April and May, we're encouraging everyone to adopt this ancient practice at whatever times work best for you. The key is to make it a habit. Set your alarm as a gentle reminder to pause and pray:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Pray

In addition to praying the Lord's Prayer three times per day, we're inviting everyone to experiment with one-sentence prayers; simple, brief prayers drawn from Scripture that help us re-center our hearts on God. This week, consider using, "Our Father in heaven..." (Matthew 6:9) as your one-sentence prayer. Repeat it, paraphrase it, and expand on it (briefly) throughout the day; not as a way to ask anything from God, but instead as a way to be present to God. For example, the words could be repeated in any or all of the following ways:

Our father in heaven
Our heavenly father
Our father most high
Our father most near
Our father all around us
Our father with and for me
Our father with and for all

You get the point!

THIS WEEK ^{at} GLANCE



Sunday, April 14

9:30am Sunday School Classes
9:30am Youth Sunday School
9:30am Cannon Kids
11am Worship Service
5pm Youth Group

Monday, April 15

6pm Boy Scouts
6:30pm Sarah Circle Meeting
8pm Alcoholics Anonymous

Tuesday, April 16

8am Tuesday Men's Bible Study
10am Gwinnett Quilters Guild

Wednesday, April 17

10am Gwinnett Quilters Guild
5:45pm Bible Reading Group
7pm Worship Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, April 18

6pm Dinner Church @ SEGC
6:30pm Orchestra Rehearsal
7:30pm Praise Band Rehearsal
8pm Alcoholics Anonymous

Saturday, April 20

7:30am Men's Bible Study
8:30am Diamonds in the Rough
7:45pm Narcotics Anonymous

Sunday, April 21

9:30am Sunday School Classes
9:30am Youth Sunday School
9:30am Cannon Kids
11am Worship Service: Joining Sunday
12:30pm Church Council
5pm Youth Group

Reception of

New Members

We would love to be your new (or first) church! Therefore, we'll receive new members on the third Sunday of each month during the service of worship. For more information - or to sign up for April 21 - please contact Jan Dwyer, our Director of Discipleship and Hospitality, at JanD@cannonchurch.org.



MISSION OF THE MONTH MISSION

ALL SERVE SATURDAY

APRIL 27

BROOKWOOD HIGH & GWIN OAKS ELEMENTARY

Our focus for April is Brookwood High and Gwin Oaks Elementary Schools. Mark your calendars for an ALL SERVE SATURDAY on April 27!

PRAY • SERVE • GIVE

**MORE INFORMATION:
CANNONCHURCH.ORG, SERVE,
COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

ALL Serve Donation List:

Please review the list of needed items online by scanning the QR Code and sign up for your donation. Donations need to be dropped off at the church by or before Thursday, April 25.



ALL Serve Donation List

- Individually Wrapped Lifesaver Mints
- Chapstick / Lip Balm
- Hershey Kiss
- Advil (one dose packet or travel size)
- Tylenol (one dose packet or travel size)
- Band-aids (standard size)
- EmergenC
- Hand Sanitizer (travel/purse size)
- Kleenex (purse size)
- Hard candy (individually wrapped)
- Clorox / Antibacterial wipes (travel size)

ALL Serve Volunteer Opportunities:

Please review the available opportunities online by scanning the QR Code and sign up for your preferred volunteer spot.



ALL Serve Volunteer Opps.

- Inventory (April 25; 2-4pm)
- ALL Serve Packing (April 27; 9:30am-12pm)
- Set-up (April 26; 4-5:30pm)

Cannon is helping to feed hungry kids at some of our local schools



Thank you so much for continuing to support this wonderful ministry! Our numbers have increased to **28** students each week and we are in need of many items.

Please help us restock the pantry.

Here's how to help:

- Donate food items from the list below. Place the items in the bin located at the Main Entrance. Please purchase single-serve and pop-tab cans.
- Contact: Beth Will (willisbetho@gmail.com).

Most needed items:

- Individual cereal boxes or plastic tubs (Walmart, and some Krogers, usually has them in-store or online)
- Peanut butter (small jar or individual)
- Canned ravioli or similar
- Vienna sausages
- Individual shelf milk
- Individual fruit snacks (i.e. raisin boxes)
- Individual mac 'n cheese cups
- Canned hearty soups
- Canned tuna or chicken or individual servings

Other items used:

- Individual packs of Oatmeal
- Granola/Oatmeal bars
- Peanut butter crackers
- Ramen noodles
- Juice boxes
- Pudding cups, fruit cups, or applesauce
- Small tortillas



SE GWINNETT CO-OP DONATIONS

Most Needed Item for April: Mac and Cheese

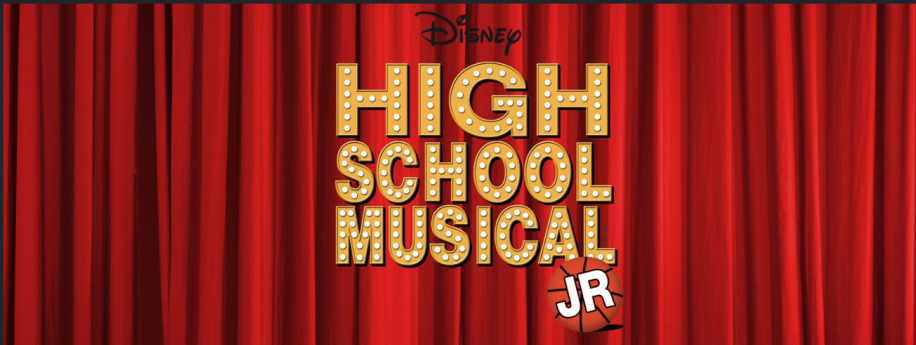
Each month, each church will be focused on one item for donation to the SEGC. For April, Cannon's item is **Mac and Cheese**. While all items are still welcome, Mac and Cheese will be the item that they most need from us.

Please place your donations in the bins at the lower level entrances. Thank you for your generous support of SE Gwinnett Co-op!





MUSICAL THEATRE SUMMER CAMP!



Scan me to register!



JUNE 10-21 9AM-3PM
PERFORMANCE JUNE 21 @ 6:30
RISING 2ND-8TH

EMAIL JOSEPHB@CANNONCHURCH.ORG

PRAYER SHAWL MEETING

Calling all those who enjoy crocheting and knitting! The Prayer Shawl Ministry invites you to bring your needles and yarn and join us on the second Monday of each month at 7pm in the Conference Room (2nd floor-B213). For information or to request a shawl for someone, call Carol Upreti (404.731.0835).

SARAH CIRCLE

The next meeting will be on April 15 at 7pm in the Youth Center. Come and get better acquainted with Jackson Mobley and Joseph Brewer as they share their journeys that brought them to Cannon, their vision for the future, and how we can help them. Gather at the Youth Center at 6:30pm for fellowship and food and our program will start at 7pm. Enter the church at the Education entrance (aka Grand Lobby). If you have questions or arrive after the doors are locked, contact Diane Cline (770.317.0751 or bcline1027@comcast.net) or Nancy Hammer (404.314.1425 or nhammer17@gmail.com).

Preschool



**REGISTRATION
NOW OPEN**

Age 1 - Pre-K

Please contact us to schedule a tour:

678.501.6442



**NOW
HIRING**

**PRESCHOOL TEACHERS
ASSISTANT & SUBSTITUTES**

678.501.6442

AfterSchool / Summer Day Camp

AFTERSCHOOL / SUMMER DAY CAMP REGISTRATION

Cannon AfterSchool 2024/25 Registration Opens:

Current Students: Monday, February 5
Church Members: Wednesday, February 7
Community: Friday, February 9

Cannon Summer Day Camp 2024 Registration Opens:

Returning 2023: Monday, April 8
Church Members: Wednesday, April 10
Community: Friday, April 12

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SUMMER DAY CAMP IS HIRING!

Camp Dates
May 29-July 26
NO WEEKENDS!!!

Job Description:

Summer Day Camp counselors provide supervision and interaction with school - aged children in a fun, Christian environment. Counselors lead and work with a group of 15 - 25 elementary or middle school aged children. Counselors ensure the safety of the children as they take them through a structured day of fun, crafts, games, physical activity, and quiet time for reading. Counselors should come with a positive attitude and a growth mindset.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS

- Has a passion for working with elementary and middle school aged children
- Has previous classroom or camp experience
- Works well as part of a team
- Has a desire to make a difference in the life of a child

Hours:

Morning: 8:00 am - 1:30 pm
Afternoon: 12:00 pm - 6:00 pm
All Day: 8:30 am - 5:30 pm

Requirements

Must be 18 or older
Must have a clean background check

Pay Range: \$13-15 hourly

Send resumes to Natalie Taddei
nataliet@cannonchurch.org
2424 Webb Gin House Road
Snellville, GA 30078
678-501-6436



Donut worry!

SPRING IS HERE!

CELEBRATE WITH A DOZEN (OR TWO)!

SUPPORT CANNON AFTERSCHOOL BY PURCHASING A DONUT CERTIFICATE!

How it works:

- One certificate for a dozen donuts is \$8.00 each
- Please visit this link to submit an order form:
<https://tinyurl.com/CannonAfterSchool24>
- All orders must be paid for by cash (exact change) or check made out to Cannon AfterSchool
- All orders must be submitted by April 26th
- Certificates will be available for pick up on April 29th for you to redeem your dozen at any Krispy Kreme location





For further information on Children's Ministry, visit cannonchurch.org, Connect, Cannon Kids
Contact: Sasha LaBonte (678.501.6417 or sashal@cannonchurch.org)

Join our Cannon Kids Facebook page to stay up to date on events and Sunday morning activities!

JOIN US SUNDAY MORNINGS

9:30AM

- Combined 4-year-old through 5th Grade Sunday School Hour

11AM SUNDAY MORNING KIDS' SERVICE

- Nursery (0-3 years)
- **NEW** Pre K-K (ages 4,5,6) – Class in the Nursery hallway, Room 123. An age-appropriate Bible Lesson will be provided with Worship, games, crafts, and other activities! We are excited for you to join us!
- 1st-5th Grade will begin in the Sanctuary and then be dismissed downstairs to resume a morning of Bible, games, and activities.



JUNE 3-7
M-Th: 5:30-8:30pm
Fri: Celebration for the Whole Family

Excitement is building for Vacation Bible School (VBS)! Camp Firelight is a Summer Camp adventure with God!


VBS Children's Registration: \$30/child (Ages 4 thru Rising 6th Grade)

VBS Volunteers Registration: Check out the registration to see all available serving areas! We can't wait for you to join us this year!


Register at: cannonchurch.org, Registrations




Visit cannonchurch.org, Connect, Students
Contact: Jackson Mobley (jacksonm@cannonchurch.org)


 Facebook: facebook.com/cannonyouth

 Instagram: [@CannonYouth](https://www.instagram.com/CannonYouth)

 Email: cannonyouth@gmail.com

 Phone Number: 478-731-4263

 Remind 101 for middle school:
Text @cannon-ms to 81010

 Remind 101 for high school:
Text @cannon-hs to 81010

SUNDAYS FOR YOUTH

Sunday Morning **Sunday Evening**

- 9:30am Sunday School
- 5-7pm Youth Group

Join us for

Confirmation Interest Meetings

April 14 & May 5 - Youth Center

All parents and students (6th grade and up) who have not been confirmed are invited to attend an informational meeting about Confirmation on Sunday, April 14 or Sunday, May 5 after Worship in the Youth Center. As you may know, Confirmation is a class, offered in the Fall, through which students learn the basics of United Methodism. Those who choose to be confirmed (to “make firm” their commitment to Christ and his church) will be received as full members during Worship on Confirmation Sunday, November 17. For more information, contact Pastor Tim (TimE@cannonchurch.org).

Youth

SUMMER SCHEDULE

JUNE 2024

JUN 11

SIX FLAGS OVER GA

10am-8pm: \$40 (or free with a season pass)

MOVIE NIGHT @ CANNON UMC

6-9pm: Free

JUN 16

JUN 26

GEORGIA AQUARIUM

10am-4:30pm: \$40

MINI LOCK-IN

6-11pm: Free

JUN 30



CONTACT JACKSON MOBLEY FOR MORE INFO

**JACKSONM@CANNONCHURCH.ORG
678.779.6161**

Youth

SUMMER SCHEDULE

JULY 2024

JUL 7

BOWLING @ BOWLERO

4-8pm: \$30

COLOR WAR & TIE DYE

5-8pm: Free

JUL 17

JUL 21-26

YOUTH WEEK

Visit the Youth Center for more information!

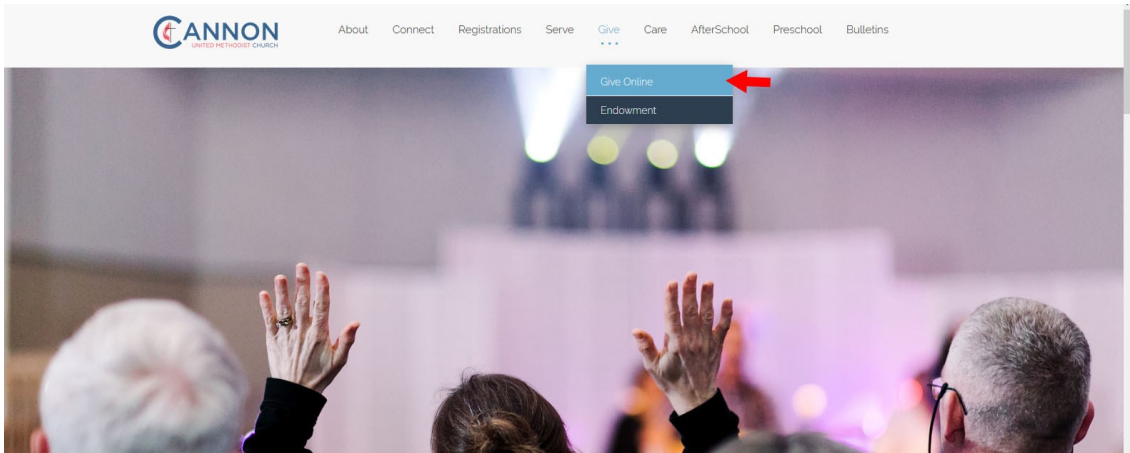


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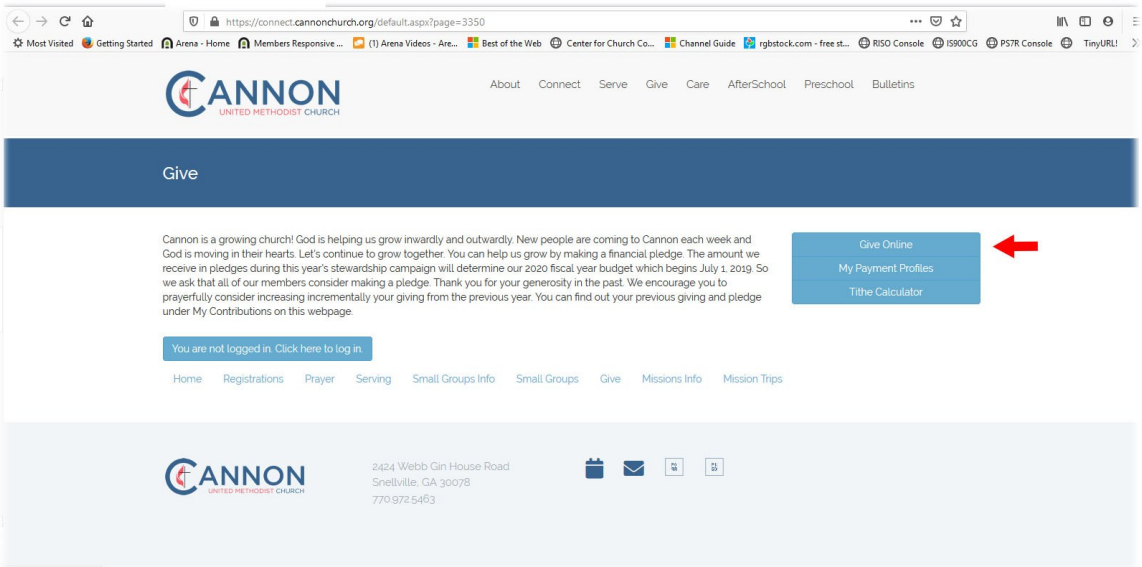
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678.779.6161**

Online Giving Instructions

Go to cannonchurch.org and hover over the “Give” but then click on the “Give Online” that pops up as indicated by the red arrow below.



It will take you to the following page. Click on the “Give Online” option as indicated by the red arrow below. Then you can Login or set up a profile.



If you would prefer a password be assigned to you, send Angie an email at angieb@cannonchurch.org and she will establish a password for you and send it to you.

Prayer List

April Prayer Focus: The Lord's Prayer

April Mission Prayer Focus: Brookwood High and Gwin Oaks Elementary Schools

New Concerns (Listed for 3 weeks)

- Continued prayers for my brother, Tim, for God's presence and guidance and healing for cancer and kidney distress
- Pray that I will be effective in my new position
- Safe travels for Becky's daughter
- A dear friend diagnosed with Multiple Myeloma
- Be with a sister who has stage 4 cancer
- Ralph and his cancer. KA and her cancer fight.
- Etsuko Grantham – recovery for arm surgery
- Our son for a good job for himself and his family
- Crystal – for full-time employment and sleep at night. I'm not getting any interviews.
- David Butler – healing from surgery for mouth cancer and upcoming treatment
- Going through a divorce
- Ryleigh – continued healing from a horse riding accident

Praises

- Praise my Beloved Father, His Son Jesus Christ for allowing me to be blessed in one way or another each day
- Thank you Lord for the three visitors to our Sunday School Class

Our Sympathy to

- David Nisbet, David II, Alicia, Dusti & Family on the loss of wife and mother, Daone, on April 1
- Russ & LeeHester Rhodes and family on the death of Russ' mother, Beverly, on April 6

Ongoing Concerns (Listed for 3 months)

- Eric Schott – health concerns
- Carol – prayers for healing – ongoing treatments

Armed Forces

- Lt. Colonel Lane Daigle (Marines) – Marine Corps Air Station, Kaneohe Bay, Hawaii
- Major Jon Brown (Air Force) – Eglin AFB, FL
- Parker Travis (Navy) – ABF1 (EAWS and ESWS) – USS Kearsarge LHD3, Norfolk, VA
- Major Ty Bowen (Air Force) – Mountain Home AFB, ID
- Col. Chris Steele (Marines) Commanding Officer, 5th Marine Regiment – deployed to Australia
- Christian Peterson (Navy)
- Staff Sgt. Jeff Wells (Army) – Syria
- Drew Moseley (Navy) – Whidbey Island Naval Air Station
- Levi Reulecke (Navy) – Chief Master at Arms – stationed in Guam
- Nate Smith LCpL (Marines) – stationed at Camp Hansen, Okinawa Japan
- Captain Grant Capps, MD – Tinker AFB, Oklahoma
- Lieutenant Colonel (LTC) Clay Bagwell – Aviation Task Force Commander

Missionaries

- Our missionaries in Egypt
- Daniel and Katie Simmons (UGA)
- Donald and Cristy Stretch and family (Dominical, Costa Rica)

In an effort to keep the Prayer List up-to-date, please submit updates to any requests currently posted, including the Armed Forces section. **New Concerns** will run for three weeks unless an update is submitted. **Ongoing Concerns** will run for three months unless an update is submitted.

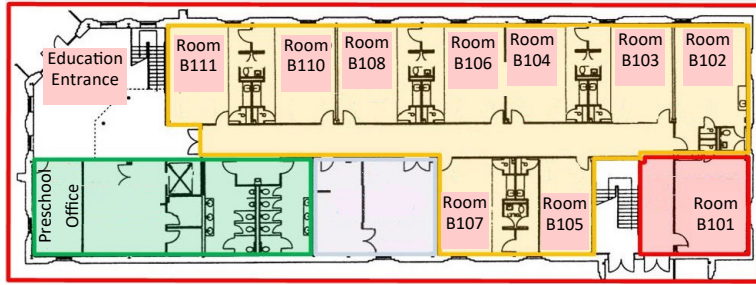
Meet Our Staff

Direct Line: 678.501.xxxx (insert 4-digit extension)

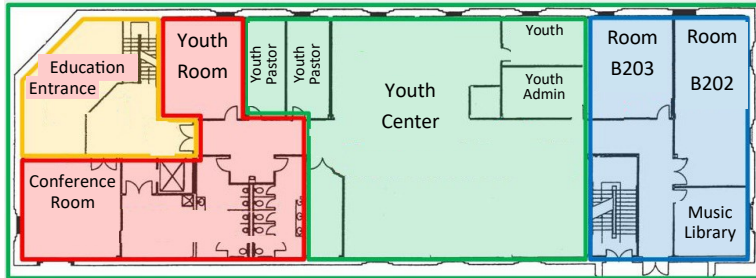
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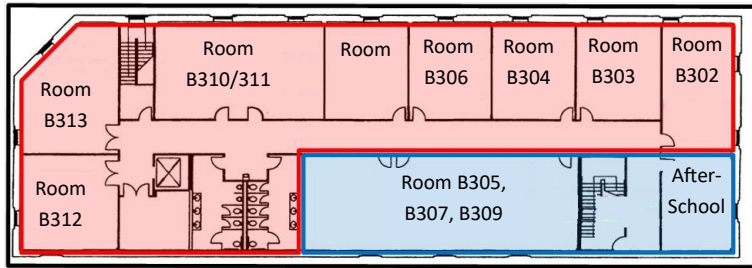
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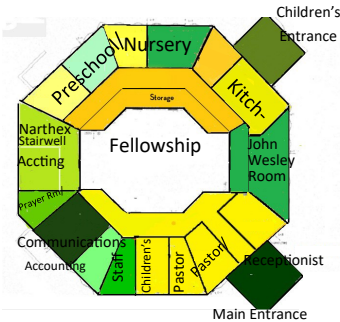
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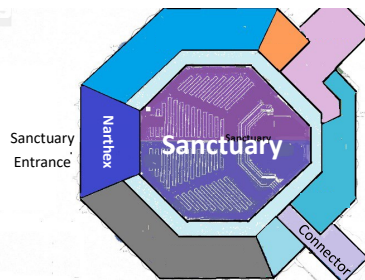
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