

**FOLLOW CHRIST WITH
RADICAL SURRENDER**



DiscipleNow

March 5-7, 2010

Cost \$45

Dear Parents & BOLD Students,

I'm not one to do something again just because that's "how it's been done before," but DiscipleNow '09 so impacted our student's spiritual life that it's back by popular demand! **D-Now 2010 has been scheduled for March 5-7!** What is DiscipleNow for those of you who may not know? It is an intense, FUN weekend of soaking in the truth of God's word and His powerful presence, while also hanging out with friends (new and old)! We'll meet in homes and divide into groups based on gender and grade which will be led by energetic college-age (and a few "seasoned") believers who love teenagers! The material we will be using is entitled **SEQUENCE: Following Christ in Radical Surrender** (visit justlikechrist.com and check it out). For too long we've expected God to meet us, come along side of us and bless our plans. But have you ever stopped to consider how out of order that is? Jesus calls us to come after Him. To follow Him. He is the way, the truth and the life. It's time to get back to what being a Christian is all about. Following Christ!

The weekend will kick off on Friday night with refreshments and a live worship concert. The students will receive their home assignments at this time and later in the evening will head to their homes where some serious, heartfelt discipleship will take place. Saturday will be filled with inter-active small group discussion, Spirit-led prayer and ministry and recreation time, including our third annual Capture the Flag competition complete with face paint (or maybe something entirely new-you never know!)

The cost for DiscipleNow is \$45 per student. This includes admission to the live worship concert, a personal Study Guide/Devotional, cool t-shirt, meals and endless snacks. We don't want the cost to be prohibitive, so if you need assistance please contact Jeff or Toni in the office. **Sign-up deadline is Sunday, February 28.**

Each session builds on the previous one, so it is important for students to attend the entire weekend. However, if for some reason they must be away, please fill out the TIME AWAY portion of the registration form included with this letter.

No matter where your son or daughter may be spiritually, DiscipleNow has something to offer. As a parent, may I ask you to strongly encourage your child(ren) to be a part of this exciting weekend? Their non-Calvary junior and senior high friends are welcome to attend as well. Feel free to photocopy the Registration/Medical Release form if needed. The following are various ways that you can assist with DiscipleNow '10:

- 1. Offer your home as a meeting site for one of the small groups (Call Toni to volunteer)**
- 2. Be sure that your child has turned in the required registration/medical release form and \$45 payment no later than Sunday morning, February 28.**
- 3. Assist with transportation to and from the various activities - please call the church office if you are available to help.**
- 4. Pray for DiscipleNow and its leadership daily.**

Thank you for entrusting your children to me. I'm expecting the Lord to do great and wonderful things in the lives of each one of them at DiscipleNow. If you have any questions about this event, please call me at (281) 550-4323.

Your Resident Radical Christ Follower,

Jeff Chapman
Youth Pastor



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D-NOW STUFF YOU GOTTA KNOW...

SCHEDULE

Dates: March 5-7, 2010

Registration Deadline: Sun., Feb.28

Cost: \$45

FRIDAY, MARCH 5

7:00 PM	Light Refreshments
7:30 PM	Group Assignments / Meet Leaders
8:15 PM	Depart for Homes
8:30 PM	<u>Session ONE: Discipleship Defined</u>
10:00 PM	Break for Snacks & Fun
11:30 PM	Lights out!

SATURDAY, MARCH 6

8:00 AM	Rise 'n' Shine / Brief Devo
8:30 AM	Breakfast
9:15 AM	<u>Session TWO: Deny Yourself</u>
10:15 AM	Break
10:30 AM	Ministry Time
11:30 AM	Lunch
1:00 PM	<u>Session Three: Take Up Your Cross</u>
2:30 PM	Group Recreation! Game Faces On!
4:30 PM	Return to homes to get cleaned up
5:30 PM	Dinner at Calvary
7:00 PM	Daniel Pratt Worship Concert!
8:30 PM	Return to homes
9:00 PM	<u>Session Four: Follow Me</u>
10:00 PM	Ministry Time / Snacks / Games, etc
11:45 PM	Lights out!

SUNDAY, MARCH 7

7:30 AM	Rise 'n' Shine / Brief Devo
7:45 AM	Clean your host home
8:45 AM	Return to CCC for Light Breakfast
9:00 AM	Worship / Ministry & Testimonies
10:00 AM	Attend Calvary Worship Service

PACKING LIST

The following is a list of stuff you need to bring.

1. Your Bible--our textbook
2. Sleeping bag and pillow
3. Towels and washcloths
4. Something to write with--pen/pencil
5. Toothpaste/toothbrush
6. Deodorant!
7. Other necessary toiletries
8. Change of clothes for Saturday (remember, we're playing Capture the Flag so you may want to bring "play clothes" and another set of clothes for Saturday evening) AND Sunday "Church" clothes (What's the difference right?)
9. Jammies
10. Warm Coat (depending on weather)
11. Snack foods you may want to bring (optional)
12. Hungry, humble, teachable heart

TIP: LABEL YOUR STUFF!

PLEASE Do NOT bring ipods, mp3 players, etc. This will be an "unplugged" weekend so you can plug into the Lord. Cell phones are OK, but are not to be seen or used without permission... (NO texting allowed during our group times!!!)