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BEHOLD, A NEW THING

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Behold, I do a new thing.

ISAIAH 43

As humans we really are creatures of habit in all that we do and that isn't necessarily the greatest thing! We like to get into unchanging, predictable routines and move within those preset patterns. This tends to gives us a sense of comfort and stability as we construct and go about our lives .Depending on what our outlook in life is, mainly what our focus/goal is in this life, that can be either joyous or terror. What do I mean joyous or terror? We have all had a past, a history where we all went about galavanting in different fashions. Think back for a moment, who you used to be, the things you participated in or the things you had incorporated into your daily / weekly life. The world lives for the weekend with it's work hard all week and party just as hard on the weekend!

What that party consists of, is the substance of this world and the activities they find acceptable. We read in Galatian's what they are about: "The acts of the flesh are obvious: sexual immorality, impurity and debauchery; idolatry and witchcraft; hatred, discord, jealousy, fits of rage, selfish ambition, dissensions, factions and envy; drunkenness, orgies, and the like..."

Galatians 5:19-21

That sums up a typical Friday and Saturday for many people with Sunday left to recuperate and reflect back on and remember the previous day(s) lived! Unfortunately some people loose memory from the bacchanal of those days. Yes those are (hopefully) the days of yesteryear, long gone (I'm praying).

All of these activities we continue to read are contrary to how those who believe in our Lord Jesus Christ are to live. Galatian's goes on to read:

" ... I warn you, as I did before, that those who

live like this will not inherit the kingdom of God. Galatians5:21

The ways of yesteryear, the carnal life, the old person are contrary to the ways of the Lord and the spiritual life we are called to in our Lord Jesus Christ. Week after week people repeat the same pattern, being contrary to the Lord through repeated patterns and choices which are difficult habits and patterns to break.

The adversary of our soul wants us to remain a prisoner of "what was" and to remain in the memory of what and who has died, the old person. In this we struggle to change habits. We truly can't change on our own; this is why the Lord came to save us from the habitual sin we allow in our lives and are slave to.

"The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind,

to set the oppressed free"

Luke 4:18

We HAVE BEEN SAVED by the sacrifice of our Lord and He has broken the chains that once bound us in sin. It is for us to remember this and in so doing we remember ALL the goodness of the Lord in our lives. In Romans we read:

"For we know that our old self was crucified with

him so that the body ruled by sin might be done away with,[a] that we should no longer be slaves to sin— because anyone who has died has been set free from sin."

Romans 6:6-7

Whatever ails us, troubles us...we ARE FREE in the new person. God Himself has taken us over and forward by His grace for His glory which is what we need to reflect on and remember. As the Lord leads we are to follow. If we remain in our daily patterns and routines, how we "always did things" how are we to follow God's lead?



Our Lord Jesus is leading each one of us to the NEW PERSON, the renewal that is in HIM.

"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!"

2 Corinthians 5:17

Remember this, God IS leading you to a newer and better person IN HIM! As He leads us we are to follow Him, abandoning ALL previous ways, cycles, routines, thinking, behaviours...ALL THINGS to be renewed in what the Lord wants for us in our lives.

As He says in Isaiah 43:19

"See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it?"

I see it, we behold it this weekend and can't wait to see where the Lord leads us all.

See you Sunday at 10:30
Pastor Bhawani -Who will you invite?

Did You Miss Sunday?

We gather at 10:30 am every Sunday at the church to worship, praise and hear the Word of God.



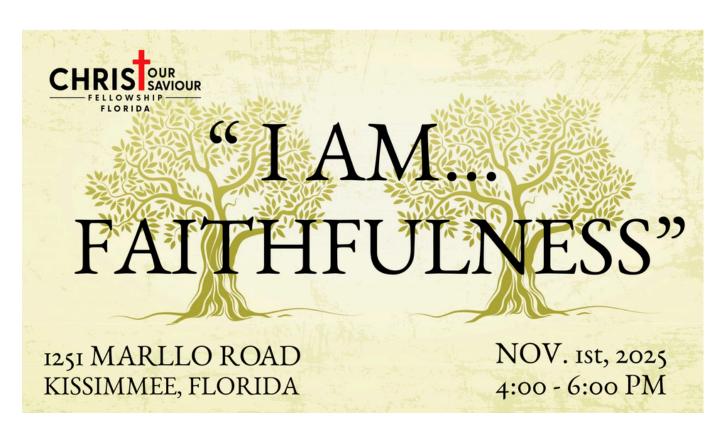
Wondering what our Sunday services look like?

- 10:30 ~10:50 Worship & Praise
- 10:50 ~11:25 Sermon
- 11:25 ~ 11:40 Worship & Praise
- Closing prayer

To view the most recent Sunday service from Christ Our Saviour Fellowship, please click on the link / image above.

To view the service archives please click **HERE**





What's Happening at COSF?

Upcoming Events & Services

NEW LOCATION FOR SUNDAY SERVICE
Unit #4

- COSF YOUTH Group- Fridays
- COSF Florida Nov 1st Service
- "I AM...FAITHFULNESS"
 - COSF FLORIDA has been granted
 FULL 501 (3) charity status
- Exodus series continues

COSF Campaign:

Church Move & Build

We are into September and preparing for our move by October 1st to unit #4. In our planning we've broken down into teams for this labour of the Lord before us, and I would like to encourage you all to be involved in the blessing that is upon us through time, labour, and donations as each is called.

In our planning and design we have identified some areas of focus and need for the new Church location setup as follows:

Our work should begin in the coming days between packing, clearing, building, setting up and decorating. Please speak with Bhawani if you are interested in helping. We ask you to pray and believe the Lord will bless COSF with:

The overall campaign and project goal is \$17,500 CURRENT TOTAL \$10,000 / \$17,500



COSF ORIGINAL Productions

In harnessing the latest media tools the COSF social media & production team, being led by the Holy Spirit, are overjoyed to share with you COSF ORIGINAL scriptural video productions! Our hope is these will touch the hearts of the people and be used globally to help lead people to the truths and glory of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Be sure to check back frequently as we are full steam ahead in production!



click here to see more



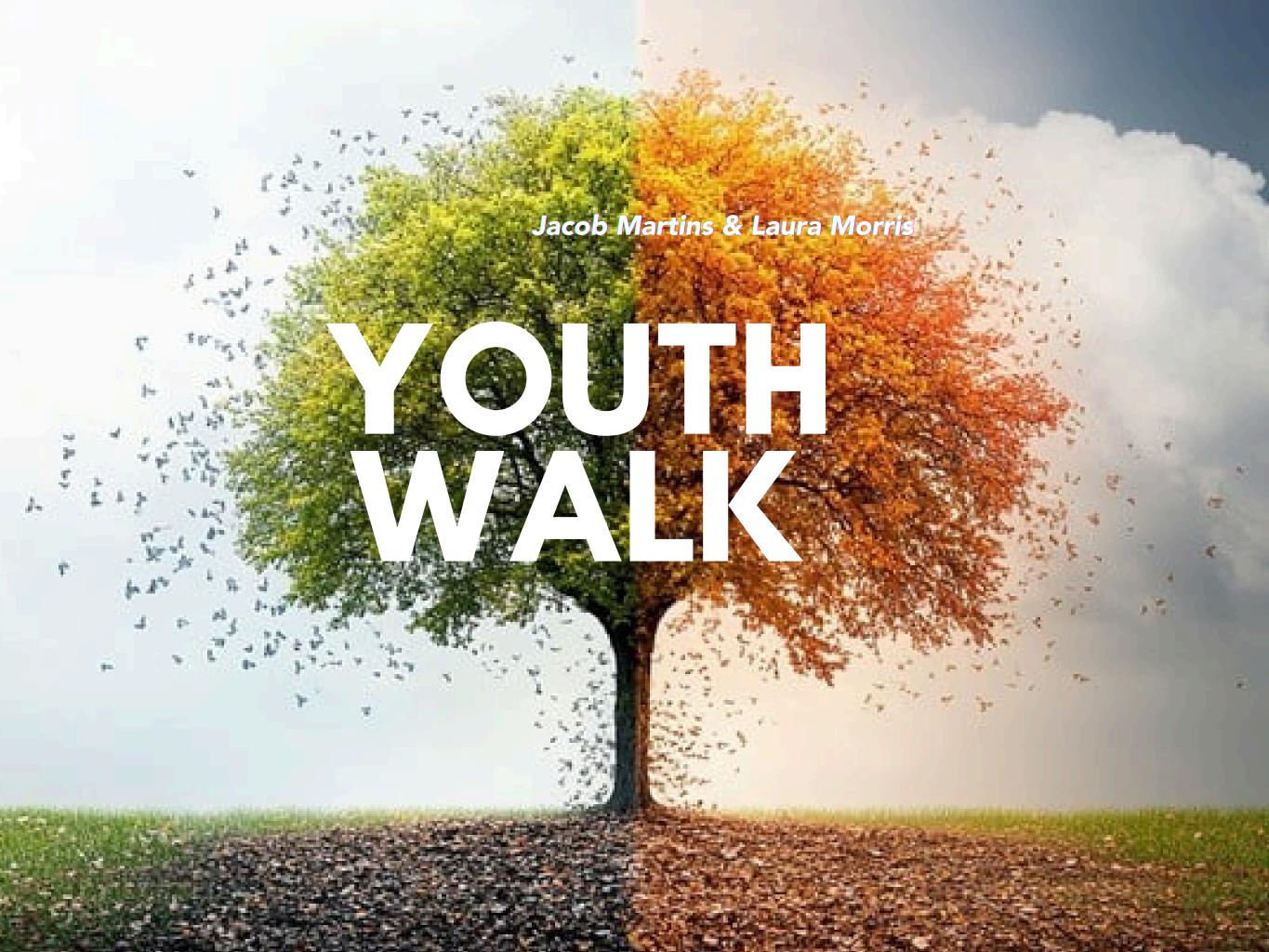


Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. 2 Corinthians 9:7

CLICK HERE TO DONATE

We thank the Lord for ALL He has done and the magnificent labour that we are being led to do in His righteous name. COSF continues the programs that we have been led to offer along side regular Sunday services.

- -International / Local missions & revival events
- -Variety of classes and courses to strengthen God's people:
- -Alpha film series, Alpha Youth, Conquer series
- -Discipleship series, Mentorship-based Ministry Leadership Certificate



Hello everyone, happy fall! Laura and I really do love the fall. The nice drop in temperature so we can start wearing sweaters, the cool breeze, and the fall colours, what is not to love? And with all of this change in the season, many of us are seeing something similar in our lives. I'm sure now that you are 4 weeks into school, things are starting to ramp up. I've heard of lots of assignments being handed out, university preparations for those in grade 11 and 12, tryouts and practices and new skills being learned, maybe new friends and social environments. There are a lot of areas we are growing in! Even at COSF, God has been leading us all in something new! As you probably know, we have been changing locations to a new unit three doors down and we have been labouring and learning a lot of new skills as we construct God's house. All of the church members have been learning how to do plumbing, build a metal frame and wall, cut steel and put down carpeting, etc. We have been learning how to do things we never thought we would, and although we have been challenged and have had to persevere through difficulties and doubt, its been amazing to see each person grow!

These seasons of growth can feel challenging, but

they also come with the opportunity for God to expand us beyond where we are currently at. The Lord strengthens and transforms us. As you are presented with the opportunity to grow each day, you should ask yourself ... 'what is my response going to be?' You can either resist, complain or try to stay in a place of comfort OR we can recognize these opportunities as blessings from God meant to expand us! As we look back over the past days, months and years, we see how God has grown us in all areas of our life and we should be thankful for what He has done and what He will continue to do.1 Thessalonians 5:23-24 says "Now may the God of peace Himself sanctify you entirely; and may your spirit and soul and body be preserved complete, without blame at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. Faithful is He who calls you, and He also will bring it to pass." God doesn't want us to be the same person that we were yesterday. He wants us to be expanded. God is faithful to lead us in every moment, we just have to be thankful and follow HIM!

Highschool Faith

@ COSF Youth Group:

we're so happy to be launching our youth group on October 3rd! this is a great opportunity to grow, support and share our faith with each other. As part of our group initiative we are launching "MADE FOR THIS", a national prayer for schools. We are focusing our efforts and prayers in the Barrie area. We welcome you to join us on this exciting journey!

Curious, Driven, Energetic: Our high schools are filled with visionaries and dreamers who will transform our country.

This generation is our future

let's come together to pray for them.

DON'T FORGET:

Friday Night Youth Group

Begins October 10th 7:00pm

REGISTER HERE

Schools we're praying for: St. Josephs High School Eastview Secondary School Barrie North Collegiate École Secondaire Nouvelle-Alliance St. Mary's Catholic School Unity Christian High School Innisdale Secondary School Heritage Christian Academy St. Joan of Arc High School Bear Creek Secondary School École Secondaire Roméo-Dallaire St. Peters Secondary School Maple Ridge Secondary School



Hello everyone! This week I have spoken with a brother from Kenya who had an accident last year, and has been suffering with stomach issues since. No doctors will consider operating, and now he is experiencing laboured breathing as well. We lift our brother up to the Lord and pray that Jesus would heal these injuries. We also pray for a doctor who is willing to treat our brother. We trust that God is faithful to save those that call upon His Holy and Mighty Name.

Hello everyone, a sister has been seeking prayer for the orphan children under her care. The flooding in Pakistan is still affecting them and they have no place to live, no food, no clothes and no shoes. Bless our Lord for how He has upheld them in this challenge and please pray that He continues to uphold and strengthen not only our sister and these children but everyone in the region suffering from the flooding, that the Lord provide all that they need and may they be drawn closer to our Lord in this trial as He intends for His children in every circumstance. Glory be His Name.



classes & study

Alpha Film Series

The Alpha Film Series is emotive, engaging and epic in scale and scope. Nicky Gumbel and two new presenters, Toby Flint and Gemma Hunt, walk through the basics of the Christian faith in a way that everyone can relate to. The episodes feature inspiring stories and interviews from all around the world, as well as visual illustrations and motion graphics.

ALPHA film series - FALL Session Tuesday October 7th 7:00pm

REGISTER HERE

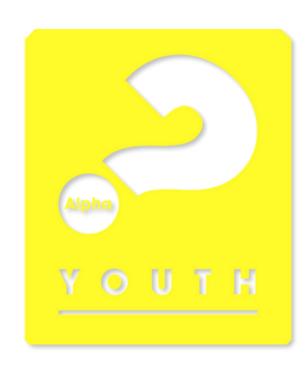
Location: Christ Our Saviour Fellowship

Alpha

Address: 250 Bayview Dr. Unit # 7,

Barrie ON

Cost: FREE



Alpha Youth Series is designed to engage students (11-18) in conversations about life, faith and Jesus. Discussion time is interspersed throughout the short talks to make it simpler for them to share their thoughts and questions.

New session of Alpha YOUTH series FALL COURSE - FRIDAY YOUTH GROUP

Location: Christ Our Saviour Fellowship

Address: 250 Bayview Dr. Unit # 7, Barrie ON

Cost: FREE

Alpha YOUTH! Series

The PRE Marriage Course



The PRE - Marriage Course is an opportunity for you to invest in your relationship through five inperson or online date nights created to help you to learn to communicate well, understand and appreciate your differences, and prepare for potential challenges.

New Sessions Begins in 2025- stay tuned Location: Christ Our Saviour Fellowship Course Journal required: a free PDF provided OR The Pre Marriage Journal available to purchase for \$15 each. The Marriage Course runs over seven sessions, and each session begins with sharing dinner as a couple, followed by a fun, insightful video covering topics that are relevant for every couple like Good Sex or Resolving Conflict. In short? Your marriage. But better challenges.

New Sessions Begins in 2025- stay tuned The Family Unit is vital and we're excited to introduce the Marriage course at COSF to help support the family unit! Please contact us if you are interested in participating in this course please contact us.

Location: Christ Our Saviour Fellowship
Cost: workbook approx \$18

The Marriage Course

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Men's Conquer Series

The Conquer Series is a powerful cinematic study that is transforming the lives of men around the world. Now in two action packed volumes, each containing Biblical teaching and proven principles to help men conquer porn and walk in freedom.

Men are finding freedom by the thousands. Dr. Ted Roberts, host of the Conquer Series, has personally counselled over 10,000 men with a 90% success rate. He's taken his proven Biblically-based process and incorporated it into the Conquer Series. We are now seeing thousands of men finding freedom from porn and remaining free for years!

2025 Course Dates - TBD

<u>Contact us</u> to find out more OR if you would like sign up for the upcoming course.





MINISTRY LEADERSHIP 2 YEAR DIPLOMA

<u>DETAILS: 12</u> OR <u>20</u> COURSE PROGRAMS, EACH COURSE 8 WEEKS COMPLETED AT OWN PACE, ALL COURSES PER ROUTE COMPLETED WITHIN 2 YEARS

12 COURSES - CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION

20 COURSES - DIPLOMA (ACCREDITED) WITH POTENTIAL TO BE APPLIED TOWARDS 25 COURSE DEGREE WITH KAIROS.

WHERE: ONLINE

MATERIAL: PROVIDED PER COURSE

COURSE DATES: BEGINS SOON - AUGUST 2025

COSF has partnered with ARTOS ACADEMY formerly Our daily Bread Ministries international institute to offer a mentorship-based 2 year ministry leadership certificate. By participating in this program, you are at the forefront of global theological training for the nations!

We thank the Lord for His leading in this!

UPDATES:

WE HAVE THE LOGIN AND REGISTRATION!!
WITH THE MOVE WE HAVE DECIDED TO DELAY THE
COURSE UNITL WE HAVE SETTLED OCT 1ST IN THE NEW
UNIT.

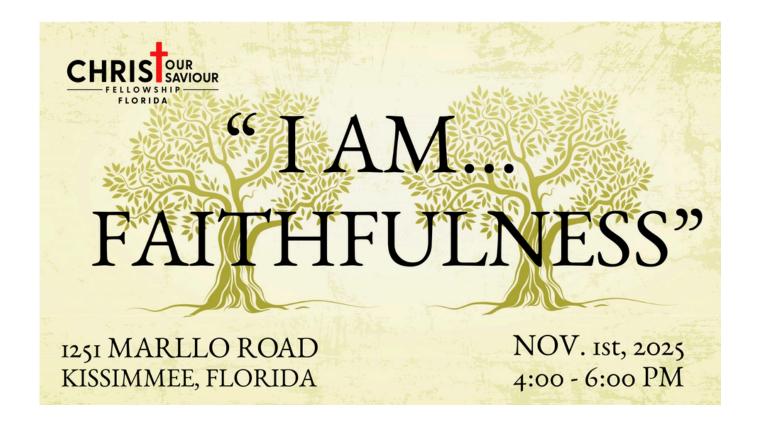
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REGISTRATION, THE FEES AND HOW WE WILL PROCEED.

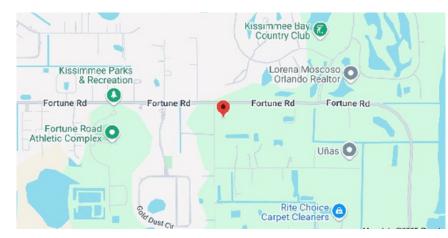
COSF

Christ Our Saviour Fellowship Florida

"I AM FAITHFULNESS"

We are looking forward to our next service in Florida! As we seek the Lord for guidance and preparations are under way, please pray for those who are again going forth as we continue to preach through the series on Galatians 5.





Date: November 1st, 2025 Times: 4:00pm - 6:00pm

Location: 1251 Marllo Road,

Kissimmee, Florida

Click here to help support **COSF Florida Church**



COSF Africa - we are currently planning the farming project and planting which is to occur in the coming few months. This will allow the COSF AFrica Church to be self sustaining within the next 2 harvests!



COSF In-the-nations

COSF Caribbean



The waters of baptism await as the Word is preached and hearts are turned by the grace of the Lord. Please pray the Lord continue to move in the hearts of those throughout the region.





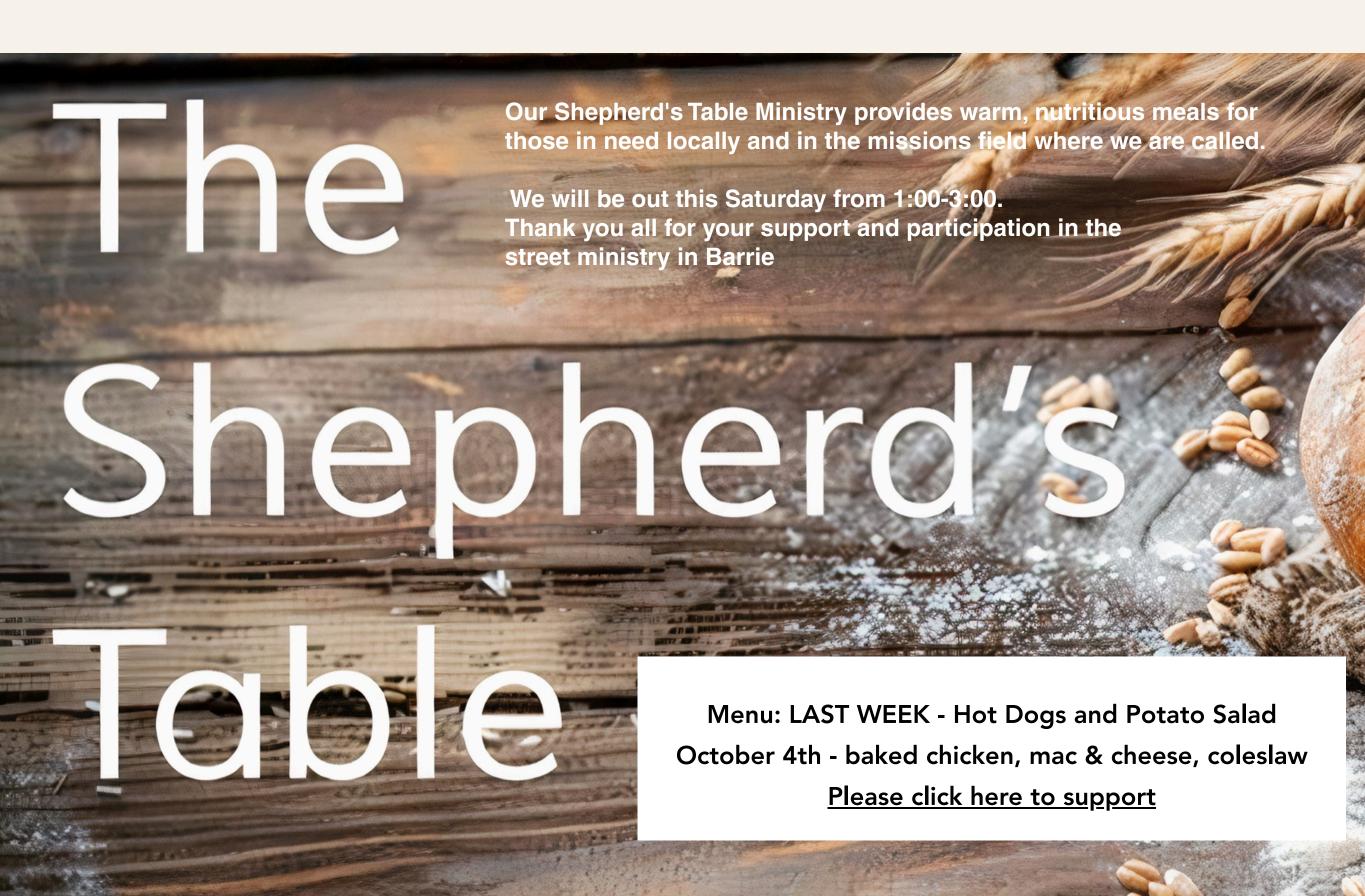
COSF India & Pakistan Region

The Alpha Film Series will be launching in the coming weeks for those in the Pakistan /India region.



COSF Central & South America

COSF @ Home



Need a Ride to Church?

COSF &
Right Now
Media
Library



We have launched the right now media app. As we populate some of the rooms, you may receive an email asking you to download the app and join. If you are already using the right now media app (scan the QR code below) you can find the message rooms at the bottom in the message bubble. One of these groups is for Sunday transportation if you require a ride to Church on Sundays. Please let us know if you require a ride prior to Sunday as this will help us to coordinate things easier.





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Have you seen the COSF Library...

JESUS CHANGES EVERYTHING

Teenagers often feel trapped. They're stuck in the same habits, depression sets in, and they wonder about their purpose. Life might seem pointless or hopeless at best. The lie that says nothing will ever change pulls teenagers deeper into the rut.

But Jesus offers a way out. He reaches down to give life—a new path to follow. He has the power to free us from habits, redeem our relationships, and give us a new identity. It all begins by deciding to follow Him, because a life surrendered to Jesus is a life transformed.



Prayers For The Saints

Church Prayer - Tuesday Mornings both your pastors are praying for YOU during our church prayer time. If you have a specific need or request please email us at: info@christoursaviourfellowship.com

Please Pray For:

- pray for COSF Africa as we prepare to go forth after the discipleship course to share the Good News, the Gospel through the region. Also pray for the new Shepherd's harvest program as we prepare to launch this in the near future.
- Please pray for those participating in the leadership program that begins in the next few weeks. Pray the Lord uphold each of them, that they are successful in this: Sandy, Laura, Robin, Ellie, Anna, Ted, Gina, Jacob, Noah, Emma, Gertie
- The Youth need prayer and support please pray for the Lord to lead and create a weekly youth group beginning in October.

• COSF church location - The Lord has answered and blessed us with a new location! Please continue to pray for His guidance, provisions as we move to unit #4. With this move please pray for the Lord's provision for upgrades and building of \$17,500 for His church.

Pray for the labour and work of the new location to be completed on time, that everyone is joyous and safe in helping.

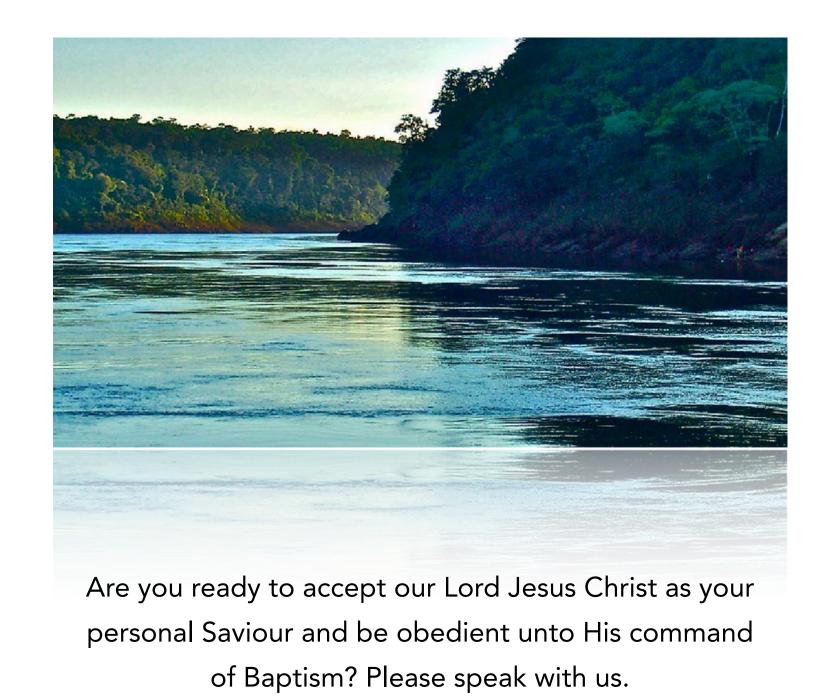
- Please pray for the street mission and continued support for feeding and providing for the Lord's people
- COSF Worship Service NOV 1/25. Please pray the Lord lead us in delivering His word to the people of Kissimmee Florida, safety and provision. The Lord has ANSWERED our prayers about location and Nov 1, Dec13th, Jan 31st is set!
- Please pray for everyone in the congregation for help of the Lord to overcome challenges of the past, rebuke the lies of the evil one, grow in the Lord and to realize the glory of God in their lives.

Scripture Memory Verse

A New thing

""Forget the former things;
do not dwell on the past.
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