

Dear Youth Pastors,

We are only 7 weeks away from our 2<sup>nd</sup> annual **Western Maryland Youth Conference** September 30<sup>th</sup> and October 1<sup>st</sup>. It is certain to be an exciting time! By now you should have received a post card in the mail. Here is some more information regarding the conference.

We are continuing the patriotic theme for our conference this year with the theme “**Faith of Our Fathers**”. It is undeniable that the overwhelming majority of our founding fathers had a strong personal faith in the Bible and in Jesus Christ. And it is our desire to pass the faith of our forefathers on to the youth of our nation.

Our Preachers this year, are my good friend Bro Kurt Copeland, Bro Danny Ortiz III from Fredrick Baptist church, Bro Devin Bard from New England Baptist College, Pastor Lee Bowman from Calvary Baptist Church in Mannington West Virginia, And our Host Pastor, Pastor Dennis Leatherman. Bro Kurt Copeland’s wife Kristi will also be here to speak in the girls sessions.

This is going to be an exciting 2 days. We have awesome door prizes, as well as a a very special gift that goes along with our theme for all youth pastors and pastors. The games will be fun, and the food will be outstanding. But above all the preaching will be challenging! We will have 6 main services as well as split sessions for youth and youth workers. There is a schedule of the conference on the back of this letter.

The cost of this conference is only \$20. The first three youth groups to sign up will receive free t-shirts. I **encourage you to sign up quickly as there is only a few hotels in the area.** Hotel information will be at the bottom of this letter.

I trust you will consider brining your youth group to this conference. To register you can call the church office at 301-334-3234 or myself at 301-616-8429. There is no deadline for registrations, but I do encourage you to register early to be able to get hotel space as well as the free t-shirts for your group. Early registration also helps us in planning. I am confident that this conference will have a positive impact not just on your youth group, but on our nation. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely

Pastor Matt Trezise

Youth Pastor

## **Schedule:**

- **Friday**

- 5:00 Registration opens (Pizza Dinner)
- 6:00 Service 1 (Bro. Danny Ortiz)
- 7:30 Service 2 (Pastor Matt Trezise)
- 9:00 Service 3 (Bro. Kurt Copeland)
- 10:00 Late night Ice Cream Blast!!!!

- **Saturday**

- 9:00 am Split Sessions
- 10:00 Service 4 (Pastor Dennis Leatherman)
- 11:00-12:00 Games and activities
- 12:30 Lunch Time
- 1:00 Split Sessions
- 2:00 Service 5 (Pastor Lee Bowman)
- 3:30 Service 6 (Bro. Kurt Copeland)
- 5:00 Dismissal and Dinner to go!

## **Hotel Information.**

### **Oak-Mar Hotel**

Address: 208 N 3<sup>rd</sup> St, Oakland Md

Phone: 301 334-3965

Distance: 3.1 miles

### **Oakland Motel**

Address: 243 N 3<sup>rd</sup> St, Oakland MD

Phone: 301 334-3955

Distance: 1.8 Miles

### **Garrett Inn**

Address: 17848 Garrett Hwy. Oakland MD

Phone: 301 387-6696

Distance: 12 miles

### **Quality Inn & Suites**

Address: 2704 Deep Creek Drive McHenry Md

Phone: 301 387-4200

Distance: 13.9 Miles