

**ENGAGE**  
ENGAGE ON WEDNESDAYS @ RIDGECREST  
CHOOSE YOUR LIFE APP

MEN'S MINISTRY | LADIES BIBLE STUDIES | ESL | NEXT STEPS UNPACKED | ADULT LIFE GROUP LEADERS | SEW MISSIONS  
SIGN LANGUAGE CLASSES | PRESCHOOL CHOIR | WORSHIP KIDSTYLE | ONEIGHTY STUDENTS | WORSHIP CHOIR & BAND

ENGAGE THE WORD. ENGAGE IN WORSHIP. ENGAGE YOUR WORLD.

**Wednesday Nights**  
See [www.ridgecrest.net](http://www.ridgecrest.net) for details

- 4:00pm Prayer Meeting (Gym) - Includes prayer and brief study in the Book of Psalms
- 4:45pm Fellowship Supper (Gym) - Serving until 5:45pm. First time is free!
- 5:45pm Men's Adventure (Rm 103) - Fellowship with other men around God's Word
- 6:00pm Ladies' Bible Study (Gym) - "Real Women, Real Lives"  
 Next Steps Unpacked (Rm 106) - Dig into Ridgecrest's vision  
 Adult Life Group Leaders Training (Rm 105)  
 Sew Missions (Rm 104) - Help make clothing for our mission partners.  
 Sign Language Training (Rm 102) - Learn Sign Language  
 English-as-a-Second Language (ESL) (3<sup>rd</sup> floor) - Learn English/Volunteer to help  
 ONEIGHTY Student Worship (Chapel) Grades 6 - 12  
 Worship KidStyle (Choir Rm) Grades 1 - 5  
 The Fort (Paradise Pond -2<sup>nd</sup> Floor) - Grades 1 - 5 (Includes ESL kids)  
 Preschool Choir (The ARK) 3 year olds - Kindergarten  
 Childcare (Panda Room in the ARK) Birth - 2 year olds
- 6:30pm College-Age Life Group (Off campus in homes)
- 7:00pm Worship Choir & Band (Choir Rm)

### OUR VISION

To become followers of Jesus who under the leadership of the Spirit passionately love and serve God and also love all people as Jesus does.



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# THE STORY

READ THE STORY. EXPERIENCE THE BIBLE.

## Paul's Mission



**March 19, 2017**

**Welcome!** If you are a guest with us this morning, we would love to give you more information about Ridgecrest. Please fill out the white connect card in the rack in back of the pews. You can place it in the offering plate when it is passed or you can bring it to the Welcome Desk as you leave the service this

**Invite mycircle** **Ridgecrest Family Update is next Sunday, March 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm in the Gym.** Come and enjoy good food and fellowship. It's time to share God stories, conduct a little business and stay informed about Ridgecrest happenings and opportunities. You won't want to miss this. Childcare is provided up to age 2 and Mission Friends for age 3 through K-5; Grades 1-5 will meet with Miss Katy on the playground unless it is raining. Students are encouraged to attend the Family Update.

**Invite mycircle** **KEENAGERS - This Tuesday, March 21<sup>st</sup> at 11:00am in the Gym.** Please note the change in date. Besides lunch and fellowship, we are going to have a great time with some Ridgecrest missionaries who went to India (Kassi Rushing), Guatemala (Marilyn Eubanks) and Israel (Karen Lyon), as well as others who have represented us on these mission trips. They are eager to talk about their experiences as they interacted with the locals in these countries. You won't want to miss this, so if you are age 60+, join us! Cost is still only \$7/person at the door.

**Invite mycircle** **THE FORT for Kids will meet in Paradise Pond (2<sup>nd</sup> floor) on Wednesdays from 6:00-7:00pm -** Join some of our ESL students and Miss Katy for a Bible study focusing on Fix it Up: Forgiveness.

**Reach myworld** **Ridgecrest is hosting a fun family Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 15<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am.** Please join us in making this outreach a great time for the community by bringing candy and plastic eggs or pre-stuffed eggs. For your convenience there is a designated drop-off receptacle by the Welcome Center.

**Serve mychurch** **VBS 2017 -** VBS prep is underway and you can be part of our VBS team of #difference-makers this summer from June 12-15. Sign up at [ridgecrest.net/vbs](http://ridgecrest.net/vbs) to make a difference in a child's life this summer. Please see the kiosk for a list of resources we are collecting to make our VBS fun for our kids as they learn about Jesus and the difference He makes in lives.

**Reach myworld** **Operation Christmas Child Items for March.** We are getting an early start by collecting certain items each month. We asked that you bring **NEW very small** stuffed animals this month. Please bring your items to the designated kiosk during the month of March. To get an early start on April, bring soap and washcloths. Our Ridgecrest family is very generous. Thank you.



**Special Offering for North American Missions.** Ask the Lord what amount you should give to support missionaries and church planters in North America through the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering. 100% of your gift supports more than 5,000 missionaries who are showing the love of God in dark places and planting churches in North America. Put "For Annie" when you designate.

### PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES AT RIDGECREST

- Please set aside a time each week to pray specifically for those who are lost without faith in Christ. You may use this webpage as a guide: [ridgecrest.net/thelost](http://ridgecrest.net/thelost).
- Every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday at 6:30am you can join our Pastor's Prayer Partners in the Worship Center for a time of prayer for Ridgecrest.
- This week's prayer requests:
  - For Ridgecrest outreach ministries
  - For Ridgecrest missionaries as they share their experiences with us upon their return from their mission trips.
  - Raising funds for mission trips and safe and easy travel

### Weekly Opportunities March 19 - 25, 2017

- Sunday:** 7:30am Men's Adventure (Rm 103)  
8:40am VIP Meetings  
9:00am Life Groups (*The Story: Paul's Mission*)  
10:30am Morning Worship - Bro. Phil  
The Story: Paul's Mission  
6:00pm Evening Worship - Discuss "Paul's Mission"  
Adult Open Life Group (Rm 105)  
"The Story" Life Group (Rm 103)  
Childcare (2's & younger) - The ARK Panda Room  
Mission Friends (Preschool 3's - K) - The ARK  
SNL for Crest Kids (Gym)  
FUSION (Chapel) - Middle School & High School Students
- Monday:** 5:30pm Precept upon Precept (Room 102 & 105 - Rm 106 is on Break)
- Tuesday:** 11:00am KEENAGERS (Gym)
- Wednesday:** 4:00 - 8:00pm See ENGAGE on the back of bulletin for activities
- Thursday:** 6:00pm Men's Fellowship Steak Dinner (Rm 105)

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