

NEW TO GC?

Stop by the Guest Connection Desk today after our worship assembly. We'd love to meet you!

WELCOME!

Jesus was the perfect model of having **CONVERSATIONS THAT LEAD TO SALVATION**. He was interested and intentional with every individual. The conversations that Jesus had with people were often constructed of these elements:

✓↑↑ GOOD.GOD.GOSPEL.

GOOD.

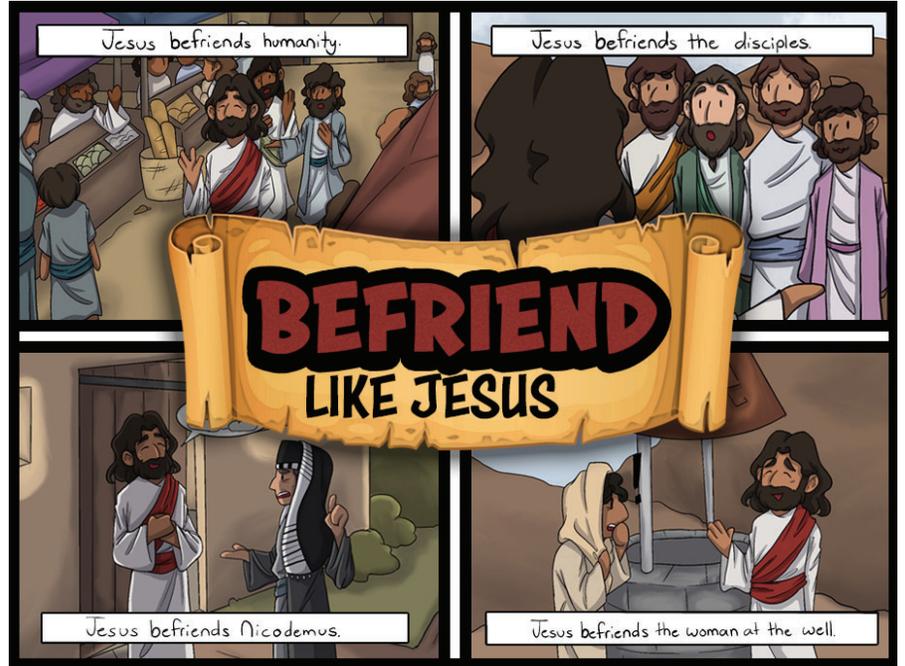
Jesus would have a good conversation. Have a good conversation. Show interest and encouragement. Be sincere, caring, ask questions. Be kind and conversational. Everyone wants to be noticed and cared for and loved. Become good at having good conversations everywhere you are.

GOD.

Jesus would transition a good conversation into questions, comments, or attributes of God. Look for opportunities to mention a brief comment about God's work in your life, an attribute of God's character, etc. Be sensitive to how this comment is responded to and if someone is ready to talk more about God. If not, keep having GOOD conversations—infusing occasional God comments and praying for your readiness and their receptivity.

GOSPEL.

Jesus would transition a conversation into truth about His salvation. Look for the bridge to build between common GOD conversations, to a specific salvation conversation. Comments about you discovering your need for Jesus, how you came to faith in Jesus, how He has changed your life, etc. are bridges into beginning a GOSPEL conversation. The hopeful outcome of this is further opportunity to discuss the incarnation, crucifixion, and resurrection of Jesus that alone provides our salvation.



UPCOMING



For more details on upcoming events, see the GC Events calendar online or in the GC app.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Let God Arise

Welcome

Ben Patterson

You Are Worthy of My Praise
Build My Life

Communion

Shepherd Wyatt

What the Lord Has Done in Me

Offering & Kids Dismissal

Ben Patterson

We Will Glorify
Lord, I Need You

Friendship Video

Message: Jesus Befriends the Nicodemus
Befriend Like Jesus: Part 3 of 4

Rob Shaver

All Who Are Thirsty

Next Steps

Ben Patterson

Shepherd's Prayer

Ed Brooks

PRAYER SPOTLIGHT

"I will never leave you nor forsake you." (Hebrews 13:5)

"For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, says the Lord, thoughts of peace and not of evil, to give you a future and a hope." (Jeremiah 29:11)

Dear Lord God, thank You for never leaving or forsaking me. Your love has transformed my heart and my life. Please continue to mold me to be more like You. I will lean on You as I go forth with my day. Please call me to Your purpose. Thank You for loving me, healing me, and giving me a future and a hope. In the powerful name of Jesus I pray, amen.

HOW CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU?

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SHINE: This month, we're talking about light, but not just any light. We're talking about Jesus—the light of the WORLD—and how when we do what Jesus says, we shine. Every time you and your preschoolers see a lamp or a star-filled sky, remember that people were made to shine, and we have Jesus—the light of the world—to show us how. So let's not hide our light. Let's SHINE and light up the dark so others can see their way to Jesus.

MEMORY VERSE: "Let your light shine." (Matthew 5:16, NIV)



COOKOUT: IT'S WORTH THE WAIT: Waiting is a part of life. Thankfully, we don't have to wait on our own. Through the Holy Spirit, God can help us experience the patience we need to wait well. After all, God is patient with us. Even though God's people had been waiting for years for the promised Savior, at just the right time, God sent Jesus. Because we're created in God's image, we can reflect God's patience in our lives. We can lean on God's Holy Spirit to give us the strength we need to trust God and show patience with the difficult circumstances in our lives.

REMEMBER THIS: "Wait for the LORD. Be strong and don't lose hope. Wait for the LORD." (Psalm 27:14, NIV)



YOUTH NIGHT

Sundays, 5–8 p.m., GC Youth Room

For anyone in 6th–12th grades to explore how to follow Jesus and to connect with others in a safe, fun environment.

There will be no Youth Night tonight due to Spring XP. Join us again next week!



Spring XP 2024

UPCOMING YOUTH NIGHT SCHEDULE

TONIGHT: No Youth Night (Spring XP)

4/28: Youth Night, 5–8 p.m.

5/5: Senior Celebration Youth Night

For more details on upcoming events, see the GC Youth calendar online or in the GC app.



STAY CONNECTED

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GC Youth Parents: @gcymparents

Middle School Students: @gcymms

High School Students: @gcymhs

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@gcyouthga



LOCATION

6755 Majors Road
Cumming, GA 30040

SERVICES

Sundays at 9:30 a.m.

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LAST WEEK (4/14/24)

Attendance 450

YTD Contributions \$375,397



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