

KENAI CHRISTIAN CHURCH

NEWS

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Kenai Christian Church PICNIC

Family



Food



Fun



August 26th, 2018

3 PM ~ FELLOWSHIP & ACTIVITIES

5 PM ~ VESPERS

5:30 PM ~ EAT

Directions to Hilcorp Picnic Site: Mile 1.5 Holt
Lamplight Rd, off South Miller Rd, Nikiski

Don't Forget...

KCC provides burgers,
hotdogs, bun, drinks and
table service only.

Please bring lawn chairs,
blankets, appropriate cloth-
ing etc. for your family.

* Families with last name
A-F please bring a dessert

*Families last name G-Z
please bring a side dish.

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BACK TO ROUTINE

By: Adam Meyers

The Caution of Routine

Somehow our Summer is winding down and the shelves at the local stores are quickly being stocked with Back-to-School supplies and sales. This means that our normal routine for 9 months out of the year is going to kick in again very soon. The routine is not all bad as it helps us with consistency and scheduling, but there's definitely a caution to our routine to which we must be alerted: just going through the motions. Going through the motions in life is dangerous as it can lead to complacency.

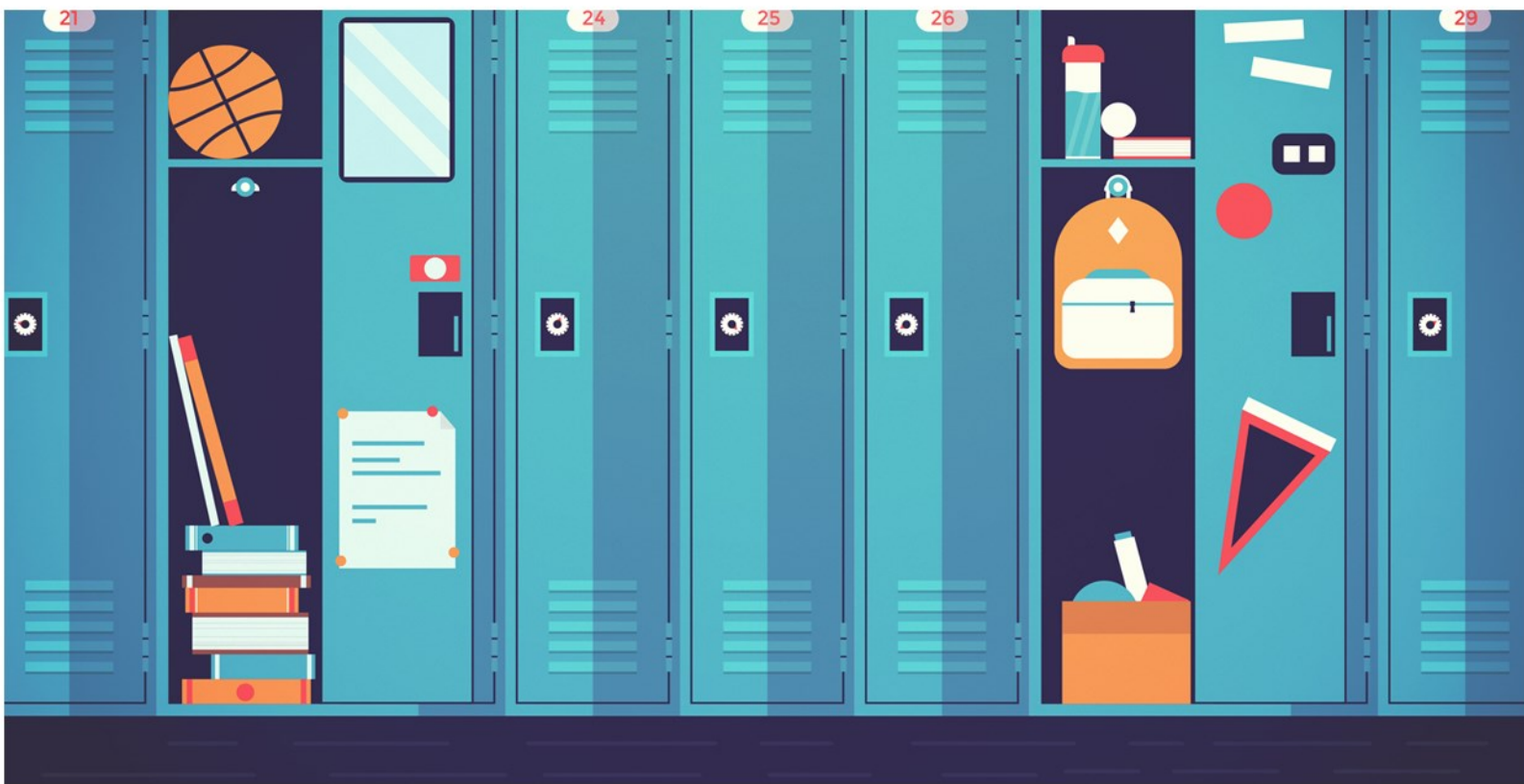
The Complacent Believer

Think about any relationship in your life: husband/wife; parent/child; coworkers; friends; and now imagine approaching any of those relationships with complacency. I don't know about you, but I can tell when someone in a relationship with me is just going through the motions. If that kind of relationship continued for an extended period of time it would not be long before you questioned if it was even a relationship at all. Now consider how you can relate to that example and apply it to your involvement at church and your walk with God.

Finding Excitement in Routine

To break the cycle of complacency in our involvement at church or in our walk with God we must find excitement in the routine. To do this, first, change your mission mindset. Instead of saying, "I HAVE to go to church today," try saying, "I GET to go to church today." There are people all over the globe who would love to meet together openly and freely with brothers and sister in Christ to have fellowship and study but that is not an option for them. Second, realize that you going to church is not just about you. There are a ton of opportunities to serve by teaching or helping children, youth, and adults. Also, when you show up, you just might run into someone who needed you there that day. Finally, realize that your life is broken and needs healing. When I'm honest with myself I realize that my sin, worry, and frustrations need to be addressed regularly. That's why spending time in prayer, Bible study, and in fellowship with other believers is so important. It helps heal our bodies and souls, through God's Word and His Holy Spirit.

Look at the attitude and results of the routine found in the early church: "Every day they devoted themselves to meeting together in the temple complex, and broke bread from house to house. They ate their food with a joyful and humble attitude, praising God and having favor with all the people. And every day the Lord added to them those who were being saved." (Acts 2:46-47) May our routine be joyful, humble, and result in the Lord saving many more!



YOUTH NEWS

UPCOMING STUFF

- Promotion Pool Party is happening **August 17th** from 5-6PM!
 - Do you have any students going into 6th grade? Well **August 22nd** will be the first day new 6th graders can join us for The Pursuit!
- ⇒ Also, for parents who have students going into 6th grade, we will have a “New to Pursuit” orientation that will give a run-down of what The Pursuit is, how we do things, and sort of the vision we have for The Pursuit. More details about the event will come later!
- The annual church picnic is happening **August 26th**, starting at 3PM! There will be food and games!
 - There are only 4 more weeks left for Tuesday FunDay! The last Tuesday FunDay will be August **14th**. Be sure to keep checking The Pursuit FaceBook page to get updates on where we’ll be meeting each week. Tuesday FunDay is still happen every Tuesday from 3-5PM!

BACK
to
SCHOOL
August 21st

CELEBRATIONS

This year’s camp was a success! We had a total of 66 students and 23 adult sponsors come to camp this year. We also had no concussions or serious injuries this year which is a huge plus!



Our Vision

To be a Christian mission focused on caring for orphans (James 1:27) and encouraging growth in the local church (Acts 2:47).

Since 1967, Niños de México has been giving LIFE to these children one child at time. Many of these children have grown up to become doctors, ministers, teachers, and more, helping to spread the good news of Jesus Christ in Mexico.

Today, we are actively involved in sharing Jesus with the children and people of Mexico through our seven children's homes, Christian school, medical outreach, and church plants.

Our Homes

Niños de México operates six children's homes in the Mexico City area and the city of San Luis Potosi. Each home is designed to function as a family. With Christian house parents, their kids, and 11-19 children, Niños' homes are truly loving and caring places for the children to grow and learn the love of Jesus.

Praises & Prayer Requests

- **Older youth**- they are preparing for high school and college entrance exams
- **Jorge (Chilapa pastor)**- Strength as he is leading the construction project as well as his regular duties as pastor.
- **The 98 children in our care**- that God would work mightily in their lives and lead them to Him. Pray for the children who are adjusting to their new families here at Nirios.
- **Summer Assistant Group Hosts**
- Pray that God would provide the right couple to assist us this summer.
- **Transition of children into new homes.**
- **Carlos Rocha** - Pray for his recovery from an accident with his left foot.
- **Houseparents** as they receive new children.
- **Existing families** as they welcome in the new children.
- **Wisdom** in all that we are doing and need to do.



We Are So Blessed

- Along with the faithful giving of people in the United States, many people and businesses in Mexico have begun to take an interest in the children who call Nirios de Mexico their home.
- This is a great cause for joy! There is a new sense of responsibility among the Mexican people to care for children who have been orphaned, abandoned, or abused and are in great need. This was certainly not the case in the past.
- Thank you for your faithful prayers, giving, and participation in the work of Nirios. Our prayer is that our children will have the opportunity to have a life blessed by God as they make Nirios their home.

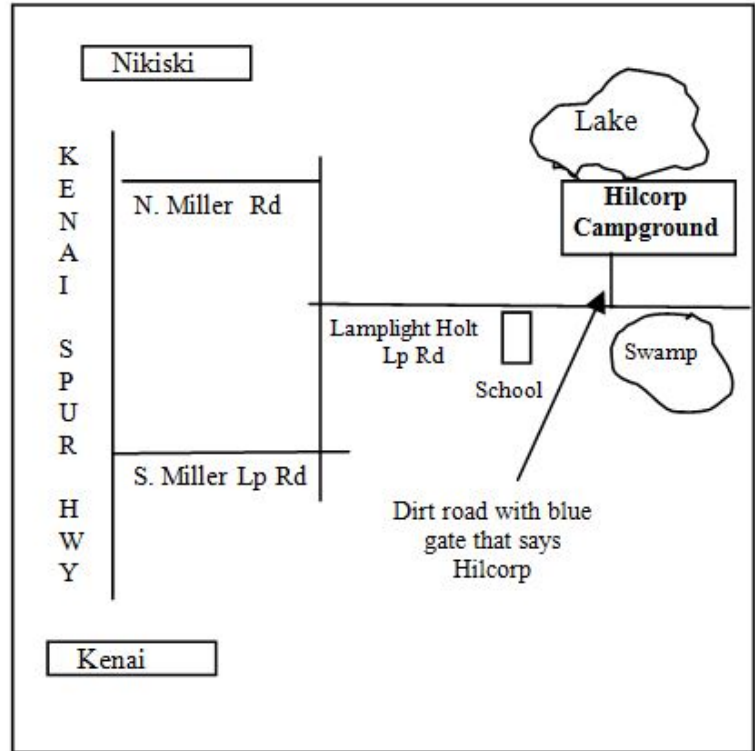
May God continue to bless you and use you to accomplish His will here and around the world!

**PLEASE
PRAY
FOR OUR
TWELVE
NEWEST
KIDS!**

CALENDAR

AUGUST

- 8.17 Promotional Pool Party
(5pm-6pm)
- 8.19 Last Summer Small Group
- 8.26 Promotion Sunday
- 8.26 Church Picnic
(Fun starts at 3pm)



OUR REGULAR SERVICES & CLASSES

SUNDAY

- Bible Classes 9:45am
- Worship 11:00am
- Small Groups **Check on times**

(LAST SMALL GROUPS AUG. 19th)

WEDNESDAY

- Soul Café 5:45pm
- Bible Study 6:30pm





ANNOUNCEMENTS



*Our deepest
condolences
to the Rankin
Family.*

*Matt's mother,
Marilyn Rankin, passed
away on 7/17/2018*

PROMOTION
SUNDAY
AUGUST 26th

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