

# welcome

*We're so glad you're here!* Welcome to Chestnut Ridge Church! These are the highlights of what's happening in and around The Ridge. Should you need assistance, please stop by the Info Kiosk, where you'll find helpful people ready to answer your questions.

You can find more events and info at [theridge.church](http://theridge.church).

## September 23, 2018

Impact—Part 3

### MESSAGE

Tim Haring

### MUSIC

Overcome  
Yes I Will  
Endlessly  
On My Heart

## offering

Your generosity changes lives and makes outreach into the community, state and world possible. Thank you! You can give during the offering time, online at [theridge.church/give](http://theridge.church/give), or by texting a dollar amount to 304-470-4078. If you're visiting with us, there's no obligation to do so today.

# around the ridge

## Starting Point Orientation

**sept 23** Are you new to the church? Do you wonder about faith, God, forgiveness, or the Bible? Your curiosity deserves a conversation in a place where opinions and beliefs are valued, and no question is off limits. *Starting Point* could be the next step on your journey. Groups meet on Sunday for eight weeks during the 9am and 11am services. Learn more at today's 15-minute orientation in the conference room. For more info, visit [theridge.church/startingpoint](http://theridge.church/startingpoint).

**When:** TODAY; following each service

## Men's Short-Term Group

**sept 25** Connect with others at The Ridge! *A Man and His Traps* explores how you can live life better, and you'll be able to engage in many group discussions as you read through the study. This group offers a morning & evening session. To find more info, or to register, visit [theridge.church/mensgroup](http://theridge.church/mensgroup).

**When:** Tuesdays starting September 25th; 6:30pm or Fridays starting September 28th; 6:30am

## Women's Short-Term Group

**sept 25** Register now for the women's short-term group *Missing Pieces*! You'll be able to discuss interesting topics, as well as share your insights, while exploring the messy, mysterious uncertainties of faith. This group offers a weekly morning and evening session. For more info, or to register, visit [theridge.church/womensgroup](http://theridge.church/womensgroup).

**When:** Tuesdays starting September 25th; 6:30pm or Wednesdays starting September 26th; 9:30am

## Ridge Students Open House

**sept 30** Does your child love going to their small group each Sunday? If you'd like to meet the volunteers and staff members that invest time with your children each weekend, you're invited to the Ridge Students *Open House*! Join the Ridge Students team in the gym between the 9am and 11am services on Sunday, September 30th for a fun and informational meet and greet!

**When:** Sunday, September 30; 10:15am

## CRC Campus Sunday Lunch

**oct 07** If you're a college-age single adult, and you're looking for ways to connect with others in a similar stage of life, you're welcome to *Sunday Lunch*! On the first Sunday of the month, CRC Campus will gather in The Ridge gym for a fun event with food and friends! Lunch will be served at 12:15pm, following the 11am service. Let's gather for a great time together!

**When:** Sunday, October 7; 12:15pm

## CRC Campus Fall Retreat

**oct 19** The CRC Campus *Fall Retreat* is your chance to get away from classes, work, and your usual routine! It's a weekend to focus on growing with God, building friendships, and making fun memories. Whether you've been around for years or you're new to The Ridge, this is a great opportunity for you to get connected in a real way. Don't miss out on this fantastic weekend! Go to [theridge.church/collegefallretreat](http://theridge.church/collegefallretreat) to register by October 12th.

**When:** October 19th—21st

## Fall Night on the Farm

**oct 20** If you're the parent of a student in 6th through 8th grade, now is the time to register them for a fun *Fall Night on the Farm*! The Ridge Students team is inviting middle school students to Pike Mountain Farm on Saturday, October 20th from 6pm to 8pm. There will be hayrides, pumpkin carving, and other activities!

Register today at [theridge.church/farmnight](http://theridge.church/farmnight).

**When:** Saturday, October 20th; 6pm

## High School Fall Retreat

**nov 02** How many high school students already need a break from school? Would you love to get away for a weekend, and hang out with friends?

Then the *High School Fall Retreat* is perfect for you! Coming the weekend of November 2nd-4th, *High School Fall Retreat* is where high school students can get away, and have fun with high-energy games, life-changing talks, and the chance to spend time with friends away from the stress of school. Register at [theridge.church/hsretreat](http://theridge.church/hsretreat).

**When:** November 2nd—4th

## RVL: That the World May Know

**nov 02** This November, you're invited to a three day conference that will be held at The Ridge! Ray Vander Laan will be preaching and sharing his research, messages, Biblical stories, and how those stories often relate to everyday life. Find more information, and register today at [theridge.church/rvl](http://theridge.church/rvl).

**When:** November 2nd-4th

# upcoming



Orientation  
TODAY | 10:15am



Orientation  
TODAY | after each service



Men's Short-Term Group  
Sept 25 | 6:30pm



Women's Short-Term Group  
Sept 25 | 6:30pm



Open House  
Sept 30 | 10:15am



Sunday Lunch  
Oct 7 | 6:30pm



Fall Retreat  
Oct 19 | 6:30pm



Fall Night on the Farm  
Oct 20 | 6:00pm

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We want to make a difference.  
We strive to have an impact.  
We need to be able to identify our talents and gifts, and  
leverage our abilities for good.  
Above all, we need help from others to accomplish that.

We'll explore ways we can have a greater impact  
in the world around us—together.