

EVANGELISTIC HORIZON DECEMBER 2019



“So then faith *cometh* by hearing,
and hearing by the word of God.

Romans 10:17



Focus on God's Word

Every meal includes a “nugget from God’s Word”. Our staff (and even some campers) are given an opportunity to share what the Lord has taught them.

In a typical day a camper will read or hear the Word of God at two chapels, three meals, rest hour (Bible Memory Time), personal Bible Time each morning and cabin devotions each evening.

If a camper does not own a Bible (or forgot to bring one) a Bible is provided. Our prayer is that campers will develop a love for the Word of God and will continue daily Bible Reading at home.

2020 Summer Camp Fees

Summer Camp tuition alone does not meet all the expenses for the program. Income from events and guest groups provide for much of the monthly expenses and donations provide the income to maintain and update the buildings and equipment.

Considering the current economy, the board elected to freeze the summer camp tuition rates for this year. Summer camp tuition for 2020 remains at \$290.00 per week. This cost includes a t-shirt and cabin photograph. Waterskiing or Tubing remains at \$40 per week and transportation (South Florida: Hollywood & PGA Blvd) remains at \$40.

There are also discounts for families and groups. Camp provided scholarships, discounts and waivers totalling over twenty-nine thousand dollars in 2019. This was made possible by the generosity of our supporters.



2020 SUMMER CAMP PROGRAMS

CAMP	2020 DATES	AGE GROUP THEME	DIRECTOR	SPEAKER
Training Camp	June 21 - June 27	SUMMER STAFF	Steve Slusser	TBA
Teen Camp 1	June 28 - July 04	Ages 13-17	Gimel Gill	Rob Brennan
Junior Camp 1	July 05 - July 11	Ages 8-12	Chris McCluskey	Steve Decker
Teen Camp 2	July 12 - July 18	Ages 13-17	Frankie Gomez	TBA
Junior Camp 2	July 19 - July 25	Ages 8-12	Andy VanDemark	Phil Guikema

Angel Tree Campers

Camp Horizon is under review by the Angel Tree organization to provide camp for several children in their program. This is a great opportunity to show the love of Christ to children that have a parent in prison.

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Family Event Registration

A new way to register was activated this year. If you registered for a family event you had to register each family member separately. Not anymore! These events now use MROC (Multiple Registrations – One Contact/Charge). When you register one of the adults, you can also enter all of the family members at the same time.

This has been used for Married Couples and the Father-Child canoe trips.



Winter & Spring Events

Florida Men's Bible Study

January 6-10, 2020

TOPIC: Ezekiel

This is an intensive four-day Bible study. There are a few registration options for local folks that are within a short drive, or those that can only come for a day or two.

TEACHERS

Keith Keyser, Sam Mikhael, Larry Price, & Henry Sardiña
Register online at <http://Register.CampHorizon.org>
Learn more at <http://FloridaBibleStudy.org>

MAIL:

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Married Couples

February 7-9, 2020

Got Children? No problem! Children under age 13 may attend with their parents and participate in a youth program just for them. The children will be supervised primarily by folks that have served on the Camp Horizon summer camp staff.

Speaker: Don Pell

Don lives locally and is a popular speaker among area fellowships. He plans to cover a variety of topics of interest to married couples.

Conrad and Rachel Campbell will be back with fun activities for couples. There is also a large block of totally free time to enjoy the camp facility and to be with one another.



CANOE TRIPS 2020

- Father-Son Canoe Trip: March 6-8, 2020
- Father-Daughter Canoe Trip: March 20-22, 2020

This is a wilderness overnight trip for dads (or a mentor) and children. On Friday, the group meets to assign duties and talk about the trip. Early Saturday, the group has breakfast and travels to the Ocklawaha River near Silver Springs. They camp overnight on the side of the river at a site permitted by Florida Greenways and Trails. They are picked up and returned to Camp Horizon on Sunday afternoon.

Camp provides transportation, meals, canoes and equipment. Families provide their own tent and bedding. We have a few loaner tents.



Camp Quilting Retreat

March 5-8, 2020

This retreat did not fill to capacity in 2019, but there are some faithful ladies that attend. The Father-Son canoe trip will overlap this event. Guests can expect to see the men and boys on Friday evening as they arrive and on Saturday morning when they have early breakfast.

Spring Crop in the Woods

March 12 – March 15, 2020

Most folks 'crop' (scrapbooking), but some folks scan photos, others have done handicrafts, designed cards, or even brought a sewing machine. Recently, some educators have used this retreat for lesson planning. It is your table!

Coming for both weekends?

You can keep your table and room assignment if you attend both the Quilt and the Crop.

There are devotions at meals, a designated prayer time in the evening, and a speaker on Saturday morning.



RECYCLING FOR HANDICRAFTS

There is always a need for bags with handles (gift bags) to send crafts home. When the crafts are planned later this spring, we will update our website with handicraft items needed. Look on the Summer Camp page.

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CAMP HORIZON BIBLE INSTITUTE

2020 – Fall Semester

We have graduated two classes of students, but there were not enough students this past fall. If you are interested in a Bible Education – **register online**. There is no cost to apply. We just need to know how many students are committed to attend.



SUMMER STAFF 2020

<http://staff.camphorizon.org>



Spanish Family Camp

May 22-25, 2020

This retreat begins on Friday (the first meal is Saturday Breakfast) and ends on Monday morning after breakfast. There are daily options and options for those that cannot stay for the entire weekend. Private family lodging is very limited – most guests will stay in cabins by gender. The retreat program is the responsibility of a committee. All sessions are in Spanish (no translation provided). More information is on the Camp Horizon website. Click on "Campamento Familia".

Paper or email registrations only at this time.



College and Career Camp

May 28-31, 2020

You can arrive Thursday and go tubing on Friday, or you can arrive Friday for the weekend, or drop-in on Saturday. All options are available when you register online. If you register for 2020 summer staff, a special discount will be applied. Couples housing is available.

Speaker: Jesse Gentile --- Topic: TBA

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Focus on Meal Times

There have been multiple studies that support the importance of the family meal including a study published by the American College of Pediatricians on the benefits of the Family Table (May 2014).

For the week a child is at camp, their “family” includes counselors and campers that they share a cabin with. It is a time to talk and laugh. Yes, it gets noisy, but meal time is not just about food. It is about forming friendships and telling stories.

Not every camper benefits from a Family Table at home. Our prayer is that campers will ask their family to begin meals with Bible reading and prayer (like they do at camp) and will fill their mealtime with conversation and laughter. This one thing can reduce family stress and may “protect the child from negative, high-risk behaviors”. [https://chblog.us/table2014]