



Middle School students and parents!

We are so excited about our MS Mission Trip this year. We have felt the need and desire for our middle school students to learn what it means to truly serve and to gain experience in sharing the gospel with friends, neighbors, and strangers. Through a time of worship, training, and evangelistic opportunities, we hope to see our students equipped to better love their community both within and outside of the church. Read below to get some details on the week.

MISSION TRIP DATES: Sunday, April 6 - Thursday, April 10, 2025

LOCATION: Lakewood Baptist Church and the local Gainesville area

WHERE ARE WE STAYING AND WHAT ARE WE EATING?

We will be staying at Lakewood in The Lodge and Kids Cove 3. Students will sleep on air mattresses and sleeping bags in the church. Girls and boys will be sleeping and showering in separate areas of the church. While some food will be ordered from restaurants (included in the price), most meals will be provided by Lakewood and families from the church. If you are interested in providing a meal, please reach out and let us know (email address is below).

WHO ARE WE SERVING?

Most importantly, we will be serving Jesus throughout the week. We will also be visiting with other local ministries and Lakewood partners in the Gainesville area such as local nursing homes that host our homebound members, the Chattahoochee Baptist Association, and even ministries within Lakewood. We will also have the opportunity to visit Gainesville Square and Midland Park to actively share the gospel.

WHO WILL BE OUR LEADERS?

We are excited about our adult, college, and high school leaders who will be leading us throughout the week as well as some of our staff. They will help lead the different mission projects, stay at the church, hang out with us, and lead Bible studies for the week. Each adult leader has a proven reputation at Lakewood and has passed a background check as well as our staff members.

HOW DO I PAY FOR THIS?

Every student will start by filling out an application. Once reviewed by our Student Staff Team and approved, we will send a link to officially register and for payment. If there are any concerns with your application once it's submitted, we will reach out and talk through any key issues.

For any questions about the week, please contact Jon Edwards, our Middle School Minister, at jedwards@lakewoodlife.org.