

## 2016 Forward Conference Info Sheet

**Location:** Atlanta, GA

**Dates:** Wednesday June 23<sup>rd</sup> – Sunday, June 26<sup>th</sup>

**Limit:** 40 Teens – 10 Chaperones

**Schedule:** A full itinerary for the entire trip will be provided to parents by April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2016

**Fundraising:** There will be at least 6 group fundraising activities leading up to trip that teens and chaperones will be participating in. This will also help reduce the cost.

### Payment Deadlines

January 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Deadline to Sign Up and Make First Payment - \$75
February 7 <sup>th</sup>	Second Payment - \$85
March 6 <sup>th</sup>	Third Payment - \$85
April 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Forth Payment - \$85
May 8 <sup>th</sup>	Fifth Payment - \$85*
June 5 <sup>th</sup>	Final Payment Due - \$85*

*\*Payments may be reduced or eliminated depending on fundraising.*

### Cost: \$500 - Includes:

- Transportation By Bus To And From Atlanta, GA
- 4 Night Hotel Stay
- Forward Conference Ticket
- Six Flags Excursion
- Stars and Strikes Bowling Excursion
- Forward Conference T-Shirt
- **All Meals**

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### Fundraising

Teens and chaperones will be participating in special fundraisers and serving opportunities throughout the months leading up to Forward. This is an important part of the conference experience as it fosters bonding among the teens, helps raise money for their trip, and encourages a servanthood mentality that is an important element in the Royal Vessel Group Teen Ministry.

**Money raised from fundraising applies to everyone equally and will be used to reduce final payments.** There will be multiple ways for teens and chaperones to participate. We're asking everyone to participate in at least 4 of these major events, and if they cannot, additional opportunities will be provided.

**January** – Movie Night (Teens will sell concessions, run the movie, and help advertise)

**January** – Serving Day (5<sup>th</sup> Sunday, teens will help serve in various ministries the main sanctuary)

**February** – Parent's Night Out (Teens will watch children while their parents have a night out: Tentative 2/13/15)

**March** – Bowling Fundraiser at AMF (teens will hand out fliers and be at the bowling alley to collect funds)

**April** – T-Shirt Fundraiser (Teens will help create and sell special t-shirts to the congregation for the entire month)

**May** – Car Wash (tentative date 5/8)

**May** – Chick-Fil-et Fundraiser (Still tentative, may be swapped for movie 2<sup>nd</sup> movie night or car wash)

**May / June** – Serving Day (May 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday or June 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday)

*\*Additional fundraisers or serving opportunities may be added.*