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Meet the Mission: Christan

Christan has been coming to camp for more than 12 years now. Through camp, she came to know Christ's love and invited Him to be her Savior. Though Christan is blind and has a cognitive impairment, she is more than capable of knowing and showing love in the most beautiful ways.

She absolutely loves coming to camp — being pampered, celebrated, and fussed over by our amazing staff. Camp is a place where she is seen, valued, and treasured.

Through camp, I've also had the opportunity to share Jesus with her mom. We continue to pray and believe that the good work God began in their family will continue to grow and produce an incredible harvest in His perfect timing.

Night to Shine!

Night to Shine, sponsored by the Tim Tebow Foundation, is a worldwide prom night experience centered on celebrating people with disabilities as kings and queens. Hosted by local churches around the globe, it's a powerful night filled with the reminder that every person is deeply loved by God.

Night to Shine is an amazing opportunity for the Church to reach out and celebrate the disability community in a beautiful, joy-filled way. All across the world, God's love is shown in a tangible and super fun way in churches everywhere. My twins and I had the privilege of volunteering at our local Night to Shine, and it was such a special experience to be part of.

If you've never attended or volunteered, I would encourage you to look for a Night to Shine near you next year. Whether you serve or celebrate as a guest, it's an unforgettable evening you won't want to miss.

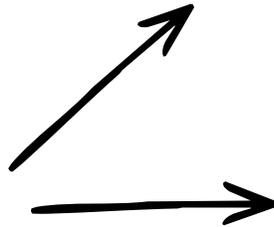


Will you pray with us?

- On November 5th, we hit a deer on our way home from a service. Our vehicle still hasn't been repaired, and it's the only one that fits our family of ten. After nearly four months without it, we're really feeling the strain and are growing desperate to have it back. We would truly appreciate your prayers as we wait and trust God for a repaired vehicle to be in our driveway.
- We are diligently working toward a fully funded budget and would greatly appreciate your prayers for God to open the right doors for partnership and provision.
- Camp is six months away, but the work has already begun. Will you pray that our information reaches the right caregivers and campers, and that God faithfully fills every staffing need we have? While camp isn't our only focus, it is the largest event of our year and an incredible opportunity to serve and celebrate this community – and most importantly, to share the love of Jesus.

We would love to pray with you, too. If you have a prayer request, please feel free to share it with us at the emails listed below.

If you would like full-size copies of either flyer, please email us and we'll be happy to send them your way.



Circle of Friends Camp

A camp for individuals with disabilities AGE 10 and UP!

Week 1 August 3 - 7 **OR** **Week 2** August 10 - 14

Adaptive Activities include:

- Fishing made fun for all
- Crafts for every skill level
- Karaoke for all voices
- Water activities everyone can try
- Foam Party with inclusive play
- Opportunities to make new friends

Lost Valley Bible Camp
5724 M-32, Gaylord, MI
Registration Link

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DO YOU WANT TO BE PART OF SOMETHING THAT TRULY matters?

OUR DISABILITY CAMP IS MORE THAN ACTIVITIES — IT'S COMMUNITY, BELONGING, AND THE GOSPEL LIVED OUT THROUGH ACTION.

We're looking for volunteers who are ready to jump in, build real friendships, adapt when needed, and help make camp accessible for every participant. There are opportunities to serve as group leaders, care leads, buddies, activities crew, tech team, and support staff — each role vital, each role impactful.

We are also actively seeking medical professionals willing to serve as nurses, administering medications and caring for campers throughout the week.

Whether you're leading, assisting, encouraging, providing medical care, or working behind the scenes, you can help create an unforgettable experience. Come serve. Come grow. Come be changed.

Join the TEAM

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