



# LIVING THE BAPTIZED LIFE

St. Matthew Lutheran Church in Lee's Summit, MO  
September 15-16, 2023

I am baptized. It's the little words that say the most sometimes. Am. Right now. It's not just a thing that happened when you were a baby. It's a reality today. You were brought into the church through baptism where God washed you clean of all your sins. That doesn't stop. Baptized is your identity today. You look like something. You may not think you do, but God says otherwise. When the Name of God was applied to you, splashed with a little water, that took shape in a person who will not only find comfort in the daily remembrance of that. Holy. Forgiven. Worthy of love.

Chief of sinners. Child of God. Pastor Harrison Goodman preaches Christ crucified as a light that shines in darkness and a hope for the hopeless. As HT's Content Executive, he helps to make these same gifts known online by employing the many voices and talents of our brothers and sisters in Christ. Join us at this retreat and hear all about the great gifts God continues to give us.

## Things to Know

**When:** September 15-16, 2023

**Where:** St. Matthew Lutheran Church  
Lee's Summit, MO

**Who:** High School students

**Cost:** \$45 per person

**Contact:** Deaconess Sarah Longmire  
920-634-5464  
deaconess@gracefaithlove.org  
OR  
Tana McKenna  
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retreats@higherthings.org

**Time:** Friday, 6 pm - Saturday, 3 pm

**Meals:** Friday night snacks  
Saturday breakfast, lunch, and snacks

**What to Bring:** toiletries, *especially deodorant*  
changes of clothes  
basic hygiene items  
sleeping bags  
pillows

**RSVP:** via online registration at the  
Higher Things website  
[www.higherthings.org/events/retreats](http://www.higherthings.org/events/retreats)  
by September 4, 2023





# INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION FORM

Higher Things® Retreats

## Registrant Section

\_\_\_\_\_ O Male O Female  
Last First MI Date of Birth

\_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone Cell Phone  
Street

\_\_\_\_\_ Registrant E-mail Address  
City ST Zip

- I intent to receive the Lord's Supper  Infant (0-1)  Toddler (2-4)  Child (5-10)  Youth (12-17)
- I have attended a Higher Things Retreat before  Young Adult (18-20)  Adult (21+)  Pastor
- I have a disability/medical conditions/dietary or special need: *Indicate above which age group the Registrant will be **at the time of the retreat.***

*(Please only include special needs that affect housing assignments and/or dietary requirements. Other special needs should be discussed with your Group Leader and chaperones.)*

\_\_\_\_\_ Church Phone Group Leader's Name  
Group Church Name

\_\_\_\_\_ Pastor's Name  
Street City/ST Zip

## Parent/Guardian Section (required for minor youth participants only)

\_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone Parent's Cell Phone  
First Last

\_\_\_\_\_ Parent's E-mail Address  
Address (if different from above.) City ST Zip

I grant permission for my minor child, named above on this form as "Registrant," to attend the Higher Things Retreat in \_\_\_\_\_ . I assume all responsibility and liability for injury to said minor while at the Higher Things . I also give Higher Things, Inc. permission to use any still, audio, and/or video images of my child in publicity and news releases.

\_\_\_\_\_ Parent's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_ Date