

Monday, March 06, 2006

Address
City, State Zip

Dear ****,

We received your reply card. It is great to hear of your interest in Lake Ridge Church!

Lake Ridge is a new church... just now in its beginning stages. There are lots of exciting things ahead.

First, let me tell you some general info about the church. Maybe you are new to church and Christianity, but you think being around a new church is a great place to start. Maybe you have a passion for a new church right here—well, we think Lake Ridge will be the kind of church that will help you...

- Discover God in a non-threatening and encouraging manner.
 - Enjoy contemporary music and meaningful messages.
 - Trust your children to dedicated child care workers.
 - Relax and learn about God.

You can find out more at www.lakeridgechurch.net.

Now, let me share some specific information about four ways that Lake Ridge is specifically moving forward as a church.

- First, small groups that meet in homes are already gathering. There are several different groups and you are welcome to attend any that work well for your schedule. Perhaps you might even want to host one in your home.
- Second, Lake Ridge will soon begin worshipping together as a launch team on a weekly basis. (A “launch team” is a group of people working together to help start a new church.) The Cumming Baptist Church has graciously allowed us to use their facilities on Sunday nights at 6:00p.m. This will be a smaller group focused on preparing for our services in the High School (see below). Our first worship service will be Sunday, June 12th at 6:00pm, and we will continue to meet every Sunday night through September 10th (except July 17th and August 14th, see note below).

- Third, we will have preview services on July 17th and August 14th at South Forsyth High School on Highway 141. (Preview services are meetings before the church begins weekly worship to help inform the community about the new church. Each preview service will be announced with a 60,000 piece mailer to the community.) These services will be the “full” service that will become the norm at Lake Ridge after the 11th of September. There will be a full band, child-care, and the normal activities of church life.
- Finally, starting the 11th of September we will be meeting weekly for worship at South Forsyth High School. It will be an exciting time of spiritual growth and encouragement.

That is probably a lot of information right now, so one of us will follow up with you in the coming days about any questions you might have about being involved in Lake Ridge Church. It is our hope that you might be interested enough to become involved now—connecting with others who are excited about starting this new church.

God bless,

Philip Nation
The Teaching Pastors of Lake Ridge Church

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Encl:

- New Testament
- The Hope Video
- Church Brochure