

# CAMP DRESSCODE

## BOYS

Day: Jeans, finger tip length shorts; shirts required at all times

Evening Chapel: Neat casual (What you would wear for church)

Swimming: Modest swim trunks

## GIRLS:

Day: Jeans, finger tip length shorts, modest tops

Evening: Neat casual or dresses (What you would wear for church)

Swimming: Modest one-piece swimsuit (no bikinis)

**No short shorts, tight clothing, low cut or crop top attire, no bare midriffs.**

## LOOK FORWARD TO

Renewing friendships & forming new ones!

Time in the Word of God through Bible sessions, breakout groups, & devotionals.

Fun activities & sports & swimming

Fun snacks & food

& so much more!

## GOOD TO KNOW

**NOTICE:** Both camps are at the SAME time.

We will function as TWO SEPARATE camps- different sleeping quarters, different classes, and different activity times.

Together ONLY for meals & swim time.

### SENIOR CAMP:

For those just completing grades 7-12. Must be 13 by July 18th.

### JUNIOR CAMP:

For those who are ages 9-12 years old. Must be 9 by July 18th.

ALL Campers are to arrive Sunday, July 12<sup>th</sup>, between 4 & 5 pm.

ALL Campers will leave at 10:30 am SATURDAY, July 18th.

## CAMP STORE

Don't forget to bring some spending money! The Camp Store is packed with candy, snacks, drinks, and fun items you'll love.

Stop by during store time (afternoon and evening) to pick out your favorites!

\* Spending money: \$15-\$20 for camp store, \$10 for Camp T-shirt

# CAMP EMMANUEL

"WHERE GOD IS WITH US"



**July 12-18, 2026**

**YELLOW CREEK CAMP  
6750 W 900 S, CLAYPOOL, 46510**

**2026 Theme  
TRANSFORMED!  
2 Corinthians 5:17**

# CAMP PACKING LIST

- Reusable Water Bottle
- Bible
- Notebook
- Pen & Pencils
- Sharpie to sign camp shirt!
- Musical Instrument (optional)
- Camera & Batteries
- Sunglasses
- Sleepbag, pillow, blankets, sheets
- Towels, washcloths, soap, toiletries
- Modest Swimwear/towel
- Athletic (tennis) Shoes
- Wading or water shoes/flipflops/shower shoes
- Spending Money
- Sunscreen & Bugspray
- Clothes for 6 days, plus extra for messy games

\*Please leave cell phones & all electronic devices at home

## CAMPER EXPECTATIONS

- conform to Christian standards of conduct
  - cooperate with the Camp leaders
  - be modest in dress/appearance
    - be respectful to others
  - be on-time for & participate in ALL activities
  - remain on camp grounds at all times
    - not leave services without permission
    - remain in cabin after curfew
    - not be in or near cabin of opposite sex
  - stay in lighted areas of camp ground
- The standards, guidelines, and rules of Camp Emmanuel are based on spiritual principles, convictions, and experiences of the camp leaders in order that ALL THE CAMPERS may have the best possible Christian camp experience.



& Follow our Facebook page to see photos and updates throughout the week as your child enjoys camp! Scan the QR code and then request access to page.



## ROMAN'S ROAD

You need to memorize the Starters, the references AND the entire verse as printed below. (Other versions OK)

### 1. ALL HAVE SINNED

Romans 3:10 As it is written: There is none righteous, no, not one.

Romans 3:23 For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.

### 2. SIN BRINGS DEATH

Romans 6:23a For the wages of sin is death.

### 3. GOD GIVES LIFE

Romans 6:23b The gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Romans 5:8 But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

### 4. CONFESS & BELIEVE IN THE LORD

Romans 10:9 If you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved.

### 5. CALL ON THE LORD

Romans 10:13 For whoever calls on the name of the LORD shall be saved.

Visit our website for full camp details, schedules, and registration information.

Further Information: <https://www.camp4emmanuel.com>



# 2026 CAMP EMMANUEL REGISTRATION FORM

(**Must** be to your Pastor by June 28, 2026 in order to attend Camp)

CAMPER: \_\_\_\_\_ SEX: M / F BIRTHDATE \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ GRADE IN FALL \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY/STATE/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT'S PHONE:(\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_ Been to Camp Emmanuel before? Y / N When? \_\_\_\_\_

CHURCH: \_\_\_\_\_ PASTOR: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE:(\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_Teens (Jr. & Sr. High) July 12-18 \_\_\_Junior (ages 9-12) July 12-18 **Both** camps are the same week.

**Want to purchase Camp T-shirt?** (\$10) yes / no Size: y-medium y-large small medium large xlarge xxlarge (please circle one)

## **CAMP ARRIVAL**

**All campers** are to arrive **Sunday afternoon** between 4:00 and 5:00 pm.

**All campers** will leave **Saturday morning** at 10:30 am.

## **CAMPER AGREEMENT**

I have read and agree to abide by the standards, guidelines and rules of Camp Emmanuel while attending as a camper. I understand if I do not, I **may be sent home** immediately.

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Camper Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## **PARENT/GUARDIAN AGREEMENT**

I give my permission for my child to attend Camp Emmanuel. In case of emergency, I give consent for medical treatment prescribed by a licensed Medical Doctor. Furthermore, I agree to hold Camp Emmanuel "harmless," free of liability, in the event of an accident. I agree that if my child does not obey the standards, guidelines and rules and/or is uncooperative, **I will come take her/him home immediately**. I have read the standards, guidelines and rules.

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## **PARENT/GUARDIAN RELEASE OF LIABILITY AGREEMENT**

I give my permission for my child to attend Camp Emmanuel. I agree to "Hold Harmless" Camp Emmanuel and Yellow Creek Lake Ministries, free of liability, in the event of any accident including hay-ride, sports activities, and swimming.

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## **PASTORAL ENDORSEMENT**

I certify this camper is an active participant of our church or a guest of one. I certify this camper has faithfully attended church. I (or one of the staff) have heard this camper state the Roman's Road. I have discussed with this camper the standards, guidelines and rules of Camp Emmanuel and have been assured of his/her understanding of the expectations and his/her willingness to abide by them and to cooperate with the Camp leaders. If the camper does not and is dismissed, I will insure he/she is taken home immediately.

Pastor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

EACH OF THE ABOVE **MUST BE SIGNED** BEFORE THE CAMPER'S REGISTRATION WILL BE ACCEPTED.

-----GIVE TO THE PASTOR ON OR BEFORE **JUNE 28, 2026**-----

# Camp Emmanuel 2026

Camper's name \_\_\_\_\_

date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies (please include meds, food and others)

Med, food and other	reactions

We \_\_\_\_\_ (parents name) give permission to the nurse that they can give this camper medication as needed (please mark the meds you are ok for the nurse to give. We will provide these meds.)

\_\_\_\_\_ Tylenol or acetaminophen 325 mg or 650mg every 4 hours for pain or fever

\_\_\_\_\_ Advil or Ibuprofen 200 mg every 4 hours for pain or fever

\_\_\_\_\_ Benadryl or diphenhydramine 25 mg every 4 hours for allergies, runny nose, sneezing, hives, insect bites or itchy skin



## PARTICIPATING CHURCHES

Campers Registration Forms **must be signed** by the Pastor of one of the following churches. IF you are NOT a member of one of the following churches you should contact the closest one to see if you would be able to come as their guest. You **must** be a member or guest of one of the following churches.

FaithWay – Plainwell, MI  
Pastor Tony Dear 269-397-2190  
Home: 269-685-1920

First Community – Matthews, IN  
Pastor Devin Miller  
Cell: 765-603-8804

Highland Park – Kokomo, IN  
Pastor Luke Vasicek 765-452-1779; 765-457-3732  
Cell: 765-480-5546

Lockport Church – Burnettsville, IN  
Pastor Nord Zootman  
Cell: 574-297-4482; 574-686-2913

Riverview Community – Tippecanoe, IN  
Pastor Jeremiah Wilhelm: 574-952-6386  
Pastor Steve Wilhelm: 574-952-6522  
Pastor Rod Ruberg: 574-223-4193  
Church: 574-223-5596

Rossville Bible Fellowship - Rossville  
Pastor Chris Albin  
Church: 765-379-2309

Solid Rock Bible – Rochester, IN  
Pastor Todd Rhymer: 574-224-7654  
Cell: 574-817-0104

Whippoorwill Community – Rochester, IN  
Pastor Brian Sewell 574-223-3905 - 574-223-3502  
Cell: 574-242-1836

# CAMP EMMANUEL

*“Where God Is With Us”*

Get ready for an unforgettable week filled with fun, friendship, and spiritual growth!

- New Friendships
- Outdoor Adventures
- Swimming Fun
- Team Games
- Crazy Competitions
- Lasting Memories
- Tasty Food
- Campfire Laughs
- Bible Study
- Scripture Memorization
- Daily Devotions
- Christian Community
- Real Answers

**A place to have fun, grow in your faith, and experience God in a real way.**

You don't want to miss it—**BE HERE!**

## CAMP PURPOSE

Camp Emmanuel exists to be a **discipleship-focused Christian camp** where young people:

- Grow and deepen their relationship with Jesus Christ
- Learn and apply the truth of God's Word
- Build strong Christian friendships
- Are encouraged to live out their faith boldly

Our heart is to create an environment where campers can **have fun, feel safe, and be spiritually challenged**—surrounded by godly leaders and peers.

## CAMP DATES – July 12th - 18th, 2026

Both camps run at the same time, but operate separately (housing, chapel, and activities). Campers come together for meals and swimming.

### Senior Camp (Grades 7–12)

Must be age 13 by July 18

### Junior Camp (Ages 9–12)

Must be age 9 by July 18

**Arrival:** Sunday from 4:00–5:00 PM

**Departure:** Saturday at 10:30 AM

## CAMP COST

Camp Emmanuel is a **faith-supported ministry** made possible through the generosity of churches, parents, and supporters who believe in investing in young people.

Because of these donations: **Campers attend at NO required cost.**

Campers have the opportunity each evening to participate in a **voluntary free-will offering.**

Parents, friends, and churches who wish to support the ministry are **gratefully welcome to do so.**

## LEARN MORE & STAY CONNECTED

Visit our website for full camp details, schedules, and registration information. Follow our Facebook page to see photos and updates throughout the week as your child enjoys camp!

Website: <https://www.camp4emmanuel.com/>

Facebook: Camp Emmanuel

## LOCATION OF CAMP EMMANUEL

Yellow Creek Lake Camp,  
6750 W 900 S, Claypool 46510

**Note: You may send mail to the above address.**

## CAMP PASTORS PHONE NUMBERS

Pastor Rod	574-835-1537	Pastor Jeremiah	574-952-6386
Pastor Joe	765-251-0045	Pastor Luke	765-480-5655
Pastor Nord	574-297-4482	Pastor Ed	765-480-5546
Pastor Steve	574-952-6522	Pastor Brian	574-242-1836
Pastor Devin	765-603-8804	Pastor Tony	269-397-2190
Pastor Todd	574-817-0104	Camp Office	574-491-3075

## DIRECTIONS:

In general: Yellow Creek Lake Camp sits in the country between Akron, Mentone, Silver Lake.

It is bounded by SR 25 on the north, SR 14 on the south, SR 15 on the east and SR 19 on the west.

### Specifics:

1. On SR 19 between Akron & Mentone, turn EAST on 900 S. Go 4.25 miles. Enter Camp on left as meet 675 W turning South.
2. On SR 14 between Akron & Silver Lake, turn NORTH on 675 W. Go 2 miles. Enter Camp on right as meet 900 S turning West.
3. On SR 25 between Mentone & Warsaw, turn SOUTH on 700 W. Go 5 miles. Turn EAST on 900 S. Go 0.25 miles. Enter Camp on left as meet 675 W turning South.

## SPECIAL DIETARY NEEDS

Campers with dietary restrictions should bring their own food.  
(Refrigerator and microwave available)

## DISCIPLINE POLICY

To ensure a safe and enjoyable environment for all:

Any camper who is disrespectful, refuses to cooperate, or breaks camp rules, **may be sent home at the discretion of camp leadership.**

## THE ROMANS ROAD

Campers should memorize the **title, reference, and verse** for each passage.

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## WHO CAN ATTEND

Camp Emmanuel welcomes campers from **participating churches.**

Each camper must be recommended by their **pastor**, who confirms that the camper:

- Is actively involved in their church or attending as a guest
- Meets the preparation requirements listed below

## CAMPER PREPARATION

Campers are expected to:

1. Attend church **at least 6 of the 8 Sundays prior to camp**
2. Memorize and be able to recite **The Romans Road** to the pastor.
3. Submit the completed **registration form to their pastor by June 28**

## SPIRITUAL EXPECTATIONS

All campers are expected to:

- Demonstrate Christ-like behavior
- Respect leaders and fellow campers
- Participate fully in all activities
- Follow camp schedules, guidelines, and rules

## DRESS CODE (MODESTY STANDARD)

We maintain a Christ-honoring environment through modest dress:

### Boys

Day: Jeans, finger tip length shorts; shirts required at all times

Evening Chapel: Neat casual (What you would wear for church)

Swimming: Modest swim trunks

### Girls

Day: Jeans, finger tip length shorts, modest tops

Evening: Neat casual or dresses (What you would wear for church)

Swimming: Modest one-piece swimsuit (no bikinis)

**No short shorts, tight clothing, low cut or crop top attire, no bare midriffs.**

## CAMP BANK

For safety, all money is deposited in the **Camp Bank**. Campers are able to use their bank funds throughout the week for evening chapel offering and at the camp store daily. Remaining funds are returned to the camper at the end of the week. Bring \$15–\$20 for camp store, \$10 for Camp T-shirt.

## CAMP STORE

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## WHAT TO BRING

- Bible, notebook, pens
- Clothes for 6 days, plus extra for messy games
- Evening chapel clothes (church clothes)
- Closed toe shoes & sandals/slides
- Bedding (sleeping bag, pillow, sheets)
- Toiletries, towels, & laundry bag
- Water bottle (labeled with name)
- Outdoor essentials (bug spray, sunscreen, sunglasses)
- Modest swimwear (with beach towel)
- Camera
- Musical instruments (optional for talent night)
- Spending money: \$15–\$20 for camp store, \$10 for Camp T-shirt

## ELECTRONICS POLICY

To help campers focus on friendships, activities, and time with God, Camp Emmanuel is a device-free environment.

Please do **not** bring:

- Cell phones
- Tablets
- Computers
- Gaming devices
- Ear buds or headphones

If any of these items are brought to camp, it will be **confiscated until departure**.

## HEALTH, SAFETY, & SUPERVISION

Your child's safety and well-being are our highest priorities. Every part of Camp Emmanuel is designed to provide a safe, secure, and caring environment.

**Camp Emmanuel provides:**

- Thorough background checks for all counselors and staff
- Trained staff who follow a comprehensive child protection program
- A registered nurse available on-site
- Continuous supervision throughout all activities
- Certified lifeguard present during all swim times
- Clear safety guidelines and structured routines for every camper

**All medications must be checked in with the camp nurse upon arrival.**

## IMPORTANT NOTES

- Campers are expected to stay the full week
- All forms must be completed and signed before arrival
- Personal belongings should be labeled