UPCOMING EVENTS

YOUNG ADULTS GATHERING

OCTOBER 6 AT 7 PM

If you're 25–35, don't miss this special night with **Ruslan KD**—Christian creator, influencer and speaker passionate about faith, culture, and manhood. Build friendships, grow in faith, and learn to navigate adulthood God's way. No registration needed unless you need childcare. Visi **communitybible.com/events** for more information.

FAMILY DEDICATION CLASS

CENTRAL CAMPUS OCTOBER 11 AT 5 PM SOUTHSIDE / NORTHSIDE OCTOBER 12 AT 10:15 AM

Family Dedication Class is an opportunity to support and celebrate moms and dads who desire to raise their children according to God's Word and strengthen their commitment to one another as husband and wife. We consider this partnership as a privilege. The class will include important details and preparation for a meaningful dedication ceremony to follow. Visit *communitybible.com/familydedication* for information and registration.

CBC STUDENTS - FALL RETREAT

Join us this year at our **Middle School and High School Fall Retreats** for a fun-filled weekend focused on building community! At Fall Retreat, students will have the opportunity to worship together, participate in exciting outdoor activities, and develop friendships that help them grow closer to Jesus! Visit *communitybible.com/students* for more info and registration.

Middle School (6th - 8th grade)

Date: Oct 24-26, 2025

Location: Camp Eagle

High School (9th - 12th grade)

Date: Oct 31 - Nov 2, 2025

Location: Lone Hollow Ranch

MDWK - STUDENTS

WEDNESDAYS AT 6 PM

Middle and high school students join us this Wednesday at 6pm for worship, games, and community. Central and Southside will meet on their campuses, and Northside will gather at Bulverde Activity Center, 30280 Cougar Bend.

COMMON GROUND

TUESDAYS AT 7 PM CENTRAL CAMPUS

CBC Common Ground is where young adults (ages 18–25) come alive in community! Every Tuesday night, this is the place to be, a space filled with powerful worship, relevant teaching, and genuine connection. Whether you're looking to grow deeper in your faith, find friends who feel like family, or just need a midweek recharge, Common Ground is your night.

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GIVE THROUGH CBC



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SATURDAY SERVE

OCTOBER 11 ALL CAMPUSES

Saturday Serve is a one day, all in opportunity for you, family, friends, and community groups to serve the people and places of our city! Choose from a variety of service projects based on your passions, skills, location, and schedule, or create your own serve project and invite others to join you! To view projects and sign up, please visit communitybible.com/saturdayserve

EQUIP

ALL CAMPUSES

Join us this weekend for Step 1 in the 3-step Equip journey, where you get to know the heart of CBC, what we believe, what we value, and how you can be a part of this amazing family. We host Equip three weeks in each month, so you can feel free to jump in at any time! Equip is your next step to connect, serve, and live out the purpose God has for you. If you're ready to start your Equip Journey, be sure to head to communitybible.com/equip for all of the details and to register.

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Title: Free Spirit

Text: Galatians 5:1, 13, 16–26

Target: True freedom isn't the right to do what I want — it's the power to live how Christ wants.

1. Freedom's ______ Statues of Liberty

- a. Set Free: "For freedom Christ has set us free; stand firm therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery." (Vs. 1)
- **b.** Stand Free: "Be watchful, stand firm in the faith, act like men, be strong." (1 Cor. 16:13)
- c. Stay Free: "So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed." (John 8:36)

2. Freedom's Can Do Vs. Can't Do

- **a.** Don't Gratify the Flesh: "For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh," (Vs. 13a)
- **b.** Consider Others above Yourself: "Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves." (Philippians 2:3)
- **c. Break Chains in Love:** "...but through love serve one another." (Vs. 13b)

3. Freedom's _____: Fight for your Right!

- **a.** Walk in the Spirit: "But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh." (Vs. 16)
- **b.** War in the Spirit: "For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do." (Vs. 17)
- **c.** Warning in the Spirit: "...those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God." (Vs. 21b)

4. Freedom's ______ Abiding leads to Producing

- **a.** Evidence of the Spirit: "But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law." (Vs. 22-23)
- **b.** Execution in the Spirit: "And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires." (Vs. 24)
- **c.** Expression of the Spirit: "If we live by the Spirit, let us also keep in step with the Spirit." (Vs. 25)

Takeaway: Christ sets us free, the Spirit keeps us free, and love shows the world we are free.