

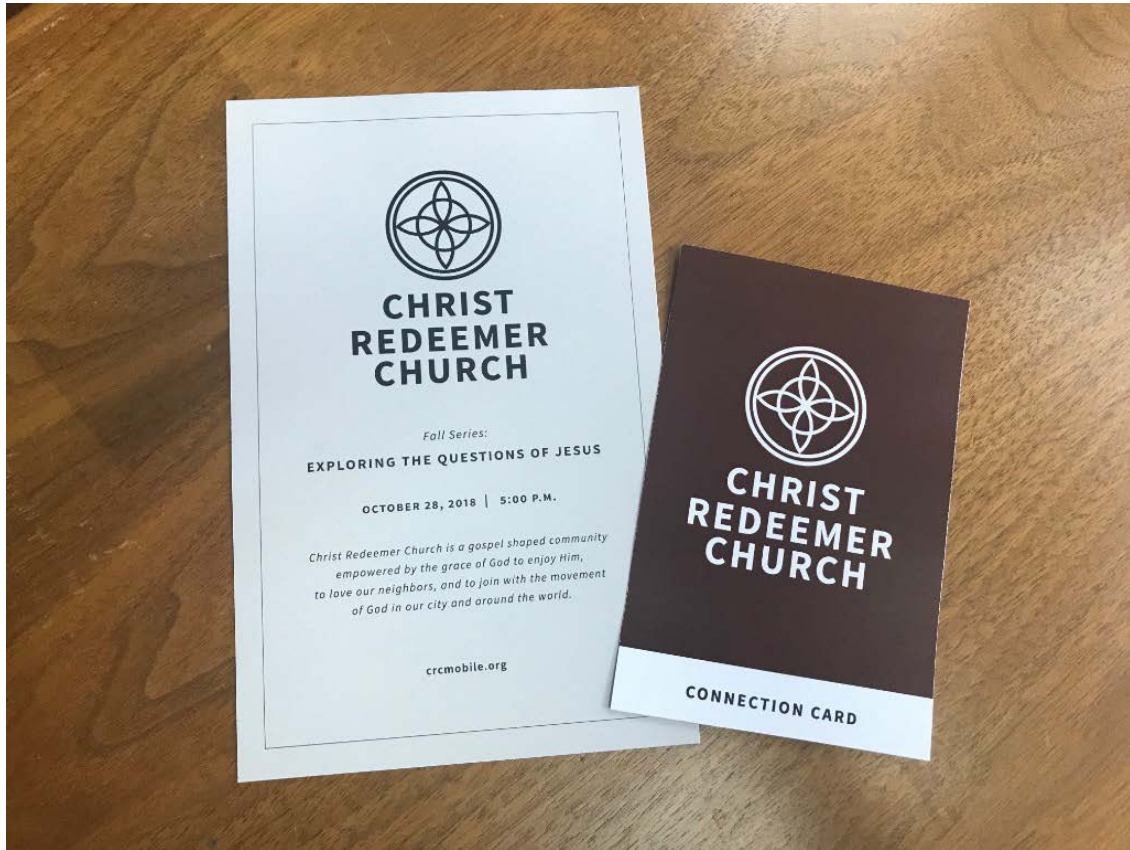


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Excited to Announce that this Sunday we will Launch our

FIRST OFFICIAL SERVICE

as Christ Redeemer Church



After more than a year of preparation-moving, raising financial support, gathering a core team, and praying for the Lord's direction- this Sunday evening we will official launch our first service as Christ Redeemer Church in Midtown Mobile!!!

Our staff and leadership team has recently recounted all the trails we have faced since embarking on this church planting journey. Among our core group we have experienced the loss of multiple parents, miscarriages, Ryan's brain bleed, other major health issues, job changes, and multiple moves within the last 6 months. I share this to remind us all that the only way that we are here today is by the sheer grace of God. It is evident that God has wanted to do a work *in us*, even as we pray that he will work *through us*. We are grateful to Him for his ever present hand with us and are thrilled for this day to finally come to fruition! We would ask that you would Rejoice with us and Pray for us as we move into our new weekly routine.



Though our worship services are just beginning at CRC, we have already had many opportunities to love and serve our neighbors in Midtown over this past year. One highlight has been our partnership with Leinkauf Elementary School. Leinkauf is the oldest elementary school in Alabama and God has opened up a door for us to partner with them. Ten volunteers from CRC go weekly to Leinkauf to help struggling 2nd grade readers. As much as the teachers have said that our volunteers have benefitted the kids, it has equally benefitted us as a church as we have had the privilege of befriending these kids and helping them improve with such an essential skill.

In addition, God has given us an opportunity to serve on an Advisory Board with the City of Mobile Parks and Recreation Department, where we can help improve the parks and programs for kids in our area. We have also begun partnering with a Christian ministry called Dwell, which serves immigrants and refugees in the Mobile area. With these specific ministries, as well as by getting to know our neighbors and co-workers, we pray God will continue to grant us opportunities to love and serve our community in Jesus name.



Partner with Us!

As we begin as a new church, we are very aware of our need for the greater body of Christ. We feel confident that the Lord has called us to Midtown Mobile for this specific time, but we need your help. Here are a few specific ways you can partner with us:

1- **Pray, Pray, Pray!** If the past year has taught me anything, it is that the Lord who builds his church. Please pray for God's grace and favor as we begin services and for ministry opportunities within the community.

2- **Help Us Connect-** We need you to help us spread the word about CRC. Many of you know people in the area that we would love to reach out to. If you know anyone

you think might be interested, feel free to pass on our website- crcmobile.org.

3- **Give-** To state the obvious, it costs a lot of money to start a church. We continue to need to raise outside funds to help cover our monthly costs as we seek to grow our small congregation. Please consider joining our support team with a monthly, annual, or one-time gift.

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