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I'm a Student: _____ Grade _____ School _____

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- Host Team
- AV/Tech Team
- HopeKids

I want to help with the Youth Ministry!

- Adult Leader
- Student Leader

I want to connect in a Group!

- Join or Lead a Group
- Financial Peace University Sep. 23, 8-9:30am.
Childcare available, RSVP needed.
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Suggested questions for deeper discussion!

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What barriers to prayer do you frequently experience?
2. How can you create pathways that avoid your prayer barriers?
3. "The kingdom of self is heavily-guarded territory." In what ways do you protect your will, your ways, and your ego?
4. Do you trust God with what you love? How? Talk/journal about the ways you can surrender the outcomes of life to God.

HOPE HAPPENINGS

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- 10-25-27 Apprentice Gathering** For details and to register go to www.apprenticeinstitute.org

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