



When making plans for Sat, Oct 31, consider which of these is right for you and your family: FirstFest or Light The Night. FirstFest is a free event open to the public at The Loop Campus (4-8p). Light The Night is hosted by you at your home or in your neighborhood. Both are opportunities to connect people with our church and Jesus Christ. No matter which one you choose, we'll provide you with what you'll need to have a great night making an impact for Christ! Visit HoustonsFirst.org/October31 for details.



XEE

Every Sun, Oct 11-Nov 22 @ 3:30-5p
The Loop (Rm 249)

XEE equips Jesus-followers to share the Gospel effectively in everyday encounters. You will learn and put into practice relevant, biblical, and relational evangelism skills for our postmodern times.

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SHARE YOUR FAITH WORKSHOPS

Sat, Oct 24 @ 9a-2p — Rice University (Ley Student Center)

Through the one-day workshop, the hand becomes a simple memory tool you can use to share a Gospel presentation. This class provides the basics of sharing the Gospel, as well as practical application. Registration required. Class is free.

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SUNDAYS AT HOUSTON'S FIRST

The Loop Campus 7401 Katy Fwy Houston, TX 77024 Worship 9:15a-11a-5p Life Bible Studies 8a-9:15a-10:45a-6:30p	Cypress Campus Smith Middle School 10300 Warner Smith Blvd Cypress, TX 77433 Worship 9:30a & 11a Life Bible Studies 9:30a & 11a	Downtown Campus 1010 Lamar (Tunnel Level) Houston, TX 77002 Worship 11a Life Bible Studies 9:30a	Sienna Campus 4309 Sienna Pkwy Missouri City, TX 77459 Worship 9:30a & 11a Life Bible Studies 9:30a & 11a	Spanish Campus 7401 Katy Freeway Houston, TX 77024 Worship 5p Life Bible Studies 6:30p
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WEDNESDAY EVENINGS — THE LOOP

Gather at The Loop on Wednesday evenings for MidLink — an evening of food and activities for all ages! In addition to the following churchwide options, you can go to music rehearsals and fitness classes, and Preschoolers, Children, and Students can go to programs just for them. Visit HoustonsFirst.org/Midlink for more, and to learn about Wednesday night options at our campuses, too.

CHURCHWIDE

MidLink Cafe @ 4:45-6:15p — Fellowship Ctr
The Link (Adult Bible Study) @ 6:30-8p — Fellowship Ctr
Profundizando el Discipulado - Deepening Discipleship (Adult Spanish Bible Study) @ 7-8:15p — Rm 145
Milestones classes @ 6:30-8p — various locations

SESSION 2 BEGINS OCT 14

The second half of the MidLink semester at The Loop Campus begins Wed, Oct 14, with the following Milestones classes starting that night. Visit HoustonsFirst.org/Milestones for more about each of these opportunities:

- Becoming a Woman of Purpose
- Christian Single vs. Single Christian
- IMAGO — The Power of Story
- Kingdom Man
- The Truth Project, Pt. 1
- Understanding Best Practices in Orphan Care
- Understanding Cultural Codes in Scripture & Today's World

UNSTOPPABLE



THE CONFERENCE

Nov 13-14 — The Loop

At this first-of-its-kind event at Houston's First, discover how you can be part of spreading the unstoppable Gospel at home and around the world. Learn from keynote speakers, explore topics in breakout sessions, and find out where our mission trips are headed in 2016. Register at HoustonsFirst.org/Unstoppable.

Celebration

RETURNS!

**EIGHT PRESENTATIONS
DEC 9-13, 2015**

THE LOOP CAMPUS

**MORE THAN 20,000 PEOPLE WILL
EXPERIENCE THE STORY OF CHRISTMAS AT
THIS SPECTACULAR MUSICAL PRESENTATION.
WHO WILL YOU INVITE TO HEAR THE GOOD NEWS?**

TICKETS AVAILABLE STARTING SAT, OCT 17

THEFIRSTCHRISTMAS.ORG

ALL CAMPUSES

HighPoint Bible Study

Wednesdays @ 11:30a — 1010 Lamar (Tunnel Level)
This weekly downtown Bible study is open to everybody! This week, Malcolm Marshall will be teaching. Bring your lunch or purchase one there for \$5. The lesson begins at 12:10p. Visit HoustonsFirst.org/HighPoint to learn more.
CONTACT Diane.Bagby@HoustonsFirst.org

CanHope

Mon, Oct 12 @ 6:45p — The Loop (Rm 143)
CanHope ministers to families touched by cancer and those who love and care about them. We will share a meal together; an entree is provided, so please bring a salad, vegetable or dessert. Come enjoy this time of testimony, prayer and fellowship! RSVP to 713.957.6764.
CONTACT Sherry.Oradat@HoustonsFirst.org

Three Strands Marriage Retreat

Fri, Nov 6-Sun, Nov 8 — Jordan Ranch, Schulenburg
Gain a better understanding of yourself and your spouse and increase the joy and intimacy of your marriage at this retreat facilitated by Sienna Campus Pastor Jeff Rees and his wife, Martha. The weekend is open to members and non-members. Register at HoustonsFirst.org/Sienna by Oct 23.
CONTACT Kelli.Boylan@HoustonsFirst.org

NEXTGEN MINISTRIES

Let's Talk About Porn

Sun, Oct 18 @ 6-8p — Chapelwood United Methodist Church (11140 Greenbay, Houston)
Our kids are facing a tidal wave of pornography. At this community-wide event sponsored by Houston's First and other churches, learn strategies to inspire your kids to avoid pornography and equip them with tools to resist it. Parents will benefit whether your child is in the cradle or in college. Register at LetsTalkAboutPorn.com.
CONTACT Courtney.Schisler@HoustonsFirst.org

As We Go

Fri, Nov 13 @ 5:30p-Sat, Nov 14 @ 7p — The Loop
As We Go is short for "AS Christians WE help people GO to Heaven." The HUB Student Ministry from all campuses will join Unstoppable Gospel: The Conference in training up students to reach this world for Christ. We'll do missions projects, games, worship and much more all weekend long! Register and learn more at HoustonsFirst.org/Events.
CONTACT Susan.Newman@HoustonsFirst.org

MEN

Warrior's Heart

Every Thu thru Dec 10 @ 6:30-7:30a
The Loop (Fellowship Ctr)

In our Great Men of Faith series, we're looking at men who show faith in all types of situations. Different men teach each week, with Jason Swiggart looking at Eric Liddell this Thursday. Breakfast is available for \$5. Registration at HoustonsFirst.org/Men is encouraged, but not required.

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THE LOOP

Surviving the Holidays

Thu, Oct 29 @ 7-8:30p — The Loop (Garden Rm)
Facing the holidays after crisis, job loss, divorce, or the loss of a loved one is difficult. Pastoral Care and the GriefShare ministries invite you to this seminar designed to help, encourage and equip you for the months ahead. The evening is open to the community, and dinner is provided. Register by Oct 26 at 713.957.6762.
CONTACT Janette.Arterburn@HoustonsFirst.org

YOUNG SINGLE ADULTS

Summit Flag Football

Every Sat thru Oct 31 — Warrior Field
It's football time again! Have fun with other young singles and get some exercise, too. The four weekend double-header schedule will conclude with a single-day playoff tournament on Oct 31. Register for \$40 for the season or \$15 per game at HoustonsFirst.org/Events.
CONTACT Joshua.Bagby@HoustonsFirst.org

Under the Texas Sky Hoedown

Sat, Nov 21 @ 6-11p — Oil Ranch
Come experience a night of Southern Hospitality and charm! Enjoy classic country music and give square dancing a try as we dance and have a good ol' time. There will plenty to do, including hay rides, buffet and much more! Register now at HoustonsFirst.org/Events.
CONTACT Joshua.Bagby@HoustonsFirst.org

MARRIED YOUNG ADULTS

MYA Block Party

Fri, Nov 6 @ 6-8:30p — Warrior Field

Married Young Adults from The Loop Campus will team up with their Life Bible Studies to enjoy food, family time, and some friendly competition! The night includes inflatables for the kids and a queso cook-off! If you're not connected with a Life Bible Study, come to the block party anyway — it's the perfect time to meet other families. Find more information at HoustonsFirst.org/Events.

CONTACT Kristin.Hawkinson@HoustonsFirst.org

SINGLE PARENT FAMILIES

Birthday Bash

Today @ 12:15-1:30p — The Loop (Oasis Rm)

Single parent families are getting together to celebrate parents and children with October birthdays. We provide a complimentary lunch and gift cards to everyone who has a birthday this month! The party is free and no RSVP is required.

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WOMEN

Called

Every Mon thru Oct 19 @ 6:30-8p
The Loop (Fellowship Ctr)

To be called by God doesn't mean being sent to a remote village to do hard work. The call of God is "know Me," not "show Me." Gather with other women of all ages as Gari Meacham teaches a six-week study on how to better understand your calling. Learn more at HoustonsFirst.org/Women.

CONTACT Haylee.Nelson@HoustonsFirst.org

MEN

Men:Serve

Sat, Nov 7 @ 8a-1p — The Loop (Oasis Rm)

Men will gather at The Loop then head out in teams to serve the widows of our church family around the city. Through yard work, home repairs, car maintenance, and other tasks, there is a place for you to serve! Register by Fri, Oct 30, at HoustonsFirst.org/Events. If you are a widow in need of assistance, contact Sherry Oradat at 713.957.6764.

CONTACT Emily.Brown@HoustonsFirst.org

CYPRESS

WOMEN

The Bridge

Thu, Nov 5 @ 6:30-8:30p — Peltier Home
Share the date for this special evening hosted by the Women's Ministry at Cypress! Expect to experience a sweet time of worship and a word from Kelly Matte. This will be a wonderful opportunity to connect generations of women through community and praise. Childcare is not available. Register at HoustonsFirst.org/Cypress.
CONTACT Andi.Farrell@HoustonsFirst.org

DOWNTOWN

40 Questions About Interpreting The Bible

Every Mon thru Nov 23 @ 7-8:30p

Vine Street Studios (1113 Vine St., Ste 117)
For some, attempting to understand the Bible can be a daunting experience. This seven week class designed to answer major questions about the Bible will equip you with practical skills for reading, understanding and applying the Bible to your everyday life. Facilitated by Ramsey Rabie. Register at HoustonsFirst.org/Downtown.
CONTACT Peter.Lee@HoustonsFirst.org

SIENNA

NEXTGEN MINISTRIES

PJs & Pancakes Party

Sat, Oct 17 @ 10a-12p — Sienna Campus (The Loft)

What could be better than eating yummy pancakes in your jammies? Eating yummy pancakes in your jammies with a few dozen of your friends! Preschoolers and their families are invited to gather at the Sienna Campus, dressed in your PJs — and be treated to a tummy-warming stack o' pancakes.
CONTACT Cara.Buis@HoustonsFirst.org





SPANISH

Worship & Life Bible Studies

Sundays @ 5p & 6:30p — The Loop (Oasis Room)

We are excited to see what the Lord is doing at the Spanish Campus! We invite you to come worship in Spanish and hear Pastor Gregg's message in Spanish or English! After the service, join others in a Life Bible Study — Seguridad en Cristo, Creciendo en la Vida Cristiana and Las Verdades De La Salvación.

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Need more information? Call 713.681.8000, visit HoustonsFirst.org, and follow us on     

As a courtesy to others:

- Silence cell phones
- Use restroom before worship service
- Remain seated once message begins
- If you leave, re-entry may not be allowed

At the end of the worship service as people are invited to accept Christ or join the church:

- Remain in the worship center
- Pray as people respond
- Leave once we are dismissed