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Church family,

“Missions is not the ultimate goal of the church. Worship is. Missions exists because worship doesn’t. Worship is ultimate, not missions, because God is ultimate, not man.” I first read these words from John Piper in his book, *Let the Nations Be Glad*, a few years ago. This reality has been a beautiful truth which has stuck with me since that day.

As a church getting closer and closer to re:LAUNCH, this truth I pray will run through all of our people. God is ultimate, not man. We must continually be reminded that it is ultimately not about us. The aim of The Mount will be to glorify God and find our joy in Him.

I cannot tell you all how keeping this focus will alter every area of your life. It is when we, “work as unto the Lord” that we see our jobs not merely as a source of income but rather a mission field for God’s glory. As we, “fix our eyes on Jesus” we will see our schools as a mission field to shine the light of Jesus. Setting our mind’s attentions and heart’s affection on Jesus changes the way we eat, live, love, talk, think, walk, work, play, shop, email, text, drive, laugh, sing and everything else about us.

So as we pray, plan, prepare and execute in our church to re:LAUNCH, never forget what we are all about: JESUS. Though many structures and systems in our church are changing, our mission will never alter: *To glorify God as people being transformed by the gospel of Jesus Christ*. Here at The Mount we truly are all about Jesus.

Again, I am overjoyed and extremely humbled to be your pastor. It is with great anticipation and delight that I look forward to the days, weeks and years ahead. God is moving here in The Mount. Continue to draw close to Him and make much of Jesus in all you do each day.

For the glory of God alone,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "Ryan", written in a cursive style.

Pastor Ryan



### The 3 G's: Gas and Grocery Giveaway

3G is one of two Outreach Events that are being planned during our Re-Launch. We will be blessing our community with gift cards for various businesses and in a variety of denominations. The Outreach IT would like the whole congregation to participate in this endeavor.

The concept is simple, and is based on the idea of "random acts of kindness." Take a gift card and give it to someone you meet in your daily routine- this might be a neighbor or a stranger. Feel free to do this on your own as well. On January 29th, Outreach IT will be at various parking lots in Keller handing out gift cards and then the congregation will be able to pick them up after church on January 30th. For more information contact Suzanne Ross or Joy Thompson.



### Love 'Em Enough

February 12th, the Outreach IT will be helping to coordinate a canvassing blitz. We will go to strategic neighborhoods and hand out flyers and cards.

This is a church wide event and will begin at 9:00 am. The goal is to contact as many people within 2 miles of The Mount as possible with printed information.

Outreach IT is looking for a coordinator of this event to work with the team. If you are interested in coordinating or helping with the planning or preparation, please contact [Joy Thompson](#) or by phone at 817-312-0587 .



### Bunco4Missions

Don't forget Bunco4Missions on Monday night, January 24 at the home of Remonia Rosewell, 906 Santa Cruz Dr, Keller. Supper at 6 pm, Bunco at 7 pm. Please RSVP by Friday noon, January 21 to [Remonia](#) at 817-753-7049. Don't forget to bring an offering for missions (if you have it). Remember that newcomers are always welcome, so bring a friend.



### **Monthly Newsletter Submissions**

Please send news items you would like to submit to [Linda King](#) by the 15th of each month.

To unsubscribe from this mail group send an email to the following:  
[Mtgilead\\_newsletter-leave@lists.mgbconline.org](mailto:Mtgilead_newsletter-leave@lists.mgbconline.org).

### **Weekly Announcements**

For weekly bulletin announcements contact [Kristy Stachmus](#) by 9 am on Wednesday of each week.

For slideshow announcements contact [Deanna Hodge](#) .