

Places To Go & Things To Do

DID YOU KNOW? *There is a new Worship Place right in your neighborhood...* A new place to connect with God, and your neighbor - **Conquering Faith church at Berkeley Lake Chapel is there for you.** If you enjoy singing, worshipping, fellowship, and making new friends, then Conquering Faith Church is the place for your family. People serving people. For additional information, please call or email.

Project Green's Annual Fundraiser in Suwanee Town Center Park: Green Living Event with A Taste of BBQ and Live Music! - Eco Vendors, Food, Artists, Live Music, Kids Area! FREE Admission. BBQ Bites \$1-\$5 **Join us on Saturday, October 20th -10am to 6pm** For More info:www.ProjectGreenUSA.org or call 770-806-7492

Join **Emory Presbyterian Church** as we celebrate fall with our **annual BBQ & Bluegrass Festival** Saturday, October 20th, from noon to 4: Free Entry -- BBQ Plates: \$10 for adults, \$6 for children (meat + chips). Bake sale items at \$2 per packaged bag. Cornhole Tournament Tickets (\$25 single, \$40 doubles) may be purchased online at www.emorypresbyterian.org.

Christ Church Episcopal Fall Yard Sale, Saturday, October 27 from 9am - 5pm at 400 Holcomb Bridge Rd, Norcross. Many Classroom Items, School table & chairs, easels, white boards, shelves, desks, piano, coffee maker Sofas, and many other misc. items. **Thrift Store** will be opened with extended hrs. And there will be books, toys, clothing and housewares. **Come - Join the fun.**www.ccnorcross.org for more info

Holiday Jewelry Sale! Saturday, December 1st from 10 am to 5 pm. Come to the **Metal Arts Guild of Georgia's** 5th Annual Holiday Jewelry Sale and find a special piece of jewelry for the holidays. You'll find distinctive, innovative, and contemporary jewelry made by 22 local artisans. **Rock Springs Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall.** 1824 Piedmont Ave. NE, Atlanta. The Metal Arts Guild of Georgia (MAGG) is dedicated to advancing and nurturing professionals, designers, instructors, and hobbyists engaged in the fine art of metal smithing. For Information:www.metalartsguildga.org

Spiritual Formation: Maturing from Milk to Meat -- A 6-week study of spiritual practices from Marjorie Thompson's book "Soul Feast". Led by: Daphne Reiley and Rev. Dr. James Brewer-Calvert. **Sunday Mornings at 9:15am** (October 7, 14, 21, & 28 / November 4 & 11) OR **Thursday Evenings at 7:00pm** (October 4, 11, 18 & 25 / November 1 & 8). Class enrollment limited to 20. Register for the full series by email at fedecatur@gmail.com or call 404-378-3621. First Christian Church of Decatur, 601 W. Ponce de Leon Ave., Decatur, GA 30030

FREE Children's Halloween Carnival at the Fraternal Order of the Eagles on October 21st from 1:00pm-4:00pm. Great FAMILY FUN with FREE Food and Drinks --- Haunted House --- and a Costume Contest. 3118 Chestnut Dr., Atlanta, GA 30340

Don't let Winter freeze you out of all the fun... get outdoors and play GO Kickball! GO combines the fun-for-all sport of kickball with a social aspect that's unmatched, creating an enjoyable way for adults to meet new people, grow relationships, and stay active in a comfortable, non-intimidating atmosphere. **Registration for Winter opens Oct 11th through Nov 26th. Visit GoKickball.com** for more info!

IT'S LAKEFEST TIME! Oct.6-7th! Come on out to Pine Lake to enjoy two days of art, music, great food and family fun. Featuring handmade arts and crafts, live music all day long, a Floatzilla! water parade, contests on the beach, a Games Gazebo, and The Marching Abominables leading our pet parade! **Admission is free.** For information: pinelakefest.com

Saint Thomas More Catholic School Open House October 28th at 2:00pm (registration at 1:45pm) *Come see for yourself what puts a smile on our students'* and their parents' faces. Meet the Faculty and Staff and see how St. Thomas More Catholic School can serve your child with a faith-filled and academically challenging education. **We are celebrating over 68 Years of Excellence in Education!** For additional information please contact our Admissions Director, Eileen Maron, at 404-373-8456 x 110 or ekm@stmga.org

SCOTTISH TERRIER LOVERS. Please join Scottie lovers for a fun-filled day of activities at Roosevelt's Little White House in Warm Springs, Georgia on Saturday, October 13, 2018. **Bring your doggies and loving memories of those who have crossed over the Rainbow Bridge.** Bagpiper, Scottie parade. Contests. **For more information visit www.STCGA.biz**

2018 Tucker Cruise-In is a non-profit, old-fashioned town meet and greet car cruise-in located in Tucker, Georgia. There are a wide variety of cars, trucks and motorcycles ranging from antiques to street rods and imports participating.

The last Cruise-Ins of the season will be held on Saturday, October 13th. The fun begins at 5:00 p.m. and ends with the presentation of awards around 8:00 p.m. There is a nominal \$5.00 registration fee for each vehicle entered. Vehicles must be registered by 6:30 p.m. to be eligible for judging.

FREE AND OPEN TO PUBLIC. Author of *Living with the Living Dead*, **Greg Garrett** will discuss how zombie stories are retelling some of our most powerful secular and sacred stories. Talk begins at **7pm, October 18th**, book signing to follow, **Cathedral of St. Philip, 2744 Peachtree Rd. NW, Atlanta, GA.** For more information and to reserve a seat: https://2018_janebairdlecture.eventbrite.com

Join US in A Celebration to Honor All Authors and The Creations That They Bring from Mind to Paper Everywhere - Saturday, December 1st at the Courtyard by Marriott in Duluth from 11:00am to 6:00pm. Meet some new and old authors ... talk with them and get autographs right on the spot. Space is available for authors to present. **For additional information contact bookdegree4.0@gmail.com**

Prepared with our own jerk seasoning, this BBQ is special. Pork and chicken are slow cooked in open pits with a secret recipe perfected over 45 years. With or without jerk, eat in or carry out. Bulk packages are also available. **October 27, 2018. 11:00AM - 3:00 PM -- St. Timothy, 5365 Memorial Drive, Stone Mountain.** <http://sttimunc.org/>

ARTucker - November 3rd -- Purchase original artwork made by over 50 local artists. This family friendly indoor event features painters, potters, photographers, jewelers, and more. Free face painting for the kids. **Music and food too!** A fun day for all. **Tucker Rec Center, 4898 LaVista Rd, Tucker 30084**

ART Station presents the 33rd annual A TOUR OF SOUTHERN GHOSTS, Atlanta's favorite family Halloween event at the Historic Square at Georgia's Stone Mountain Park. Come out to Stone Mountain Park and **hear good ole fashioned ghost stories told by Atlanta's best storytellers.** Although the stories are scary, they are appropriate for children over 5 years old. **Tickets are available online** at www.artstation.org or www.atourofsouthernghosts.com or by calling the ART Station box office at **770 469 1105.**

Skyland Methodist Church Fall Fest - Saturday, October 13 from 10 am - 2pm at 1850 Skyland Terrace, Brookhaven. Come climb the **Rock Wall!** Bring the whole family to enjoy the **Varsity Food truck, Kids' Games and Prizes, Inflatables, Face Painting and More!** For more information, go to www.skylandumc.org. or call 404-634-6209.

Beyond the boundaries! **ATLANTA CELLI quartet combines classical music with jazz, Broadway, popular, and klezmer styles for a unique and exciting sound.** Expand your musical horizons with **ATLANTA CELLI on SUNDAY NOV. 4TH at 2 P.M. at Congregation Shearith Israel, 1180 University Dr. N.E.** Admission \$5. Value: Priceless.

PINE LAKEFEST 2018 is Oct.6-7th! Two days of art, music, great food and family fun on the shores of beautiful Pine Lake, Georgia. Featuring handmade arts and crafts, live music all day long, a Floatzilla! water parade, chalk art and sandcastle contests, and The Marching Abominables leading our pet parade! **Admission is free. For information: pinelakefest.com**

Christian Fellowship for 30 to mid 40 year olds. It meets at Luxomni Baptist Church (175 Luxomni Rd. Lilburn) at 6:00pm on Sunday. We will be doing a study on Healthy Relationships. For more info call Jack at 404-428-9526.

Free English as a Second Language and Citizenship classes. Citizenship classes are on Wednesdays from 6:15-7:30 They are held on Friday mornings from 10:00-12:00. Classes are free, but the textbooks are \$20. Classes are at Briarlake Baptist Church, 3715 LaVista Road. For more information, contact Diane Lewis @ 404-296-5429 or delat@att.net.

Volunteer Musicians Wanted: Help erase the stigma of mental illness through music with Me2/Orchestra Atlanta! We need musicians with mental health challenges and supportive neighbors. All playing levels welcome. UU Congregation of Gwinnett. Thursday nights at 7:00 pm. Contact Jen Garrison at lblonde.violin@gmail.com or (770) 617-2313 for more information.

"Scribblers" a group of Christian authors and writers is expanding to include 2 meetings: **Scribblers-Norcross meets at 6:00 PM on the 3rd Thursday of each month (October 18th)** at "The Crossing Steakhouse" located at the Old Norcross Train Station at 40 S Peachtree St, Norcross, GA 30071. Call Charles de Andrade at 772-584-1578 for additional information.

Scribblers-Decatur meets at 6:30 PM on the 4th Wednesday of each month (October 24th) at Mission Haven located at 235 Inman Drive, Decatur, GA 30030. Call Clair Hertzler at 404-357-2108 for additional information.

Are You Financial Fit? Learn time-tested principles that can build unshakable financial security and reduce family conflict around money. This 9-hr. workshop will teach you all **three aspects of personal finance: defense, offense, and playing field.** Learn the simple, easy-to-apply principles that can help you shore up your resources, get out of debt, and build stability for a more secure future. **To register call Center for Dispute Solutions** 404-991-0072 or email drickv@centerfordisputesolutions.com

NAMI DeKalb is hosting Family-to-Family a FREE 12- week course for family caregivers of individuals with serious mental health condition. The course is taught by trained family members and focuses on schizophrenia, bipolar disorder, major depression, panic disorder, borderline personality disorder, posttraumatic stress disorder and obsessive-compulsive disorder. **Education program starts soon contact Dianne Hiltman** at namidiannehiltman@gmail.com or 678-468-9430 www.namidekalb.com

NAMI DeKalb is hosting Connections (Peer) Support Groups for those living with mental health conditions, and Family Support Groups for family members. **Please join us at any of our free support groups; times and locations on our website: www.namidekalb.com.**

FREE EFT TAPPING CIRCLE. NEW 2018 DATES AND TIMES: 7/21, 9/15, 11/3 SATURDAYS 11 AM-12:30 PM, Sage Center, 2849-B Henderson Mill Road, Atlanta GA 30341. EFT is fast and effective at reducing anxiety, stress, anger, phobias, pain and more. Everyone is welcome. For more EFT information and events, please visit MelissaLesterOlson.com and MattWagnerLPC.com.

Wealthy Habits camps are designed to empower students (ages 11+) with the tools and knowledge necessary to make smart financial decisions! Camps are fun and create a lasting impact on student's thoughts about money that both students and parents will love! **To register visit: www.WealthyHabits.org. Coupon Code: WHHOME for 10% off**

Fall Rummage Sale. Come find great deals on clothing, furniture, lamps, glassware, jewelry, linen, bric-a-brac, art, collectibles, and much more. **Thursday, October 18 - Friday, October 19,** from 9 am to 1 pm. **Canterbury Court, 3750 Peachtree Rd NE, Brookhaven.** For more information, call 404.261.6611 or email Canterbury30319@gmail.com.

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MEMOIR WRITING WORKSHOP Have you always wanted to write a memoir about your life but struggled with structure? Come socialize with likeminded folks at Downtown Sandwich Shoppe in Duluth and work one-on-one with an experienced editor! For more details on upcoming events, visit meetup.com/supportedsuccess or contact the organizer (Abigail Davis) at 770.864.2124

Healing After "I Don't"--Divorce Support Group - If you are considering, in the middle of, or have experienced divorce and would like to start the process of healing, please contact Lisa Wilson, facilitator and Sage Center Counselor at lisywilsonlpc@gmail.com or 678-902-5472. Meetings are held on the **1st and 3rd Thursdays from 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm** and the **2nd and 4th Saturdays from 11:30 am – 1:00 pm**. Cost: \$20/session. To learn more about Sage Center's services, go to www.SageCenterAtlanta.com.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Jewish Family & Career Services' One Good Deed Program is looking for caring, compassionate individuals to visit twice a month with older adults. One Good Deed volunteers help their older friend with simple tasks, running errands, having lunch or simply visiting, to **create a bond that impacts both the volunteer and their older adult in ways that can't be measured!** For more information, visit www.jfcsatl.org/onegooddeed or call Sharon at 404-274-2431.

JOB NETWORK. Are you unemployed and searching for a job, or anticipating a job change? We have a team in place to help you define your skills, to give opportunities for you to hear job search techniques, and to broaden your network of contacts. We meet at **Parkview Church**, located at 4875 Lilburn-Stone Mountain Rd., Lilburn, on the **first Saturday of each month, from 9:00-10:30am**. For more information, call Crayton at 404-697-7547.

HALCYON HOSPICE hosts a Bereavement Support Group -- This is a place where you can be with others processing through grief, each feeling for the other and supporting each other. Just come as you wish ~ we're here for you. Please meet us at Arbor Terrace, 425 Winn Way, Decatur, GA 30030 In the Sunroom~2nd Floor on the Last Thursday of Each Month 10am-11:30am. For additional information contact Melvin Bell at 404-801-6935

WE LOVE OUR VOLUNTEERS: Halcyon Hospice is looking for compassionate and caring people looking to enrich the lives of hospice patients and their families. Our volunteer provide companionship, music and pet therapy, caregiver relief etc. For more information please contact our Volunteer Coordinator, Terry Preston at 678-651-1440.

Become a Mediator -- Have you ever thought about being a professional mediator? Do you have natural skills helping people through difficult situations? Become a registered mediator for the State of Georgia. **Enter the exciting career of mediation by attending the next Georgia Approved 40 hr training class. Call Dr. Rick Voyles** at 404-991-0072 or visit www.centerfordisputesolutions.com/calendar/

Joe Evans Respite Care Center...Are you tired? Do you need some help with your senior adult? Come take a look at our center! We are open from 10am thru 3 pm Tuesdays thru Thursdays. \$30 per day including morning snack and hot lunch. **Call us! Helen Wilborn, Director 404-317-0613** or hwilborn@eastminster.us. www.eastminster.us

OVER 55? Join Lifespan Resources. Got four hours to give? Take an elder to the doctor. Become an **MET volunteer driver** and exercise your heart. Still learning? Fun in the Session has classes on travel, history, authors and technology. Sign up for **Lifespan Academy** and exercise your brain. All about us at lifespanatlanta.org. Call 404-237-7307.

DANCE * MUSIC * THEATRE * ART -- *Academy of Arts - Smoke Rise Baptist*, 5901 Hugh Howell Road in Stone Mountain. www.smokerisebaptist.org/arts 678-533-0562. artsacademy@smokerisebaptist.org

Become an AARP Driver Safety Course Instructor! As a volunteer instructor you will organize and teach Driver Safety courses at community centers, libraries, hospitals or senior centers. **All teaching materials and resources will be provided.** Feel good in helping to build communities of safe drivers. To volunteer as instructor or find a class near you please visit <http://www.aarp.org/drive>.

THE STEPPING STONE... <http://thestepingstonemooddisordersinfo.com> - compiles information on mood disorders in an accessible, comprehensive way. Teens whose mood disorders are just beginning to develop often go undiagnosed due to lack of information. It explores: • Symptoms and treatments of mood disorders (depression, bipolar disorder, and Seasonal Affective Disorder) • Importance of a diagnosis • Coping strategies • Development of mood disorder • Suicide Also included are personal stories of struggle and improvement with mood disorders in order to spread hope that things get better. If you are interested in sharing yours, contact mentalhealthhelp.stories@gmail.com