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### Good Friday City-wide Gathering

Join others from our broader church community for a city-wide gathering at CLA (21277 56 Ave) at 10 a.m. on Good Friday, April 3. David Smith of Crossway will be speaking and music will be by Dear Rouge. An offering will be received for GAIN's Water for Life initiative.

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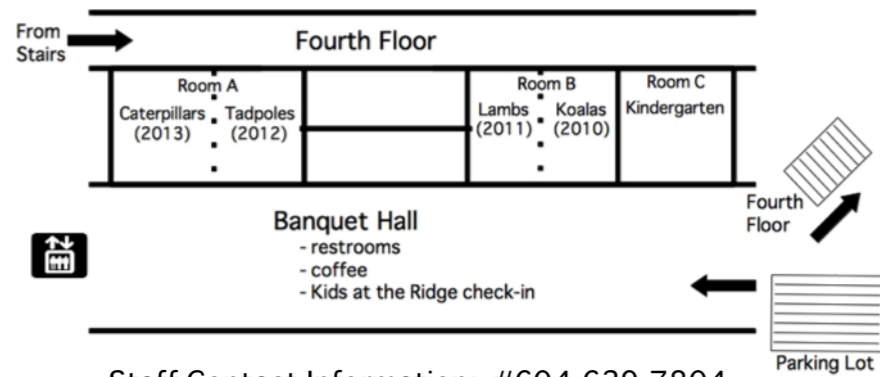
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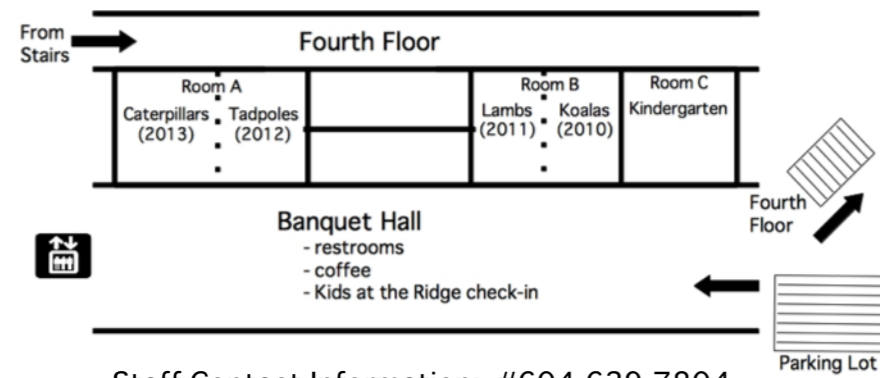
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