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Here's a fun and easy way to do food prep with others so that delicious meals can be frozen, stored, and distributed at a later date to those in need. Join us for Big Cook on Thursday, March 26 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. (dinner will be provided) at Cheryl Wiens' home (21155 80th Ave). Bring your meal supplies with you and prepare your dish while you visit with friends! Register online or contact Carly Wintschel (carlyanne@gmail.com) if you need more info.

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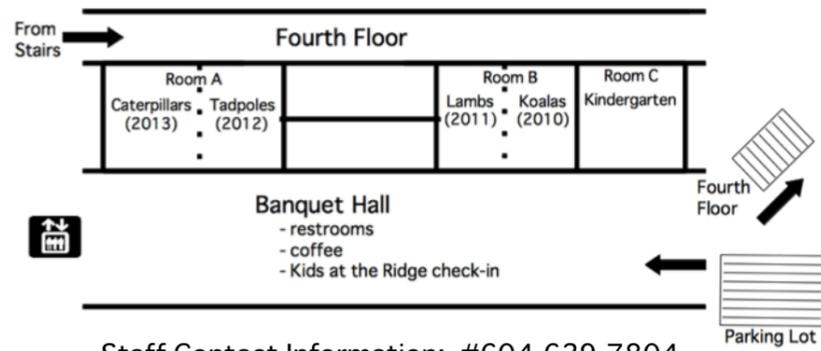
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Good Friday City-Wide Gathering

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 Church will be speaking and the music will be led by Dear Rouge. An offering will be received for GAIN's Water for Life initiative.



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All of our Kids at the Ridge classes will be running according to their usual schedule today. Please note that Remember and Celebrate will be happening in the Banquet Hall next Sunday (check out the details below).

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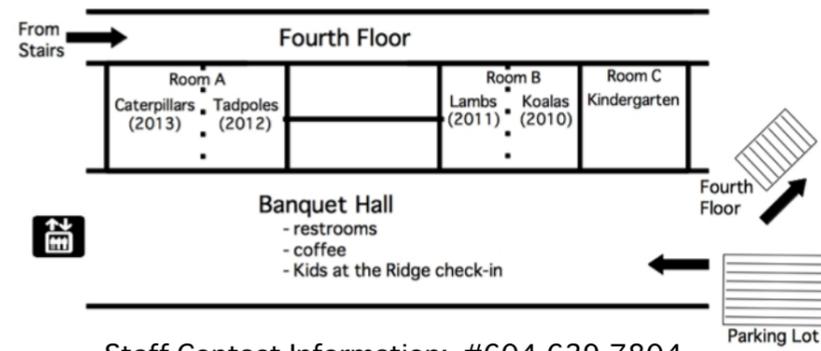
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