



the *rest* of your *life*

**What is UNITE?**

UNITE is a transformative five-day event for high schoolers of the covenant church. This event is filled with powerful worship, engaging youth group sessions, heartfelt prayer, exhilarating afternoon activities, and meaningful acts of service. It is an opportunity to deepen your faith, foster relationships, and draw near to God.

**Who can attend?**

Students going into 9th grade through students who just graduated high school

**Where will the event be held?**

San Diego State University

**What does the registration cost cover?**

All on campus activities and programming, four nights + of lodging, eleven meals, morning and evening sessions, focus group, breakout sessions, afternoon activities, and more. Students will be staying in dorm-style housing.

**What is the theme?**

THE REST OF YOUR LIFE

Do you feel pressured? To measure up? To be the best, the brightest, the funniest, the prettiest, the strongest? To try harder, work longer, never let up, never give in, and never quit?

*Do you wonder what you're going to do with the rest of your life?*

Does all your striving, all your efforts to keep up, to stand out, to be noticed, to make someone proud, only lead to being tired, exhausted, burnt-out, worn-out, fatigued, and weary?

*If so, then Jesus has something he wants you to hear...*

Come to me, all who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest.

*Join us this summer at UNITE and let Jesus give you the REST of your life—for the rest of your life!*

**Details of the trip**

- The event is held July 15-20, but we will be reserving an additional day on either end for travel. We will have to pay an additional fee for early and late housing.
- Because of our additional time, we will take our students on a couple San Diego excursions! This will likely include time at the beach and other excursions TBD.
- We will treat students to a couple of meals so they can experience the fine cuisine of places like chick-fil-a, in'n'out, and other divine establishments!
- Katie will sign-up every student once their registration fees are completed. She will also book all flights for students. If you are using airlines miles, please make sure you give her your mileage plan #, Student's DOB, and FULL legal name.

**UNITE website**

Community Cov has created a website specifically for all things UNITE. Here you will find digital copies of important forms, this informational packet, and our payment schedule. You will be submitting *all* payments for UNITE on this website. Go to [www.cccak.net/unite](http://www.cccak.net/unite)

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

**UNITE 2022**  
**Financial Commitment Statement**

Every student attending UNITE will be responsible for the full cost of their registration, which is \$485.00. A \$170.00, non-refundable deposit is due on Feb. 1. This will be the first payment toward your UNITE registration. The second payment for registration is \$315.00, which will be due no later than Feb. 29.

*Scholarships are available. Please talk to Katie if your student needs a scholarship to cover registration costs.*

Transportation is a variable cost that won't be finalized until the close of registrations. At this time, we are estimating travel to be \$700.00-800.00 per student. *The use of airline miles for your student is allowed and encouraged!* This will dramatically lower the cost of travel for your family. Your flights will be booked by Katie after Feb. 29.

As a group, we will host 5 fundraisers over the coming months. Every student will be required to participate in 3-4 out of the 5 fundraisers to help lower the overall cost for everyone. If you are unable to make the fundraisers, exceptions will be made on a need-to-need basis. Below is a commitment agreement which will help us determine the amount we need to fundraise. Please prayerfully and honestly consider your family's financial situation to determine how much you're able to commit to paying for your student's transportation costs.

**Estimated UNITE Costs\***

\$485.00 Early Bird Registration  
\$700-800.00 Air Travel  
\$100.00 Rental Van (cost per person)  
\$30.00 Early Arrival Fee  
\$50.00 Travel Food/Fun Money

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**Total: \$1,365-\$1,465.00 Per Person**

**Estimated UNITE Payment Schedule\***

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|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| UNITE Deposit              | \$170.00     | Due Feb. 1   |
| UNITE Registration Balance | \$315.00     | Due Feb. 29  |
| Travel Costs Payment 1     | \$250-300.00 | Due March 11 |
| Travel Costs Payment 2     | \$250-300.00 | Due April 1  |
| Travel Costs Payment 3     | \$250-300.00 | Due May 1    |

*\*All costs are estimated and can't be finalized until travel details are confirmed.*

**COMMITMENT CONTRACT**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (parent) commit to paying 100% 75% 50% 25% 0% (circle one) of my student's transportation costs.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

*All students are required to participate in 3-4 out of the 5 fundraising activities, regardless of the level of support a family can contribute to getting their own student/students to UNITE. Exceptions may be made on a case-by-case basis after talking with a student's parent.*

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (student) commit to participating in at least 3-4 out of 5 fundraising efforts for UNITE.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**MILEAGE INFORMATION**

*If you would like to use miles towards your flights, please fill out the information below.*

Student's FULL Legal Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mileage Plan Number \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

## **Fundraiser Details**

### *Parents Night Out, Kids Night In (January 4, 5-8pm)*

Our UNITE students will be hosting a parents night out for our church families! We will be in charge of creating a fun and safe evening for our parent's kiddos through games, crafts, food, and fun activities. This is a great opportunity to get to know the kids of community cov and serve our parents with an evening away! Your responsibility as UNITE students will be to attend our planning meeting on Dec. 13 from 4:30-5:30pm (in the youth room) and show up for the event itself an hour early with a willing spirit and a readiness to serve!

### *Letter Writing Party (Jan. 21, 2-4pm)*

This is an easy way for all students to earn money towards UNITE! During the letter writing party, we will be writing letters to family and friends, asking them to support our youth's efforts in raising funds for UNITE. We will have writing prompts available, as well as all items needed for writing and sending letters. Please come to this event with a list of names and addresses!

### *All Church Trivia Night (In February, exact date TBD)*

We are so excited to host our first UNITE fundraiser trivia night! This will be an exciting evening filled with competitive trivia, prizes, food, and more.

We are planning this event with the Children's ministry and will have more details to come!

### *Chocolate Sunday (March 24, after service)*

Grab your Kitchen Aid and whip up something yummy for our congregation! Chocolate Sunday is a fun and delicious way to raise money for our trip. Your responsibility will be to bring a dessert to share, come 20 min before service to set up tables, and stay 30-45 min after service to work the table.

### *Pie in the Face (April 7, after service)*

There is no better way to get the congregation excited for UNITE than through a pie in the face fundraiser! The congregation will be invited to purchase a "pie" to throw in the face of their staff member of choice. We will have willing staff who have volunteered for this noble cause! Your responsibility will be to help us create the pies (whipped cream in a pie tin), collect donations throughout the event, and assist with clean up when the event is over (should only be about an hour-long time commitment total).

### *\*Online Donations\**

We will have a donation link available for you to send to friends and family. Post on social media, text it in your family group chat, and spread the word! This link is not yet available, but we will send out information when it is ready. Let's send our youth to UNITE!

## Important Dates

Please submit documents and payments to [www.cccak.net/unite](http://www.cccak.net/unite) .

You will also find copies of every document on this website.

### Payments, Flights, Registration

- January 1: Upload Financial Commitment
- February 1: UNITE Deposit (\$170)
- February 29: UNITE Registration Balance (\$315)

### If you ARE using miles...

- March 1: Rental Van and Early Arrival Fee (\$130)

### If you are NOT using miles...

- March 1: Travel Costs Payment 1 (\$250-\$300)
- April 1: Travel Costs Payment 2 (\$250-\$300)
- May 1: Travel Costs Payment 3 (\$250-\$300)

*These payments will include the rental van and early arrival fee*

### Fundraisers

- Parents Night Out: Jan. 4
- Letter Writing: Jan. 21
- All Church Trivia Night: Feb, TBD
- Chocolate Sunday: March 24
- Pie in the Face: April 7

