Church of God Youth and Discipleship

EAGLES Leadership Initiative –

"Identify. Develop. Launch. Soar."

Church of God Youth and Discipleship is committed to successfully raising up the next generation of effective, Christian leaders.

We are convinced that, with the help of the Holy Spirit, The EAGLES Leadership Initiative is a huge step forward in our commitment to do so. We are pleased to invite you into the process of identifying qualified, young leaders to participate in our **EAGLES Leadership Initiative Event:**

EAGLES DC-'18 Leadership Initiative:

WHAT: A Leadership Training Experience that combines lecture, history, training, discipleship, motivation, learning, site-seeing, experience, prayer, patriotism, the Word of God and fun into four unforgettable days in Washington DC!

WHO: Mature Christian Young Adults, Ages 16 -26 (Some exceptions may be considered)

WHEN: July 1st - July 5th, 2018

WHERE: Nation's Capital, Washington, DC

WHY: "To equip young men and women who are committed to Scriptural disciplines, to become confident, skilled and motivated to represent Christ in deed and truth, in order to transform their worlds."

EAGLES DC-'18 Summary / Description

"I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, Whom shall I send, and who will go for us? Then said I, Here am I; send me." (Is. 6.8 KJV)

Our challenge is to develop creative ways to help you engage the person of Jesus -- to find out who He is, what He has to say to us, and how we are to act on that knowledge today.

These young adults (target ages 16-26) will be safely and comfortably under the care of carefully selected, Christian leaders and mentors. Unforgettable tours, site-seeing and events in the Capitol during the Independence Day Celebration will solidify this Leadership Experience!

Anticipated Outcomes

At the end of this training, participants will have developed:

1. New/renewed spiritual disciplines based in Scripture.

2. A winsome personal story and testimony that can be conveyed with confidence.

3. Skills and motivation to engage in leadership in their local communities and campuses.

4. A deep sense of how Scripture inspired the men and women who founded this country and led its great advances

5. A personal plan of action inspired through the training and DC-site visits, the Scripture passages and devotionals and how that the signs of Godly, Biblical leadership are resplendent throughout the Nation's Capital.

Hopefully, **"Eagles"** will leave DC:

• *Trained to communicate truths of the Bible. You will learn specific leadership skills and techniques and be equipped to reach and teach others.*

• *Equipped to tell your stories and take action / Lead discussions / Speak up in class / Manage interviews / Write letters to the editor / Capture Campus leadership / Stand up for Christ!*

• *Taught how to organize. Prepared for peer leadership and understand how "the Bible speaks to me and issues"*

Financial Considerations

Housing, ground transportation, meals, training, materials, and special event costs will be covered by the small, participant fee of just **$595.00** and the generosity, charity, and blessing of the partnership of Church of God Youth and Discipleship (*you will be responsible for transportation to/from DC)*. Participants should consider bringing a reasonable amount of spending money for snacks, souvenirs, and incidentals.