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# 20/30/40 Good Works Staff & Intern Reunion July 4, 5 & 6, 2024

April 2024

Greetings friends, greetings with gratitude!

I am writing to ask, invite and encourage you to come to Athens and re-connect with your co-laborers and friends at Good Works for a reunion of staff and interns!

When:	Thursday July 4, Friday July 5th, and Saturday July 6th *
Where:	Events will take place on the Good Works properties.
Who:	Former Good Works staff, Interns, and your families (kids are welcome)

#### **Events & Options**

We are planning this event now. Here are our current thoughts. If you would like to help with planning activities for this reunion, let us know.

**Thursday July 4th.** Arrive anytime! Come and hang out on the property. Hike the trails, visit the Carter Cabin. Enjoy the property. Visit Athens. Visit and connect with friends. We are hosting a cookout from 4 pm to 8 pm. Kids can play in the play area! We are hoping to have music too. Would you like to share music?

**Friday July 5th.** Stay on the property or arrive anytime during the day. Hang out! We are glad to visit. Hike the trails, spend time at the Carter Cabin. Friday Night Life starts at 4:30 and ends around 8:00 pm.

**Saturday July 6th** –Hike the trails. Visit. Visit Athens. Reconnect with friends. We are hosting a cookout for everyone from 4 pm to 8 pm.

OUR VISION and HOPE is that everyone will see this as a significant opportunity to re-connect to other Good Works staff and interns from several generations. Come and renew friendships. Come for a time of refreshing! Come for as many or few days you are able to come!

\* Those who want to stay through Sunday noon are welcome to! We will have a time of song and sharing Sunday morning in the Hope Center.

#### **ABOUT FOOD**

Good Works will provide food for Thursday Night, Friday Night, and Saturday Night meals. We will rely upon those coming to help us prepare it. You may bring food for yourself or your family to prepare in our kitchen for other meals. Or you can eat out. We do need RSVPs.

#### **ABOUT HOUSING**

We are working on several different options for housing. Please let us know if any of these appeal to you so that we can make arrangements

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• Stay inside the Good Works Hannah House. The upstairs room space is very limited, but the dorms are available. We are not hosting any Work Retreat groups during those days so everyone will have access to the kitchen and fridges to store food you bring.

• Camp on the Good Works property; or bring a camper or RV and hook up to our electricity! You can use the inside bathrooms in the Hannah House and the ADM building.

• Sleep inside the Hope Center on the carpeted floor. Bathrooms are close by.

• Request to stay with a staff family or in the home of a local friend of Good Works.

• Hotel. We are in communication with several local hotels to set aside a few rooms at a good price. If this is something you prefer, let us know.

## ABOUT COMMUNICATION

We are asking everyone to RSVP by or before June 1st. If you would like to stay inside the Hannah House or with former staff or friends of Good Works in Athens, please let us know as soon, as possible because the spaces are on a first come, first serve basis.

## FAQ

• What is 20/30/40? Twenty years of the Transformation Station, Thirty years of the Good Works Luhrig Road Property. Forty years of the Good Works Timothy House!

• Can we just 'show up'. The short answer is yes, but this is not preferred. As you know, a lot of planning goes into this. Please let us know you are coming!

• How do we communicate? Our preferred communication is through:

- 1. email@good-works.net
- 2. 740.594.3339 (GW ADM offices)
- 3. Facebook

Love is a verb,

Keith & Darlene (740.541.0816) Cell

PS- as time gets closer, we will communicate with you through email and through our Facebook page. We are doing our best to contact all former staff and interns. IF you have contact with a former Good Works staff or intern, would you let them know about this?

"Good Works exists to connect people from all walks of life ....with people who struggle with poverty so that the kingdom of God can be experienced."

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