



We can't wait to welcome you to Arise 2025! Our team is praying and preparing for the Best. Week. Ever! Our heart's desire is that your teens will know Jesus more and the messages and fellowship will light a spark that they will carry back to your church! We are here to assist you! Arise is an all-inclusive conference. For planning purposes, the cost is the same if you attend one day or all four days.

### Q & A

- Full payment is due by July 1. **(No Refunds)**
- Please call the office if you have special circumstances or concerns; we will work with you.
- Changes are inevitable; please communicate these to the office.
- Late registration July 2-July 14, is \$205 per person.
- We want you to bring your young people even if you register them last-minute at the conference. We will work with you! Please communicate with the office.
- All chaperones 18 and older MUST submit the Secure Check Form prior to entrance of the conference. It is highly recommended that you take care of your church's permission forms, medical release forms, etc. within your own youth group and bring them with you to the conference.
- Lodging and meals are not included.
- Other forms or waivers will be emailed to you as they become available.
- If you have additional questions - contact the CTM Office at 864-332-4979 or email [arise@cttownsend.com](mailto:arise@cttownsend.com).

### Registration/Main Entrance - LeConte Center

- Check-in from 1:00-6:00 p.m. on July 14. (Only one leader needed. May check in online.)
- If needed, late registration can be handled at check in.
- Free parking is available at LeConte Center for all vehicles, vans, and buses.
- Conference information, shirts, lanyards, and wristbands will be given out at check in.

### Conference Schedule

- An itinerary is enclosed and is available to download at [cttownsend.com/arise](http://cttownsend.com/arise).
- Doors open at 7:30 a.m. for morning sessions on Wednesday - Thursday mornings.
- Interior Doors open for evening services at 6:00; lanyards are required for entry.
- Pre-service games will be every evening.
- NO RESERVED SEATING. Items will be moved if left to reserve seats.
- Seating in sections based on team colors will be rotated to allow for fairness in seating.
- Early bird registrants will receive instructions prior to the conference.

### Arise Youth Conference Choir

- We WANT your young people singing in the choir. This is SO important!
- Please encourage full participation.
- The first choir practice will be at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, July 14. This practice is SO important so we will be ready before the first service. We have room for you, so please make a special effort to drop your young people off at the LeConte Center early for choir practice.
- Choir practice is at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, July 16 - Thursday, July 18. Prize drawings will be held for those on-time for choir practice.



### **Team Challenges**

Everyone attending Arise will be put on a team represented by a color. You will be on a team with youth groups from different churches. We have 8 teams. Your team assignment and color will be sent to you shortly. Your team will have the opportunity to earn points all week long. Once you receive your team color, this is when the fun starts! Be creative! Find ways to display or wear your colors! Feel free to create and share team videos! Email your videos to [arise@cttownsend.com](mailto:arise@cttownsend.com). Everything counts! Represent! The team with the most points at the end of the week is announced Arise Champion and takes home the coveted Arise Spirit Stick!

- Arise Scavenger Hunt - Exciting details will be sent to groups prior to the conference.

### **Dollywood - Tuesday Morning Sessions**

- 8:00 a.m. arrival at Dollywood for sessions.
- Arise T-shirt Day (Provided with registration)
- Buses park for free at group parking. Enter at group gate. All vans and cars must pay for parking at Dollywood and enter at main gate. Colored wristbands and tickets, which are given at registration, are required for entry to Dollywood.

### **Arise Has Talent - Wednesday**

- You DO NOT want to miss Arise Has Talent! We need EVERY group to participate to keep the teams balanced.
- Team assignments, team colors, and team breakouts will be sent to you.
- Register teams for 3-on-3 Basketball and Volleyball Competitions through your online registration.
- Team points and medals will be awarded.
- Concessions and food trucks are available.
- Parking is free and accessible for buses, vans, and cars.
- Basketball & Volleyball activities will be held at Pigeon Forge High School at 414 Tiger Drive, Pigeon Forge, TN.
- Arise Has Talent activities will occur at the LeConte Center.
- Register for Arise Has Talent with your online registration. Competitions will be held in the auditorium at the LeConte Center.
- Music must be in line with the standards of the Arise Conference and must be Gospel music. The Arise Team has a right to refuse a song selection.
- There will be three different categories of our music competitions:
  1. Instrumentals (Piano will be available for use; all other instruments must be brought with the musician to the competition.)
  2. Small Groups (2-6 people)
  3. Ensemble (8-16 people)
  4. Solos
  5. Preaching

The same options are available for Young Adults. These activities will be held in the Cage. Youth Leaders may not participate in the ensemble unless they are accompanying the group. All groups will be scored by our panel of judges and the winning group(s) will be allowed to perform before the morning or evening service begins. Team points and medals will be awarded.



### **Free Day - Thursday**

- Arise Scavenger Hunt - Exciting details will be sent to groups prior to the conference.

### **Dress**

- Youth leaders please help us with the guidelines in this area. Modesty is a priority.
- Come dressed in modest activity clothes (see examples in packet) to morning services.
- Church attire for evening services (see examples in packet).

### **Adopt A Speaker**

We would like to get your youth group involved in showing appreciation to the Preachers who will invest, through the sessions and morning and evening services, in your young people's lives during the week of Arise. We are looking for 15 youth groups who will show appreciation by writing cards or notes and making a gift basket. Please let Mrs. Cindy know if your group can adopt a speaker by emailing [arise@cttownsend.com](mailto:arise@cttownsend.com) and putting "Adopt a Speaker" in the subject line.

### **Host a Vendor Table**

If you would be interested in hosting a table for your your christian school, ministry, or ministry-related business or organization, please email [arise@cttownsend.com](mailto:arise@cttownsend.com). Tables are \$350 for the week and will be featured in the grand hall where all attendees enter and exit. As a vendor, your logo and information (you provide) will also be featured on our screen announcements. Please, we would love to have your help!

### **Spread the Word**

You can download our media resources to advertise in your church, youth room, or community. Please feel free to use on social media or print to share with your teens and young people.

### **Scholarships**

We are so grateful for friends like you who partner with us in this ministry to provide scholarships for young people to attend the Arise Summer Youth Conference. You can give securely online at [cttownsend.com/arise](http://cttownsend.com/arise) or call our office.

### **Arise Media**

Conference USB.....\$50  
(preaching & sessions only; audio and video; pre-order and pre-pay)



### **Concessions**

For your convenience, we are excited to announce that the LeConte Center will offer concessions for our group. We are the ONLY group in the facility so we will receive top-rate, fast service. Kiosks will be placed throughout the LeConte Center and available. One of the highlights is a Starbucks kiosk! Concession prices are typical concession prices with choices teens love!



*We understand that every church has different standards concerning a dress code. We do not desire to be legalistic in any way, and our main desire of the conference is to reach the hearts of these teenagers; however, there has to be a line somewhere. We are asking you, as a group leader, to make sure each registered delegate has a copy of the Dress Code.*

Our goal is to run a clean conference with a practical, yet modest dress code. To help with this, and to be very clear, we have included pictures of what is considered acceptable for conference. Use these photos to communicate with your teenagers what they need to bring to conference. We have found that it can be very embarrassing and hurtful to delegates if they come unprepared. We do not want that to happen! **SO PLEASE HELP US!** Be proactive and prepare your teens for conference with this information so once we get there we can have a great time and see lives changed!

Youth leaders and Counselors, please encourage your group to follow the dress code while attending Arise Youth Conference. All fashions worn should be conservative and professing Godliness in appearance.



### Young Ladies

Evening Services: Please wear skirts or dresses. All skirts and dresses should cover the knee. Shirts should cover the shoulders and midriff. Necklines should be modestly designed and not low cut.

Morning Services and Activities: Please wear skirts, dresses, capris, walking shorts (bermuda shorts), or loose fitting garments that are at least knee length.

Water Activities: If participating in water activities, please wear one piece swimsuit covered with a dark t-shirt or swim shirt; knee-length shorts.



### Young Men

Evening Services: Please wear long, casual pants, (chino or khaki style) or church attire, and shirts with sleeves.

Morning Services and Activities: Please wear long, casual pants, jeans, or knee-length shorts, and shirt with sleeves.

Water Activities: If participating in water activities, please wear dark swim trunks and t-shirt or swim shirt.





# JULY 14-17, 2025

## Monday

1:00-6:00 p.m.

## Welcome to Arise!

Check-in groups at the Main Entrance of LeConte Center. Only one leader needed at check-in. Online check-in encouraged.

MONDAY

- 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.** Choir Practice - Greenbriar Hall - Wristbands Required. All teens encouraged to sing in the choir.
- 5:30 p.m.** Early Bird VIP Access -Greenbriar Hall - Wristbands Required
- 6:00 p.m.** Interior LeConte Hall Doors Open - Lanyards Required  
Seats assigned by team color and rotate daily.  
Pre-Service Activities - LeConte Hall
- 7:00 p.m.** Evening Preaching Service - LeConte Hall  
Dr. Scott Gray  
Dr. Kenny Baldwin
- 12:00 a.m. or before** LeConte Center Closed



## Tuesday



7:30 a.m.

Groups arrive at Dollywood - **WEAR ARISE T-SHIRTS.**  
Buses park at Group Parking and enter at Group Gate.  
Others park and enter at Main Gate.  
Colored wristbands and tickets required. (given at registration)

8:30 a.m.

Morning sessions at Dollywood (ticket required)

9:30 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

Dollywood Day for Attendees

5:00 p.m.

Exterior Doors Open

5:30 p.m.

Early Bird VIP Access -Greenbriar Hall - Wristbands Required

6:00 p.m.

Interior LeConte Hall Doors Open - Lanyards Required  
Seats assigned by team color and rotate daily.  
Pre-Service Activities - LeConte Hall

7:00 p.m.

Evening Preaching Service - LeConte Hall  
Dr. CT Townsend

12:00 a.m. or before LeConte Center Closed

TUESDAY

## Wednesday



7:30 a.m.

Exterior and Interior LeConte Center Doors Open  
Lanyards Required

8:15 a.m.

Breakout Sessions

9:15 a.m.

Break

9:30 a.m.

Morning Preaching Service Teens - LeConte Hall  
Pastor Caleb Martin  
Evangelist Jared Dixon  
Morning Preaching Service Young Adults - Greenbriar Hall  
Evangelist Heath Williams

WEDNESDAY



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- 11:15 a.m. Dismiss for Lunch
- 12:30 p.m. Basketball & Volleyball Tournaments begin at Pigeon Forge Middle & High  
Arise Has Talent Competitions at the LeConte Center
- 4:00 p.m. Arise Has Talent Concludes
- 5:00 p.m. Exterior Doors Open  
Choir Practice - Greenbriar Hall - Wristbands Required
- 5:30 p.m. Early Bird VIP Access -Greenbriar Hall - Wristbands Required
- 6:00 p.m. Interior LeConte Hall Doors Open - Lanyards Required  
Seats assigned by team color and rotate daily.  
Pre-Service Activities - LeConte Hall  
Music Winners Sing/Play; Awards Team Competitions
- 7:00 p.m. Evening Preaching Service - LeConte Hall  
Dr. Johnny Pope
- 12:00 a.m. or before LeConte Center Closed

THURSDAY

- Thursday** **FREE DAY - Individual Youth Group Activities**
- 7:30 a.m. Exterior and Interior LeConte Center Doors Open - Lanyards Required
- 8:15 a.m. Breakout Sessions
- 9:15 a.m. Break
- 9:30 a.m. Morning Preaching Service Teens - LeConte Hall  
Evangelist Heath Williams  
Dr. Ralph Sexton  
Morning Preaching Service Young Adults - Greenbriar Hall  
Panel Led by Pastor Winston Parrish
- 5:00 p.m. Exterior Doors Open  
Choir Practice Greenbriar Hall - Wristbands Required
- 5:30 p.m. Early Bird VIP Access
- 6:00 p.m. Interior LeConte Hall Doors Open - Lanyards Required  
Seats assigned by team color and rotate daily.  
Pre-Service Activities - LeConte Hall
- 7:00 p.m. Evening Preaching Service - LeConte Hall  
Dr. CT Townsend
- 12:00 a.m. LeConte Center Closed

FRIDAY

- Friday** Check out Day





## WAIVER & RELEASE FORM

Youth Leaders: please copy and bring completed forms to the event in an envelope and drop off at registration.

*ALL participants attending the Arise Youth Conference (students and adults) must fill out a Waiver & Release form.*

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Male ☐ Female

☐ Student ☐ Group Leader ☐ Adult Chaperone

Church Attending With: \_\_\_\_\_

Youth Leader Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Youth Leader Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

### CT Townsend Evangelistic Ministries Arise Youth Conference Liability Release

I voluntarily release and forever discharge CT Townsend Evangelistic Ministries, its officers, agents, board, and staff from any and all liability, claims, actions, or rights of action which are in any way related to the registrant's participation in the conference activities. I agree to indemnify and hold CT Townsend Evangelistic Ministries harmless from any and all costs or damages, including attorney fees, incurred in connection with the registrant's participation in conference activities. I further agree not to sue, assert or otherwise maintain any claim or cause of action against CT Townsend Evangelistic Ministries arising from the registrant's participation in conference activities.

By attending a CT Townsend Evangelistic Ministries youth conference, you will be participating in an event where photography, video and audio recording may occur. Your attendance and participation in the event signifies your acceptance of this, and releases CT Townsend Evangelistic Ministries from any liability, payment or royalties in connection with the capture, reproduction or distribution of the images, video or audio by CT Townsend Evangelistic Ministries as it deems fit.

In case of emergency, I understand every reasonable effort will be made to contact the parents or guardians of minor registrants. However, if the parents or guardians cannot be reached within a reasonable time period under the circumstances, or if I, the below signed registrant am 18 years of age or older, I hereby give CT Townsend Evangelistic Ministries permission to act on my behalf in seeking and administering medical treatment in the event that such treatment is deemed necessary or advisable for the registrant's health, safety and welfare. I release CT Townsend Evangelistic Ministries from liability in acting on my behalf in this regard and rendering such medical treatment.

### EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

☐ Parent/Guardian ☐ Self ☐ Other

Full Name: (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**I have read and fully understand this Release.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Registrant over 18 years of age

### Signature required by parent/guardian for all registrants under 18 years of age.

I, the undersigned hereby warrant that I am the parent or legal guardian of the above person and have full authority to authorize the above release, which I have read, and approve.

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





# SECURE CHECK FORM

I, \_\_\_\_\_ Pastor of \_\_\_\_\_,

do hereby affirm that the chaperone(s) listed is/are in good standing with our church and that all applicable background checks have been performed to ensure the safety of the children entrusted to his/her care. In addition, I affirm that the listed chaperone(s) is/are NOT listed on our state's or any other state's Sex Offender Registry. I affirm that this/these chaperone(s) has/have no criminal record involving crimes against children, violent, or domestic crimes.

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**PLEASE LIST NAMES OF EACH CHAPERONE AGE 18 AND OLDER AND SIGN.**