



BLIZZARD 2023

An Epic Senior-High Youth Retreat

February 10-12, 2023





A Message from Matt - Director of Next Generation Ministries:

On this Roadtrip - where faith, life and community intersect, we can't wait to converge at Muskoka Woods. For those who have been to Blizzard before, we've heard about the excitement in returning and experiencing it onsite. For those who will be coming to Blizzard for the first time, we trust this will be a grand adventure into a winter retreat.

Ultimately, we're inviting you to join us for a Blizzard weekend like none ever experienced before!

Never been to Blizzard before? Check out some past highlight videos at https://youtube.com/playlist?list=PL32021TzjOybNVfNjPX54WnLt148Xnv_p (or search "CBOQ Youth blizzard retreat" on YouTube).



Roadtrip: where faith, life, and community intersect

"ROAD TRIP!" It sparks a sense of excitement, adventure, and memorable moments. It's stepping away from the everyday routine. What's even more fun is when we get to meet someone we've anticipated seeing on the other end, converging in one location for a shared experience together.

For Jesus' church, it's where faith, life, and community intersect. And Jesus invites everyone, including you, on his road trip where faith, life and community intersect. Will you join him?

Join with hundreds of teens for a life-changing weekend experience on February 10-12!



LISA PAK (speaker)

Rev. Dr. Lisa Pak currently serves as the Global Strategist for Finishing The Task (FTT). Her previous experience includes serving as the Regional Director for Ontario and Nunavut at the Canadian Bible Society in addition to 14 years of pastoral ministry and church experience in the United States, South Korea, Singapore, and Canada with a particular focus amongst the Korean Diaspora community. Lisa has travelled globally and is passionate about diaspora communities and mobilizing the young generation for the Gospel.



LIFE SUPPORT (worship leaders)

Life Support is a worship collective / “art rock” ensemble whose passion is to lead people into God’s presence. They began at St. Francis Xavier University in Antigonish N.S. in 2004 and have led worship at Blizzard since 2009. It was Life Support’s desire with this album to capture the sounds of Heaven, creating music that will be an expression and extension of the Kingdom, and ultimately bring glory to God!



HOW TO REGISTER

A church leader can reserve spaces for their youth group by registering online at cboqyouth.ca/blizzard2023 or sending in the registration form (also available at the websites above). Make sure you contact your youth group leader about the details.



HOW TO MAXIMIZE YOUR "RETREAT" EXPERIENCE

It is important to be together with your local youth group. This year join with others across Quebec and Ontario for an impactful experience.

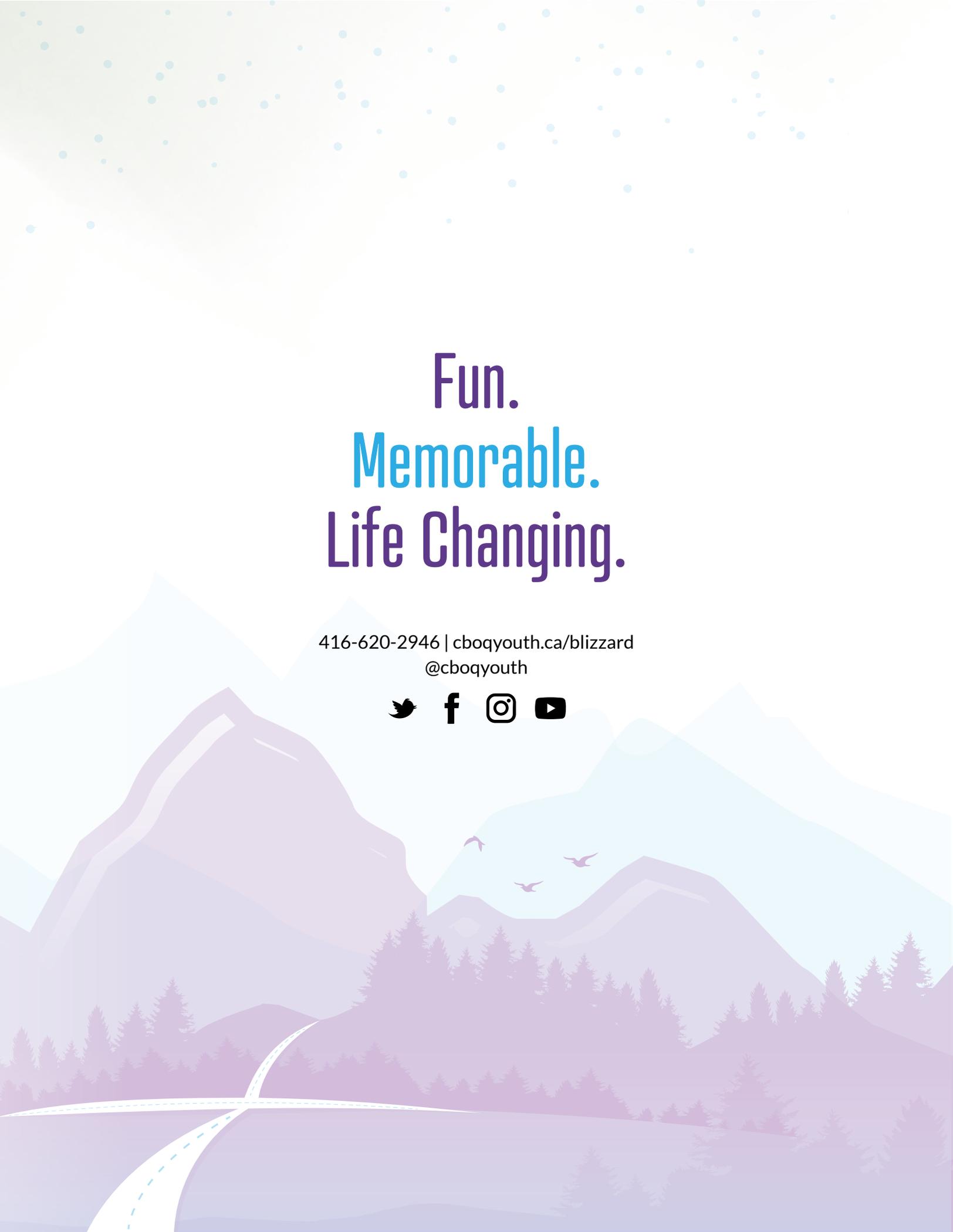
- Use this fun weekend as a chance to invite friends to be part of your church community.
- The program and plans will be detailed for you. Make the most of the time together to make memories and delve into deeper life and faith conversations.
- Expect to engage with Jesus in a way you may not be used to.



WAYS YOU CAN GET INVOLVED

- Join our Facebook Page www.facebook.com/cboqyouth
- Check regularly with your group leader (about 2 weeks before the retreat) on specific details of how you can prepare for the weekend.
- You'll be connected with other churches in your area to form one of our 4 teams. Find out your team colours and get ready to get creative!
- With your group friends, make your own retreat highlight video or send us materials to be added to CBOQ Youth's highlight video.





Fun.
Memorable.
Life Changing.

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