

THESE CONDITIONS WILL AFFECT YOUR LEGAL RIGHTS INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO SUE OR CLAIM COMPENSATION FOLLOWING AN INCIDENT/ACCIDENT PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!

NOTICE TO ALL EXCLUSION OF LIABILITY – ASSUMPTION OF RISK BY CHURCH

In consideration of the CHURCH being permitted by The Gospel Coalition and Redeemer University (the “ORGANIZERS”) to participate in “The Light has Come” youth conference (the “EVENT”) and to use their respective equipment and facilities, now and in the future, the CHURCH hereby agrees to release, indemnify and forever discharge The Gospel Coalition and Redeemer University, their respective agents, board of governors, members, shareholders, officers, directors, managers, partners, employees, volunteers, participants, lessors, affiliates, related and affiliated entities, successors and assigns (the “RELEASED PARTIES“), on behalf of the CHURCH, its members, directors, officers, pastors, employees and volunteers as follows:

The CHURCH acknowledges that participation in the activities provided at the EVENT entails known and unknown risks that could result in physical or emotional injury, paralysis, death, or damage to attendees, to property or to third parties.

The risks include, among other things and without limitation: exposure of participants to cuts and bruises, broken bones, pulled muscles, sprains, concussions, allergic reactions, choking, hearing loss, assault (sexual and physical), dental damage, fatigue, physical and psychological trauma. **Traveling to and from the EVENT location raises the possibility of any manner of transportation accidents.** Participation in the EVENT is at the CHURCH’s and affiliated attendee’s own risk.

The CHURCH understands and agrees that it shall be solely responsible for the supervision of all attendees affiliated with the CHURCH including, without limitation, all minors (youth attendees), contractors, members, employees and volunteers of the CHURCH who attend or in any way provide services or support for the EVENT including, without limitation, transportation to and from the EVENT and supervision of attendees at the EVENT (including, without limitation, chaperones for overnight stays). **There is also a risk that respective employees and volunteers of the ORGANIZERS may be negligent in, among other things, monitoring and supervising participants and in the maintenance and repair of its equipment and facilities.**

The CHURCH represents and warrants that it has in place an abuse prevention policy that contains provisions to ensure the protection of vulnerable persons in the care of the CHURCH, including, without limitation, youth, and further represents and warrants that all chaperones of youth attending the EVENT have been trained on said policy and have a valid police check and/or vulnerable sector screening on file with the CHURCH.

The CHURCH hereby voluntarily releases, forever discharges, and agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the RELEASED PARTIES from any and all liability of every nature and kind whatsoever, and any claims, demands, or causes of action, which are in any way connected with the CHURCH’s (including all affiliated attendee’s, contractor’s, member’s, employee’s and volunteer’s) participation in the EVENT or use of the ORGANIZERS’ respective equipment and facilities, including any such claims which allege negligent acts or omissions of RELEASED PARTIES, or claims arising from any statute, including, without limitation, the Occupiers’ Liability Act, R.S.O. 1990, c O.2.

Should the ORGANIZERS or anyone acting on their behalf be required to incur legal fees and costs to enforce this agreement, the CHURCH agrees to indemnify and hold them harmless for all such fees and costs. This means that the CHURCH will pay all of those legal fees and costs itself.

The CHURCH represents and warrants that it has adequate insurance to cover any injury or damage that any of its affiliated attendees, contractors, members, employees or volunteers may cause or suffer while participating in the activities and travelling to and from the EVENT, or else the CHURCH agrees to bear the costs of such injury or damage itself. In the event that the CHURCH files a lawsuit against one or more of the ORGANIZERS for any reason, the CHURCH agrees to do so solely in the Province of Ontario and further agrees that the substantive law of Ontario shall apply in that action without regard to the conflict of the law rules of that Province. The CHURCH agrees that if any portion of this agreement is found to be void or unenforceable, the remaining portions shall remain in full force and effect.

By registering for the EVENT, the CHURCH acknowledges that if anyone is hurt or property damaged during any of the EVENT activities, the CHURCH may be found by a court of law to have waived its right to maintain a lawsuit against the ORGANIZERS or any RELEASED PARTIES on the basis of any claim from which the CHURCH has released them herein. The CHURCH has had sufficient opportunity to read this entire document.

FURTHER, by checking the box under the registration form, I represent and warrant that:

- **I have read and understood it, and I agree, on behalf of the CHURCH to be bound by its terms.**
- **I represent and warrant that the CHURCH has and will provide sufficient chaperones to monitor all attendees associated with the CHURCH in accordance with this agreement.**
- **I have the requisite authority to bind the CHURCH to this agreement.**