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Often in our culture, many people long for something more significant in their lives, but are skeptical or disenfranchised by the church or religion. Because of this, our Executive Council has wrestled with how we might authentically practice evangelism in our community and invite others to experience God's grace. With the desire to meet new people where they are as a way to show the all-inclusive love of Jesus, we are partnering with Rogue Tavern on 2nd Avenue North during September. Rogue is one of the best venues in downtown for music, entertainment, and GREAT food. We hope to intentionally build a diverse community in the downtown area while providing an avenue for spiritual depth that can begin to take place outside our church building.

Sometimes it is hard even for seasoned Christians to invite someone to church, but we invite friends to dinner or to hang out rather easily. So begin considering now those you can invite to come join you for dinner at Rogue! We invite you to consider who you know that might not yet be comfortable coming to a church building to experience faith or worship, but who might come with you to enjoy a meal and meaningful fellowship at Rogue. All are welcome, but most will need a direct invite from a friend they trust to come. So Bring a Friend to Rogue beginning September 7!

IT'S GOOD TO BE YOU

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 7, 5:30PM AT ROGUE

A PLACE TO BELONG

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 14, 5:30PM AT ROGUE

SHARE THE LOAD

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 21, 5:30PM AT ROGUE

BETTER TOGETHER

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 28, 5:30PM AT ROGUE

For each of these gatherings children and youth activities will take place at First Church from 5:15pm-7:45pm to give everyone enough time to get to and from their event. Parents are encouraged to drop their children and youth off and then head to Rogue. A healthy meal will be provided each week for the cost of \$5.

PLEASE CLICK **HERE** TO SEE THE MENUS AND MAKE YOUR RESERVATION.