

Youth Group

Our youth ministry supports youth, 6th – 12th grade, as they grow in their spirituality and within our community. Our youth program provides a variety of ways for youth to stay connected so that they can grow in their love for God, living out their faith in service, and building sacred community with other youth and adults.



Our goal is to ensure that we have a welcoming, fun, and enthusiastic environment for youth to connect with one another and grow in their faith. In 2024, the youth established three main goals:

1. **Activities:** Schedule at least one meeting or activity each month of the year. Incorporate food in the monthly plan as often as possible (because you know we get hungry). Make sure we do some type of fun

activity at least once per quarter such as: skiing or snowboarding, camping, arcade, lazar tag, or corn maze. Check out these great pictures from our paintball battle in March.



2. **Spiritual:** Increase our understanding of the bible thru biblical focus areas. Once per quarter we would like to have a biblical discussion during our youth group meetings to increase our understanding of the bible & how it is organized.
3. **Service:** Provide a youth-led service to the church each quarter such as: children's time, Sunday school, fellowship time, breakfast, and Parent's Night Out. Have each person create an auction item that provides a service for up to 2 hours including: babysitting, yard work, cleaning, tech support, or errands. In March we provided Easter Breakfast to the congregation and served as ushers, greeters, Sunday school assistants, and audio/visual support. In April we made blankets to donate to support Project Linus. This summer we plan to support Parent's Night Out, Operation Wild Horse, and the Midwest Distribution Center.



Anyone interested in joining in or helping out the Youth Group, please contact Pastor Jae. Youth Group helpers are Michelle Foss, Anne Bierman, Sarah Fisher and Mary Polnow.

The Youth Group meets the 1st or 3rd Sunday each month from 4-6pm. Some of the fun we have:

- Youth Group
- Mission Trips
- Church Camp