

YOUTH NEWSLETTER

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A RECENT SUCCESS

Thank you to everyone who committed a week of serving the people of Huntington, West Virginia.

Youth Bible Class will begin on Sunday, August 22, at 9:45 a.m. We will let you know of the location.

WHAT IS YOUR STORY?

So many times, we go through life not knowing what is going on with people that we call family or friends. We are so caught up with ourselves that we ignore those around us that are hurting. Many times, we are the ones who want to be loved or seen and so we block out what is happening to people we claim as friends or acquaintances.

There is a saying that goes like this: People do not know you care until you show you care. Social media has taken the world by storm. It has become a daily challenge to see who has the most friends or who can post the funniest video. But do people really know that you care about them? If so, how do you show it?

The most important thing in life is that we are loved by a Savior and are seen by Him as His child. A Savior that was willing to die for us. A Savior that is in all things. A Savior that knows us by name, whether we follow or not. Christ was there in the beginning, is here in the middle with us, and will be there at the end of this world. And we have the opportunity to be with Him for eternity.

Take some time to read Colossians 1:15-23 to see how God has saved and reconciled you in love.

GREAT AMERICA

Thank you to everyone who signed up and for parents who have agreed to drive. We will meet at the school at 8:30 a.m. on August 4 and should return at 10:15 p.m. Eat breakfast before arriving.

The cost for your ticket is \$20. You will also need money for food inside the park. There will be a cooler for your lunch if you desire to go to the car and eat there. Do not bring any items that can fall out of your pockets on the rides.

The park opens at 10:30 a.m. There will be a 2:00 p.m. check in for lunch and a 6:00 p.m. check in for dinner. The park closes at 9:00 p.m.

OPEN YOUTH ROOM

Our First Open Youth Room will be Sunday, August 22, beginning at 6:30 p.m. We will begin in the Youth Room which is located in the church basement. Join us for fellowship, food, fun and a devotion. We will conclude at 8:00 p.m. Invite a friend to come along.



WHITE SOX GAME

September 11 is the date for our trip to Guaranteed Rate Field for a game between the White Sox and Red Sox. It is also puffy vest night. We have purchased 20 tickets and reserved a 15 passenger van. We will need to have three adults (one to drive 4 students) to attend.

Cost for the ticket is \$20. This does not include any food purchases inside the park. We will meet at Trinity at 3:45 p.m. and will return around 11:00 p.m.

You can sign-up by contacting Mr. Grady. There will be a wait list after the first twenty people sign-up.

PARENT MEETING

Our annual start of school Parent Meeting will be Sunday, August 29, at 7:00 p.m. in the Church Library. We will go over the calendar year and spend a portion of the meeting on the 2022 National Youth Gathering in Houston.

CLOTHING POD

We are continuing our collection of soft goods (clothes, bedding, towels, etc.). You can bring your donations to any youth event. Remember that when you bring a large (55 gallon) bag of clothing that you receive \$40 in your Youth Group Family account. The money can be used for retreats, mission trips or National Youth Gatherings.

