

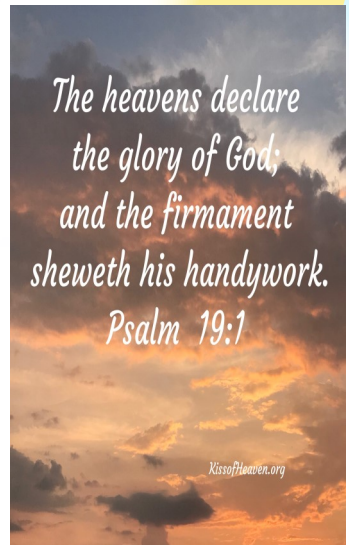
# Greetings from the Trinity Youth Group!

**“The heavens declare the glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of his hands.” Psalm 19:1**

According to the National Solar Observatory, the core temperature of the sun is 27 million degrees Fahrenheit. Every second of every day, the sun releases five million tons of pure energy. Consider that the sun is one of trillions of stars in the sky, which were created when God spoke, “Let there be lights in the sky” (Genesis 1:14).

Psalm 19 celebrates the truth that it is possible for us to know the Creator of the heavens and earth. One way we can learn truth about God is by opening our eyes and looking at the world around us. Just like a painting can reveal things about an artist, all of creation can reveal truth about its Creator.

Take time this month to read Psalm 19. When was the last time you watched the sunset or viewed the stars at night, giving praise to God for His greatness and power. During the month of November and the season of Thanksgiving, take special notice of the beauty of this created world. Thank God for all the blessings of all He has given us.



## Winter Ski Retreat 2020—Only One Spot Left

The plans for the Winter Retreat are being put into place. Here are the details that you need to know now. We will leave Trinity (school side) at 9:00 a.m. on Sunday, December 27. We will return on Tuesday, December 29 at approximately 12:00 noon. Cost for the trip is \$250.

Our accommodations will be at the Kalahari Resort in the Wisconsin Dells. You will have access to the waterpark when we arrive. Our house will not be available till approximately 4:00 p.m. You need to have a separate bag with anything you need at the waterpark. Towels are provided by the resort.

The house we will be staying in holds 22 people. We can bring extra air mattresses if necessary. We will have our breakfasts and dinners in the house. Lunch on the way up will be at Culver's (Your responsibility) and our other lunch will be at the ski resort.

We will ski at Cascade Mountain. Your lift ticket, rental and lesson are included in the cost. A form will be coming your way to find out who needs a lesson. There is, also, a waiver to ski.

A packing list and all other information will come your way in November. The sign-up sheets are in the School Art Room.

If you have questions, please contact Mr. Grady.

## Open Youth Room Schedule

Open Youth Rooms for November will be on November 1 and 15 from 6:30 p.m.—8:00 p.m. All youth Grades 6-12 are invited.

### Important Information:

Youth Bible Class and Sunday School have begun. Hope to see you in attendance each week at 9:30 a.m.

Don't forget to turn in your forms that were passed out at the Parent/Student Meeting.

Remember to invite a friend (Grade 6-12) to our Youth Events.



## Summer Mission Trip Information

All students in Grades 8-12 have an opportunity this summer to join about 400 youth and chaperones in Elkview, West Virginia to help repair homes. We will leave on Saturday, July 24 and return the following Saturday, July 31. There are currently 19 spots being held in our name. You can sign up in the Youth Room or School Art Room. The cost for this trip is \$650. This money can come out of your personal account.

Students in Grades 6-7 will be heading to Kenosha for our Week of Hope. We will leave Sunday, July 11 and return on July 16. Community service will be the major work this week including working in food distribution, day camps and nursing homes. We are in the process of registering for this trip.

The theme for this year's trips is WORTH IT.

There will be monthly updates for these trips. Look for them to get important information. Since we will be sleeping in schools for these trips, it is important that you start looking for an inflatable mattress. The self-inflating ones are the best. They can be found on Amazon. They need to be twin size.

If you have questions you can go to [groupmissiontrips.com](http://groupmissiontrips.com) for information or contact Mr. Grady.

## November Activities

We are booked to bring 15 participants to Feed My Starving Children in Aurora on Saturday, November 7. The leave time from school is 4:30 p.m. We are in the process of figuring out our dinner options for the evening. Our packing time is from 6:00–8:00 p.m. Over half the spots are already filled. Sign-up in the school art room during Bible Class or Open Youth Room. Cost for this event is \$10.

Our social outing for November will be to Color Me Mine in the Burr Ridge shopping mall on Saturday, November 21. Meet at the school at 3:30 p.m. You will paint from 4:00–5:30 p.m. You will be allowed to paint any item that is priced \$20 or less. The cost for this event is \$20 and will include refreshments. If you want something from Starbucks (across the street from Color Me Mine) you will need to pay for it out of your own pocket. Friends are invited to attend. The sign up sheet is in the school art room.

## December Activity

Right now we are scheduled to work at the Chicago Food Depository on Saturday, December 19, from 1:00–3:45 p.m. Meet at the school at 12:00 noon. Make sure you eat lunch before you arrive. We should be back by 4:30 p.m. The current number of participants we can bring is 12 youth and 2 adults.