

“NEW” YOUTH MINISTRY MODEL

GREETINGS FPC YOUTH FAMILIES,

Your child’s faith life is important to us! We recognize that teenage life is hard. How many times have you heard your child say “I’m just feeling overwhelmed.” When young people don’t view life through a lens of faith, life can feel extra challenging, overwhelming, and maybe a struggle in finding purpose and meaning in their lives. We want to help your child view life through that lens of faith. Where they may experience a greater sense of hope, peace, joy, and love in their lives. Who doesn’t want that for their teenager?

After prayerful consideration, and listening to youth and parents, the youth advisors and I plan to refocus our youth ministry. We hope this restructure will, 1- ease your challenges of planning family schedules, 2- allow parents to see the greater value so that they will help **encourage** their child to participate, 3- re-energize the community to work together so that all young people will know what it’s like to be part of a supportive Christian community.

Over the next 6 months, we will routinely meet on Sunday evenings starting February 23, 2020.

Where:	The 303 Youth Center	
For What:	Dinner, games, and devotions	
When:	4:00pm-5:00pm	Middle School Gathering
	5:00-5:30pm	Dinner in Stanton Hall
	5:30-6:30pm	High School Gathering
Why:	To Grow Our Youth Group	

It is through that fellowship, study, service, and the breaking of bread that Christ’s presence will be made known. We understand that everyone has busy schedules but we hope you can help make this a priority for your child and our church community.

So, in the spirit of making our best effort to support one another in the faith, let us gather together on February 23rd! If you would like to talk further, please don’t hesitate to contact me. I am here for you and your families.

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Winter/Spring Schedule 2020

Feb 23rd	Youth Program
Mar 1st	Youth Program
Mar 8th	PEVA Worship at King's Grant Presbyterian Church
Mar 15th	Youth Program
Mar 22nd	Youth Program with Hunger Games
Fri, Mar 27th	Winter Jam Concert 5-9:00pm
Mar 29th	Youth Program with Hunger Games
Apr 5th	Youth Program with Hunger Games
Apr 12th	Easter (No Evening Meeting)
Apr 19th	Youth Program
Apr 26th	Youth Program
May 3rd	Youth Program
May 10th	Youth Program
Thur, May 14th	PIN Meal
May 17th	Youth Sunday Worship
June 13th	Sand Soccer Parking

Summer

June 20-27th	PEVA Mission Trip to Baltimore, MD for Hands & Feet
General	
	Assembly
June 6 th	Sand Soccer Parking
July 4-12th	Chiapas, Mexico Trip with High School Youth
July 14-19th	Montreat Middle School Conference
July 26-August 1st	Montreat Youth Conference
August 3-7th	Vacation Bible School