

Youth Announcements/Online Youth Sessions (Week of May 25th)

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Youth Parents...

Please see the action items in red font. After speaking with church leadership it has been determined that the youth ministry will not meet in-person for the foreseeable future. With that said, we will do our very best to continue to offer as many online opportunities as possible. We understand that this is not the ideal scenario but we are so grateful for the youth that are continuing to be engaged in this ministry. Parents please help us keep your youth engaged in the ministry by encouraging them to participate in our weekly devotions, activities, and service projects. We feel this is imperative to building stronger friendships within the group as well as growing our faith together. **As always, if you have any suggestions for the program, we would greatly appreciate your ideas and feedback.**

A few quick announcements:

- **Weekly Devotions and Prayer Time - Every Tuesday at 7 pm:** This call is usually 20 minutes long. We are utilizing [Group Publishing's 10 Minute Moments](#). This week we'll discuss the parable, The Hidden Treasure and the Pearl. Key Scripture: Matthew 13:44-46. To join the meeting, please go to [zoom.com](#) and click on "Join a Meeting" at the top of the screen. We will use the exact same meeting ID for every zoom session. That meeting ID is 981 789 4849. *Calls can be made with an IPOD, phone, computer, or tablet. Video feed is completely optional.*
- **Weekly Devotions and Prayer Time - Every Sunday at 5 pm:** This call is usually 45 minutes long. We are utilizing *Cokesbury's LinC: Living in Christ*, a fresh, timely, and Biblically based resource. LinC helps our teens examine relevant faith and life issues, using the latest music, movies, news, and current events. **Click here for more details.** This week in LinC we'll talk about some new versions of ways to honor our seniors as well as how to continue processing this unusual moment in time. Key Scriptures: Matthew 20:20-28; Galatians 5:13-15, and Romans 12:9-15. To join the meeting, please go to [zoom.com](#) and click on "Join a Meeting" at the top of the screen. We will use the exact same meeting ID for every zoom session. That meeting ID is 981 789 4849. *Calls can be made with an IPOD, phone, computer, or tablet. Video feed is completely optional.*
- **Graduation Celebration Parade - On Sunday, May 31st we need youth volunteers to help facilitate the gradation parade. Volunteers must wear a mask and should arrive at the church by 1 pm to help set up.** Everyone else will meet in the bank parking lot across the street from the church between 1:30 - 1:45pm (*this will be where we will line up the vehicles*). Please make plans to come out and support our amazing graduates!
- **Random Acts of Encouragement** - Similar to our Random Acts of Flowers that we did a few weeks ago, we will doing a Random Acts of Encouragement where we deliver an encouraging book (*Unshakable Hope by Max Lucado*) and a handmade bookmark (*youth will decorate with their favorite Bible verse*) to various church friends and family members. I'm asking each youth to help by making two bookmarks. **I will drop off materials for these on Thursday, May 28th. Please have them ready for pick-up on Wednesday, June 3rd.** The gifts will be delivered on June 10th. **If you have a recipient in mind, please let me know.**
- **Caring Cards** - We will be creating a new round of postcards for our church friends and family members during the month of June. **I will be dropping 10 postcards off for each youth to help complete on Wednesday, June 3rd.**
- **Doughnut Devotion - On Friday, June 5th** we will deliver Krispy Kreme donuts and a devotion from Max Lucado's *One God, One Plan, One Life*. So far, the following youth have signed up: Caroline, Jacob R., Sam (Kate), Jessica, Claire, Cole, Luke, Arden, Aleena, Abby, and Britton. **If your youth would like a doughnut/devotion and isn't on this list, please let me know.**
- **Virtual BINGO and Taco Bell on Tuesday, June 16th at 7:00 pm** - Immediately following our devotion and prayer time we will play 3 rounds of Virtual BINGO. **Pease mark your calendars and let me know if your youth is participating.** *Calls can be made with an IPOD, phone, computer, or tablet. Video feed is completely optional and does not alter game participation.*
- **Kershaw Count Humane Society Donations** - We will be collecting items needed by the KCHS. **Let me know if you want to donate and I can pick up these items from you or you may drop them off at the church.** Any help with donating items would be much appreciated. The needed items are: cat litter, canned/wet cat food (pate, not shreds), canned/wet dog food (any kind), dog toys, used baby items (play pens, toys, blankets), bleach/disinfectants, wet wipes, and laundry detergent.
- **VBS** - The date for VBS is July 20th - 24th. This is a great opportunity for youth to serve the church. **Please see the link below to sign-up to volunteer.** We will offer a virtual VBS in the event that an in person version is not possible. <https://vbspro.events/p/events/ae2c54/sessions/46036/volunteers/new>