

THE NEXT LEVEL

nwd fall youth retreat // DETAILS AND INFORMATION

- **When & Where:** Friday, November 22nd – Sunday, November 24th at Kalahari Resort & Waterpark (<http://www.kalahariresorts.com/ohio>). Kalahari is located at 7000 Kalahari Drive, Sandusky, Ohio 44870. *Driving directions are available on the Kalahari website.*
- **Who:** The Next Level youth retreat is for all students in 7th – 12th grade. Students must be accompanied by adult chaperones (preferably 1 adult for every 8 students).
- **Cost / Registration Info:** Total cost is \$160.00 per person. Cost includes: hotel lodging (4 people to a room), 3 meals (breakfast & dinner on Saturday, breakfast on Sunday), unlimited access to the waterpark, powerful services, and more! A non-refundable deposit of \$80.00 & registration form must be submitted to your youth leader by Sunday, October 20th.
 - *Dinner is not provided on Friday, November 22nd, so be sure to eat before arriving.*
 - *So groups can enjoy a full day in the waterpark, students will be on their own for lunch on Saturday, November 23rd. There are a variety of food options available while in the waterpark. Students will need to bring spending money for lunch.*
- **Spending Money:** As mentioned above, students will want to bring spending money to cover lunch on Saturday. There will also be opportunities to give offerings at the services as well as purchase food & snacks throughout the weekend. In addition to the waterpark, Kalahari also offers an arcade, mini golf, laser tag, bowling, and other activities at an additional cost.
- **Lost or Stolen Items:** NWD Youth Ministry is NOT responsible for any lost or stolen goods. It's important that you protect your valuables or leave them at home. There are lockers available for students to keep their belongings and money secure while enjoying the waterpark. They can also keep items in the safety of their hotel rooms throughout the weekend.
- **Registration:** Individual registration forms are available through your Youth Leader OR at northwesterndistrict.com. Please refer to the "How to Register" info sheet on the district website for full registration details.
- **Packing:** See the "Packing List" form for details on what to bring.
- **Rules & Regulations:** Specific rules are given at the retreat. Lack of cooperation, unnecessary roughness, lack of respect to property or an unwholesome attitude on the part of any student will result in removal from the retreat. No refund will be given and transportation of a removed student will be decided between their parent & youth ministry leader.
- **Visitors:** With the exception of Pastors and youth leaders, there are no adult visitors allowed, unless arrangements have been made in advance with The Next Level Director, Pastor Daren Duncan.
- **Questions:** For any questions not covered in the retreat documents on the website, please contact the District Youth Director, Pastor Daren Duncan, at 724.846.8820 (ext. 20) or daren.r.duncan@gmail.com.

ARRIVAL / DEPARTURE INFORMATION

- **Arrival:** Registration runs on Friday, November 22nd from 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm. Service begins at 8:30 pm.
- **Departure:** The retreat concludes on Sunday, November 24th at 12:00 pm, directly following service.
 - *Each group must check out of rooms prior to service on Sunday at 10:00 am.*
 - *Though the retreat officially ends at noon on Sunday, groups have unlimited access to the waterpark until the park closes (if you choose).*
- **Late Arrivals / Early Departures:** Either of these need arranged between the parents of the student and their respective Youth Leader. Please inform Pastor Daren Duncan about any unique circumstances.

The Next Level is sponsored by the Northwest District of the International Fellowship of Christian Assemblies.

The District Youth Director reserves the right to dismiss any registrant whose conduct becomes detrimental to the best interest of other students. No refunds will be given.