

# YPOG NEWSLETTER

## MS & HS YOUTH

### Serving at The Banquet



**Who:** Youth (at least 13), college students, and parents

**What:** The Banquet is a food ministry for those in need. We will serve lunch from 11:30-12:30 while there.

**Where:** The Banquet in Sioux Falls SD

**When:** Saturday, December 14<sup>th</sup>.

**Time:** 9:30 AM-4 PM (for those riding in church van)

**Cost:** \$5 for Sky Zone + \$2 socks (or you can bring your own if you have some already)

**Description:** We will leave the church parking lot at 9:30 AM to head to The Banquet in Sioux Falls. Please let Jenna know if you will be driving separately as a family. We will be done with clean-up at about 1:00 PM and will then head over to Sky Zone for an hour jump time. Please let Jenna know if you would like a ticket to Sky Zone. **RSVP is required.** We will be back no later than 4:00 PM.

### Calendar of Events

- Dec. 1      Worship. NO SUNDAY SCHOOL.
- Dec. 4      507 @ Worthington Christian Church 6:30-8:00 PM. Advent service 6:30.
- Dec. 8      Worship & Gift Wrapping fundraiser 7:30-11:30 AM**
- Dec. 11      Youth serve Advent Meal 5:00-6:00 PM. Advent service 6:30 PM**
- Dec. 14      The Banquet in Sioux Falls and Sky Zone 9:30 AM-4:00 PM**
- Dec. 15      NO SUNDAY SCHOOL. Kid's program and service at 9:30 AM. Christmas caroling to follow.
- Dec. 18      Youth Group Christmas party 5:30-6:30 PM. Advent service 6:30 PM.**
- Dec. 22      Worship & Gift Wrapping 7:30-11:30 AM**
- Dec. 25      NO YOUTH GROUP. Merry Christmas!
- Dec. 29      NO SUNDAY SCHOOL
- Dec. 29      H.S. Senior Night 6-8 PM. College students invited.

#### Service & Fellowship Central

- \*Sunday Dec. 8 & 22nd: Gift wrapping fundraiser in new part of church basement 7:30-11:30AM
- \*Wed. Dec 11<sup>th</sup>: Youth serve Advent Meal. Each family is asked to bring a dessert or salad (**Last name A-L dessert; M-Z salad**)
- \*Saturday Dec. 14<sup>th</sup>: youth and families serve at The Banquet in Sioux Falls. 1-hour jump time at Sky Zone after.

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**507 Event:** There will be a 507 Event on Wednesday, December 4<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-8:00 PM at Worthington Christian Church. The church van will leave at 6:20 PM to head over. Parents please pick your child up at 8:00 PM at WCC. There will be NO YOUTH GROUP prior to this event. The first Advent Service is also this night at 6:30 PM. Parents you can decide if you want your child to attend the 507 Event or not.

## **Christmas Gift Wrapping Fundraiser**

**What:** The H.S. youth are asked to help wrap Christmas presents for congregation members.

**Date:** Sundays, December 8<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>

**Time:** Two shifts to choose from: 7:30-9:30 AM and 9:30-11:30 AM. Kids can go to the church service opposite of their shift time (early or late)

**Who:** Need 5-7 high school youth for each shift.

**Details:** Presents can be dropped off in the new part of the church basement. We have all of the materials for wrapping. Please have presents labeled with the name of who they are for so we know who to write on the labels.

**Cost:** Free-will donation.

## **Wednesday Night Youth**

*Come and join us at 5:30 PM on Wednesdays in the youth room. We will enjoy food, fellowship, and small group time! There will be NO YOUTH GROUP on Wed. December 25<sup>th</sup> and January 1<sup>st</sup>.*

## **Worship & Sunday School:**

Youth, we want to see you in worship on Sunday mornings! Join us at 8:00 am (Traditional) or 10:30 am (Contemporary). Sunday school is on Sunday mornings at 9:15 AM in the youth room. We hope to see you there! There will be NO H.S. SUNDAY SCHOOL Dec. 1, 15, 29. H.S. will be gift wrapping on Dec. 8<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> instead.

## **Youth Group Christmas Party**

We will have our annual H.S. Christmas Party on Wednesday, December 18<sup>th</sup> 5:30-6:30 PM (before Advent Service). Please bring a \$5 gift for the exchange (optional: you don't have to participate). We will have snacks, hot chocolate, and fun Christmas games!

## **Middle School Prayer/Play Night**

5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders are invited on Friday, December 20<sup>th</sup> for a Prayer/Play night at the church 6-8 PM. Friends are welcome to attend! We will be having a Christmas party full of games, food, and fun! Please bring along a snack or dessert to share!