

## Dec. 2022 – 2023 YOUTH CALENDAR

at a glance & subject to change – watch emails & sign up for group texts

Sundays -- Faith Connections; Youth Suite 9:30-10:20 am

Sundays; 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> monthly (generally) Youth Connection Nights 6:00-8:00 pm

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### **December 2022**

Sun. 12/4:

- 1) Hanging of the Greens – **3:00=5:00pm** Come as a family to help decorate the church. Pizza dinner served at 4:45pm.
- 2) Youth Christmas Party in the Youth Suite **6:00-8:00 pm** - Bring a side dish to share if you wish. Wear your comfy Christmas PJs.

Sun. 12/11: Blue Christmas service 2:00-3:00pm

Sun. 12/18: Christmas Caroling 2:00-4:00 pm. Meet in Fellowship Hall. Bring cookies to share.

Sat. 12/31: New Year's Eve Puppet show – see church website, bulletin, Messenger for details

### **January 2023**

Jan. 1: New Year's Day pork & sauerkraut fundraiser dinner for Guatemala mission team. Sign-up sheet is on the Welcome desk in Gathering Space. See details in church news.

Fri. 1/6 – Sun. 1/8 - High School Youth and Young Adults the pre-registered at Winterfest  
Middle School Youth and Parents that pre-registered attend Friday night  
\* Forms & payment **due Jan. 2<sup>nd</sup>**. Use Youth drop box in Gathering Space or mail slot for church office.

Sun. 1/15 - Youth Connections Night in the Youth Suite 6:00-8:00 pm

Sun. 1/29 - Youth Connections Night in the Youth Suite 6:00-8:00 pm

### **February 2023**

2/1 – 2/6 - Tim, Chris, and Pastor Taylor at ELCA Network Extravaganza in Anaheim, CA

Sun. 2/5 – **NO** Youth Connections Night

Sun. 2/19 - Youth Connections Night in the Youth Suite 6:00-8:00 pm

### **February 2023 continued**

Fri. 2/24 pm, Sat. 2/25 all day and overnight ending Sun. 2/26:

Confirmation Retreat at church with Lock-in Sat. overnight (*Hosted by high school youth*)

Fri. 2/24 – High School Youth to **Winter Jam** at Bryce Jordan Center, State College.

To coordinate our travel **RSVP by Sun. 2/19**. Cost is \$15 cash at the door. Will likely depart @ 3:15pm and return after midnight.

Winter Jam is an incredible evening of live concerts by the top artists in Christian music: We The Kingdom, Jeremy Camp, Andy Munro, Anne Wilson, Disciple, Austin French, Newsong. Speaker is Zane Black. PreJam hear Thrive Worship, Sean Be, and Renee.

### **March 2023**

Sun. 3/5 - Youth Connections Night in the Youth Suite 6:00-8:00 pm

Sun. 3/19 - Youth Connections Night in the Youth Suite 6:00-8:00 pm

### **April 2023**

Sun. 4/2: Palm Sunday AM – youth host the Egg Hunt

Sun. 4/16 - Youth Connections Night in the Youth Suite 6:00-8:00 pm

Sun. 4/30 – Xtra 5<sup>th</sup> Sun. Youth event TBD

### **May 2023**

TBD Youth Night - HS Senior Night (location TBD) 6:30-8:30 pm

Sun. 5/7 - Youth Connections Night in the Youth Suite 6:00-8:00 pm

Sun. 5/21 - Youth Connections Night in the Youth Suite 6:00-8:00 pm

### **June 2023**

TBD Summer Youth Nights & Events

### **July 2023**

Sat. 7/15 – Sun. 7/23 – Lutheran HANDS Mission Trip to New Orleans, LA