

F *faith formation is a
life-long journey.*

Christian education does not end with the conclusion of Sunday morning Church School. After we teach our children the important stories of our faith, we need to guide them as they apply these lessons in their own lives. As they grow and change, so will their relationships with God, Jesus Christ, the Holy Spirit and our church family. We want to equip them to receive and respond to all of their life experiences as disciples of Jesus.

In that hope, we offer our programming for Youth described in this brochure. Each age-appropriate segment is designed to increase the Biblical understanding, prayer capacity, worship fluency and ability to make a difference in the world in Jesus' name. The journey continues.

We invite every young man and woman in our church family and community circle to join us.

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Y *outh
programs*

For youth in grades 6-12

This is the place to be.



“Do not let anyone treat you as if you are unimportant because you are young. Instead, be an example to the believers with your words, your actions, your love, your faith, and your pure life.”

I Timothy 4: 12

Middle School

Middle School Sunday School

Led by a rotating team of teachers, Middle School Sunday School focuses on multi-week topics such as “How to Make Great Choices,” “What’s a Christian?” “Why God Made Me,” and “Finding Your Identity in Middle School.” All topics are Bible centered. This program is held on Sunday mornings from 10:15-11:15 in the Church House library. On the first Sunday of the month, M.S. students remain in worship to receive Communion.

Middle School Fellowship

All Middle Schoolers are invited to the Youth Center on Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00 for a fun-filled evening of pizza, games and exciting educational activities. Forecasted for the year are fun trips, new friends, a possible weekend mission trip, and much, much more! M.S.F. will always include dinner.

Senior High

The Confirmation Program

Our pastor-led Confirmation program is a two year course of study which focuses on Biblical content, theology and faith formation. After completing the second year of study, sophomores will be challenged to give voice to their beliefs and are invited into official membership of the church body. Classes meet on Sunday evenings from 6–7:15 p.m. in the Church House Geneva Room.

Senior High Bible Study

Bible study is an opportunity for teens to explore how Scripture is not only the historical basis of our faith, but is also relevant in our lives today. Bible study meets on Wednesday evenings at the home of a church member.

Senior High Fellowship

Led by a team of dedicated advisors, Senior High Fellowship meets in the Youth Center every Sunday evening from 7:30-9 p.m. for topic nights, prayer, games, singing and fun times with friends. They also enjoy weekend retreats and recreational trips like the Haunted Halloween Hayride.

Summer Work Camp

Pull out the painting pants and grab your crowbar for this annual summer tradition! For one week in July, youth and advisors from our church and community travel to rural areas to rebuild homes for those in need. This is an awesome opportunity for our young people to see how their hard work and spirit really does make a difference in the lives of others.