



PEAK.

Praying, Encouraging, Active, Koinonia

Youth Mission Statement:

“Responding to God’s grace and invitation, the youth of Covenant Presbyterian Church seek to be a family that nurtures, challenges, and empowers each other along the journey of faithful discipleship; providing opportunities to learn, serve, question, worship, and share the Good News of Jesus Christ!”

Contact Neeley for questions and feedback!

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Information about PEAK:

www.covenantpresby.org/connect/ministry/high-school-youth/

Youth Leadership Team

Youth Leadership team small group will meet January 8, February 12, March 4, April 8, and May 6 at noon in the Conference Room!

P.E.A.K. Advisor Small Group

PEAK Advisor small group meets one Wednesday of the month at 7:30 pm in room 307 (Jan. 11, Feb. 1, March 7, April 11, and May 2)

Faithful Parenting

Friday, Feb. 10 at Myers Park Pres Outreach Center, 7pm-9:30pm
“Almost Christian” by Kenda Creasy Dean

- *If you are interested in purchasing this book let Neeley know!*

Sunday, April 15 at Providence Presbyterian Church, 6pm-7:30pm
Speaker Mark Devries - partnership between teen, family and church

YOUTH SUNDAY

“LIVE OUT LOUD!”

February 5 8:30am, 9:30am, 11am

Mandatory planning dates: January 22,29 at 545; February 4 from noon-3

Make sure you have signed up for a ministry team – contact Elizabeth Ignasher!

SUNDAY MORNINGS

P.E.A.K Sunday School
9:30-10:30 am Room 307 of Education Wing
THEME: "God Talk: A Primer for Presbyterians"

Adult training dates are opportunities where we are partnering with Sarah Kromer to facilitate conversations with Parents, Advisors, and all Adults on the topics we will be discussing in Youth Sunday School. Room FH 203

TOPIC ADULT TRAINING

Grace Abounding	January 8, 2012
Union with Christ	February 5, 2012
Benefits of Union	March 4, 2012
Sacraments	April 15, 2012
Church	May 6, 2012

TOPIC YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL DATES

A New Year	January 8
Grace Abounding	Jan. 15, Jan. 22, Jan. 29
Youth Sunday	February 5
Union with Christ	Feb. 12, Feb. 19, Feb. 26
Lenten Pilgrimage	March 4
Benefits of Union	March 11, March 18, March 15
Simply Jesus	April 1
EASTER	No Sunday School April 8
<i>Visit AME Zion</i>	<i>April 15</i>
Sacraments	April 22, April 29
<i>Visit Elevation</i>	<i>May 6</i>
Church	May 13, 20
Summer TOPIC: "GONE FISHIN!"	May 27, June 1
Gone Fishin	June
Prayer	July

SUNDAY EVENINGS

P.E.A.K. Fellowship
5:45-7 pm, Room 307 of Education Wing

January 8	PARENT YOUTH Gathering	Room 307
Jan. 15	"Called by God-RINGTONES!"	Room 307
Jan. 22	YOUTH SUNDAY PREP	Room 307
Jan. 29	Youth Sunday Prep	Room 307
Feb. 5	YOUTH SUNDAY	NO YOUTH
Feb. 12	Valentine's Party @Sharon Towers	Room 307 *Sharon Towers
Feb. 19	The 1 st Grader Film	Room 307
Feb. 26	Fiesta	NO YOUTH
March 4	Service Project with FPC	Room 307
March 11	Winter Retreat	NO YOUTH
March 18	Grade Level Dinner/Game Night	TBA
March 25	Kickball Rally!!	The Circle
April 1st	Easter Celebration/Mission Sunday	TBA
April 8th	EASTER	NO YOUTH
April 15	Minute to Win it!	Room 307
April 22nd	Beach Retreat	NO YOUTH
April 29th	End of year Celebration	Fellowship Hall
May 6th	Quest/9 th grade cookout	TBA

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

Join us for Covenant Connection at 530!

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS WILL START JANUARY 11
and CONCLUDE APRIL 18.

High School Girls Bible Study: Presbyterian Women's Circle

This small group is for 9th grade through 12th grade young women. A safe, comfortable place to engage in life conversations.

Every Wednesday evening, 6:30pm-7:30pm. All are welcome! This spring we will share our "Life verse" and study Simply Jesus for our journey through lent!

Guy's Night

This small group is for 9th-12th grade young men. A place set aside to discuss relevant topics for teen guys living out they're faith. Every Wednesday evening from 6:30pm-7:30pm. All are welcome. This spring we will share our "life verse", Simply Jesus, and tackle pressing topics through the biblical narrative.

Special Event Wednesday Nights

- January 11 – Decorating Chairs for Fiesta
- February 22 – Ash Wednesday
- February 29 – "Pilgrimage" speaker
- March 28 – Sedar Meal

Additional SMALL GROUP OFFERINGS!

Banana Split!

Dialogue for High School Youth about Divorce. Small group leaders: Justin & Lee Perry. 1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month, 6:45-7:45, room 307. (Jan. 3, Jan.17, Feb. 7, Feb. 21, March 6, March 20, April 3, April 17)

Parent Small Group – Price of Privilege

Interested in more dialogue about Price of Privilege? Longing for a group of parents to share your joys and obstacles in parenting a youth of today? Join Kay Tawney, as she facilitates conversations about what it means to be a parent of a youth in an affluent world. This group will meet every other week starting Jan. 8. (Jan. 8, 22, Feb 5, Feb. 19)

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

January 7	PEAK SKI DAY	@ church – Sat. 6am
January 8	YOUTH KICKS OFF	Room 307 5:45-7
January 11	Wednesday Night begins	Covenant Connection/Bible study
January 22	FIESTA donations due!	
February 4	Youth Sunday Prep	Noon-3pm
February 5	YOUTH SUNDAY	
February 21	Friendship Trays & Lunch date	CMS NO SCHOOL
February 22	Ash Wednesday service	6:30pm
February 26	FIESTA	
March 9-12	WINTER RETREAT	
March 13	PEAK Room in the Inn	Fellowship Hall
March 24-25	30 hour famine	
April 20-22	BEACH RETREAT	
April 29	End of year Fellowship	
June 3	SENIOR SUNDAY	

SUMMER MINISTRY

Mission Trips/Montreat

9th Grade Trip: Heifer June 17-23 Total Cost: \$575

10th/11th Grade Trip: Pilgrimage June 24-29 Total Cost: \$575

12th Grade Trip: Yucatan June 17-23 Total Cost: \$650

** Non-refundable deposit is DUE - \$200

Montreat July 8-14 Total Cost: \$375

** Non-refundable deposit is DUE- \$190

FINAL PAYMENT ALL TRIPS DUE MARCH 1