

St. John Youth Ministry

August 2025 Newsletter

Newsfeed

6th-12th Grade

- Blessing of the Backpacks, Aug 10, all 3 services
- Youth Ministry Parent Meeting, Aug 24, 12:15-1:30p
- PUMPKIN PATCH
 - Sign-up (begins) Sept 1
 - Set-Up Sept 20
 - 1st Pumpkin Delivery Sept 21
 - Tear Down Nov 1

7th-12th Grade

- Sundown of Summer, Aug 6, 6-9p, Donaho's (7116 Hinton, Mansfield)

7th-8th Grade

- First Year Confirmand Blessing Aug 27, 7-8:30p
- Confirmation Classes begin Sept 4, 6:30-8p, Sanctuary
- Recess Retreat Oct 3-4

Pathfinders

- Saturday: 8/23, 6-9p, YB
- Sundays: 8/24, 9/21, 9/28 & 10/19, 12:15-2:30p, YB
- Pathfinders Retreat: TBD
- Confirmation Service Run-through, Sunday, Oct 26, 2:30p, Cafe
- Confirmation Service, Sunday, Oct 26, 3:00p, WC

Sundown of Summer

August 6, 6:00-9:00pm

Donaho's House (7116 Hinton)

A fun youth event to end the summer and start the school year with a blast!

Pathfinders

Pathfinders is required as the final piece of the Confirmation experience for those being confirmed on Reformation Sunday this year. This will be a new adventure with our Lord...a time of transition and a time of becoming who God created you to be!!!

Saturday

6-9 p

Aug 23

Sundays

12:15-2:30p

Aug 24

Sept 21

Sept 28

Oct 19

Retreat

TBD

Parent Info Meeting

August 24 following Youth Ministry Parent Meeting

Confirmation Service

Sunday, Oct 26, 3p, WC

Confirmation Service

Run-Through

October 26 2:30p, Cafe

(At least 1 parent needs to attend with their Confirmand)

YOUTH MINISTRY PARENT MEETING

PLAN TO ATTEND THIS
VERY IMPORTANT YOUTH
MINISTRY MEETING/
OVERVIEW FOR 2025-2026

AUGUST 24

12:15-1:30PM

YOUTH BUILDING

- PUMPKIN PATCH: SIGN UP, SETUP/TEAR DOWN, SHIFTS
- CAMP EAGLE

- PAPERWORK FOR 2025-2026
- OTHER FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES
- VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

FIRST YEAR CONFIRMAND
Blessing
AUGUST 27 7:00-8:30PM
SANCTUARY

NEW CONFIRMANDS & PARENTS
BRING YOUR BIBLE

BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS

AUGUST 10 - WORSHIP CENTER

ALL 3 SERVICES



JOIN US FOR BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS FOR
STUDENTS, TEACHERS, SCHOOL
ADMINISTRATORS, SCHOOL WORKERS,...



Pumpkin Patch Sign-Up

- Pumpkin Patch is coming
- Major fundraiser for high impact summer activities
- Must sign up to help with **Setup, Delivery OR Tear Down** (dates and times coming soon)
- Shifts will be available on **September 1st** on Signup Genius (for all 6th-12th graders)

SET-UP Pumpkin Patch DELIVERY

SEPTEMBER 20
10AM-12PM

SEPTEMBER 21
AFTER 11:00
SERVICE



Bible Study

High School

Weekly HS Bible Study
will resume August 20.
More info to come soon.

Every Week

7th & 8th Grade

Sunday Bible Class/Small Groups:

9:30-10:30a

High School

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9:30-10:30a

Small Group Bible Study:

Wednesdays: will resume August 20

YOUTH LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

- Sharing our Gathering experiences
- Being together for Sundown On Summer on 8/6
- Our 2025-2026 YLC

Youth Worship Band



If you would like to be part of the Youth Worship Band,
please contact Brayden Hackler by texting 'Youth Band'
to 817-888-5207.

Confirmation Classes Begin

SEPTEMBER 4



1st, 3rd, 5th Wednesday
6:30-8:00 Sanctuary

2nd Wednesday
6:30-8:00 Youth Building



4th Wednesday
6:30-8:00 Youth Building

Remind Codes

'Opt in' today by texting 81010

- **High School Youth** (Y)
 - @hsyouth5
- **High School Youth & Parents** (Y+P)
 - @hs-parent4
- **7th-8th/Confirmation** (Y+P)
 - @7-8youth4
- **Pathfinders-3rd Yr Confirmands** (Y+P)
 - @pathfind9
- **6th Grade Parents** (P)
 - @campeagle6
- **Camp Eagle** (P)
 - @campeagle1

Y - Youth P - Parents

MATH CAMP



Groovy Graphs



Compass



Library



Escape Room



Math Olympics



Bible Village



The GRID



Research Lab



Casino



Woodshed

Sewing Room



Camper Project

LCMS YOUTH GATHERING

