

TRINITY YOUTH GROUP NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 2025



FALL RETREAT 2025

October 31 to November 2 was the youth group annual fall retreat. The questions posed to our students were: Why are you here? Who are you? Whose are you? Who is God. The students were given fresh perspectives on looking at what it means to be justified and sanctified. The underlying text was from Isaiah 6 and seeing God as holy, holy, holy. This is the only attribute that several times in scripture is repeated 3 times. It was great to see how the students were encouraged and challenged in their faith. Thanks for your prayers for our students. Read some of their testimonies below and on the next page.

From Saturdays devotion I was challenged from Proverbs in what it means to keep my gaze on God's path and the way he is leading me through his word and prayer and of what the world tells me I should believe or do.

I just felt reassured in what I knew. This retreat really forced me back to where I needed to be in my faith so that was very helpful.

I want to live for God. I don't have to be perfect.

How important Christian fellowship is and how I need to prioritize my faith as much/more than I do other things.

I learned to prioritize sharing my faith and understand who and whose I am. I decided to focus on my relationship with God.



NOVEMBER CALENDAR

YOUTH GROUP

- Sundays - 6pm to 7:30; Snacks and fellowship 7:30 to 8
- 9th - Capital Area Pregnancy
- 16th - Choose Your Activity Night
- 23rd - Thanksgiving Theme Night
- 30th - Praise and Worship Night after worship with adults upstairs.

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER MEETING

November 25th - 7:00-8:00

Questions: E-mail Mike at mwolcott@trinityhbg.com or text at 717-379-7490



FALL RETREAT TESTIMONIES CONTINUED:

God challenged me to remember that my purpose in this life is to worship Him because, before all else, He is holy. This shows me how I really need to be more dedicated to reading my Bible and praying.

I feel like I learned a lot throughout the weekend and something that had stuck with me was the lesson on "whose are you". Personally for me God has been challenging me to see if I choose time with him or with friends.

God challenged me to focus more on my identity in Him, not in myself.

God challenged me to care about Him above everything else.

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

1 - AARON HU

12 - ETHAN EBLING

24 - GRACE AKANDE

24 - CLAYTON YANG

29 - JUDAH KLEINSCHMIDT

30 - ELIZA REN PETERSONS



PLEASE PRAY FOR



1. SHORT AND LONG TERM FRUIT AS A RESULT OF OUR FALL RETREAT. THAT STUDENTS WILL REMEMBER THE LESSONS THEY HEARD, AND LIVE FOR CHRIST IN ALL AREAS OF THEIR LIVES.
2. STUDENTS WOULD COME HUNGRY TO CHURCH AND YOUTH GROUP TO LEARN AND GROW IN THEIR FAITH.
3. LEADERSHIP NEED - WOMAN TO LEAD FOR FELICITY WHILE SHE TAKES SOME TIME OFF TO BE A NEW MOTHER.
4. LEADERSHIP NEED - FOR A SUMMER MISSION TRIP THIS SUMMER TO ONE VOICE FELLOWSHIP IN VIRGINIA - NEED TO HAVE ADULTS IN PLACE TO HELP CHAPERONE BEFORE WE CAN ADVERTISE TO STUDENTS.
5. YOUTH STAFF - WE WOULD GROW IN KNOWLEDGE AND WISDOM AND TAKE INITIATIVE IN HELPING THE STUDENT TO LEARN AND GROW IN THEIR FAITH.

- "Thanksgiving ... that is all about overeating. One of the main dishes is actually called 'stuffing.' Stuffing? What names did they turn down? 'Cram-it-in?' 'Eat-till-you-can't-breathe?'" – Jim Gaffigan