

YOUTH LEADER SHEET

FALL 2006

Fall Youth Rally:

October 8, 3:30-6:00 pm, Clemmons Moravian Church

"Are YOUth Active?" The theme centers around encouraging an active Christian faith in daily life, with an increasing emphasis on mission. The stars will be youth! Therefore, leaders are asked to submit a cd of pictures taken recently of what the youth have been doing in the past year or so at church, mission trip, fun events, etc. Full information is on the flyer. Please come!

Fall Youth Leader Training:

Saturday, October 14, 10:00-2:00 pm, Hope Moravian Church, 2759 Hope Church Rd in Winston-Salem. "Tell Me a Story: the Role of Imagination in the Faith-Formation of Children and Youth." The leader will be Sarah Arthur, author of the new youth devotionals: "*Walking With Bilbo*," and "*Walking With Frodo*," (Tyndale House, © 2005). Arthur is a United Methodist youth leader, author, freelance writer and speaker, and an unabashed Tolkein junkie. Her website is: www.saraharthur.com. The workshop is free for Moravian leaders, but reservations must be made (for lunch purposes!) - call or email Brad Bennett (contact info is at the end of this sheet).

Interesting Resources:

Practicing Discernment With Youth: a transformative youth ministry approach. David F. White. © 2005 The Pilgrim Press. This book is an outstanding resource when one wants to sit back and evaluate an overall approach to youth ministry. It also offers practical suggestions, if one wants to strive for a "discerning" youth ministry approach. I would highly recommend this book but with only two reservations - 1) It does tend to read fairly academically; 2) It assumes a large youth potential in one's church. Even so, there is enough helpful reflections here that make it worthwhile.

52 Devotions to Feed Your Fire: Soul Tending for Youth Workers, Drew Dyson, Editor, ©2005 Abingdon Press. For YOU the YOUTH LEADER. great stuff.

Surveying the Land, Lynn Turnage. Roots of Youth Ministry series. ©1997 Bridge Resources. This book contains every practical (and theological) consideration there is in building a youth program. While it's 10 years old (just because a resource has some age on it doesn't necessarily mean it is no longer valid!), it still packs a punch and is most helpful. The detail is mind boggling.

Here is an interesting website - www.cgdf.org - it's the Christian Game Developers Foundation. "Empowering Families to Make Informed Interactive Entertainment Choices."

Regional Youth Council

We have 27 churches represented in the larger Winston-Salem area. Thank you for your interest and support.

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I am always available to you for consultation, program, singing, etc. Blessings to you and your ministry with youth this fall.

Peace,

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