

Sunday School – Volunteers to teach Sunday School for either Junior High (7th & 8th grade), Confirmation (9th grade), or Senior High (10th-12th grade). Volunteers will rotate teaching Sundays, but need to be available most Sundays during the Sunday School Calendar. While we are looking for volunteers that want to teach their children, we would be especially pleased to have volunteer teachers without relationship ties but simply a heart for the age-group.

EYC Sunday Nights – Volunteers to help with Sunday night programs. These programs address a mix of social issues facing our youth while encouraging involvement through fellowship events.

EYC Wednesday Nights – Wednesday nights are similar to Sunday nights, but we will have semester-long themes. Spring semester is a program called “So What?” answering the question, “What does that have to do with my life?” We are looking at current events (the Haiti tragedy, for example) and trying to develop appropriate Christian responses. This program will also be heavy in both service and fellowship.

Urban Ministries – Many are familiar with this program under the name Young People Painting Birmingham. Urban Ministries is a one-week work-trip the week of June 6th-11th. We need adult volunteers to head up work teams and stay with the group in the Rush Center downtown.

ASP – Appalachian Service Project is a high school mission trip to a location in the Appalachia Region of the U.S. that is yet to be determined. The dates for this trip are July 3rd-July 11th. This mission trip involves intense construction work, so expertise in this area will be useful although is in no way required. We will have spots for only 12 adults (6 male, 6 female). This trip hopes to be a springboard to an international trip next summer.

Curriculum Committee – There is a great deal of quality work being done with our Sunday School classes. I would like, however, to form a committee to meet this spring and answer the question, “What do our children need to know by the time they graduate?” The committee would keep what works well and reform what needs to be changed. It is my goal to have a standing and appropriately progressive curriculum for each of the three Sunday School groups. Experience in junior high and high school education would be an asset to this committee.

Special Events Committee – This committee will be a resource for special events that the Youth Program sponsors. It will brainstorm, plan, and implement ideas to make events like the Pancake Supper successful. Meetings will only be as needed.

Small Group Leaders – One addition to the Youth Program will be small group Bible studies. These groups will be 3-5 youth with an advising adult. Adults do not need to be at every Bible study, however, they do need to act as a guide and sounding board to the group. If groups do not want to study the Bible, they are welcome to read and reflect on appropriate books or supplements. Again, parents are welcome to work with their child’s group, but I believe that it would be more advantageous to have a neutral advisor. Young adults are encouraged.

Volunteer Information

Name(s)_____ Contact #_____

Address:_____ Email_____

Relationship to Youth (Circle One): Son Daughter “Just Wanna Help”
Name_____

Way(s) which you would like to be involved:_____

Your experience with youth:_____

Person you would recommend we contact:

Name(s)_____ Contact #_____

Address:_____ Email_____

Way(s) which you think they would like to be involved:_____

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