

FPC Youth Families
Calendar Winter/Spring 2024

- January 21 First Youth Gathering, 5:00-7:00pm.
- February 4 Youth Sunday School/Confirmation Class (2nd Hour)
- February 18 Intergenerational Lent Workshop, 2nd Hour; Youth Gathering, 5:00-7:00pm
- February 25 Youth Sunday School/Confirmation Class (2nd Hour); **Deadline** for **Montreat Middle School Conference deposit (\$50 per youth), current 5th grade through 8th grade students are eligible. The Conference is July 17-21 at Maryville College, TN – we would leave early on the 17th and return early evening on the 21st.
- March 3 Youth Sunday School/Confirmation
- March 10 Community Dinner Prep during 2nd Hour
- March 17 Youth Gathering, 5:00-7:00pm
- March 23 Easter Eggstravaganza (?)
- March 24 Youth Sunday School/Confirmation during 2nd Hour
- April 14 Community Dinner Prep during 2nd Hour
- April 28 Youth Sunday School/Confirmation (see Fundraiser below)
- May 12 Community Dinner Prep during 2nd Hour
- May 19 Pentecost; Youth Gathering 5:00-7:00pm
- June 3-6 Confirmation Camp, 12Noon-3pm Monday to Thursday****

Summer dates:

Kirkmont: PYC Camp June 16-22 (finished 7th-12th) \$525; PYC Jr (finished 3rd-6th) \$525;

Camp Rejoice, July 7-13 (completed 1st-6th) \$525;

Beginners Camp June 9-12 (completed K-3rd) \$355;

You & Me July 13-14 (ages 3-17 with adult) \$90.

**Montreat Middle School Conference – July 17-21, Maryville College, TN; Youth who have completed 5th-8th grades; \$435.

Fundraiser: to help offset cost of summer activities (*note that those who want \$ help will need to work the fundraiser-this will include current 5th graders who want to attend the Montreat Conference*) we are planning a spring fundraiser. A final date isn't set, but likely either April 21 or 28. Taco Bar. We'll ask for donations of items for folks to build their own tacos. The youth (with some parents) set up, serve (it will be buffet style so serving is making sure items are replenished as needed), and cleaning up. Attendees will be asked to donate what they would spend on a meal out for their particular family and the funds divided among youth (who are working the event) for Montreat or summer camp. We do have other scholarship funds to help as needed.

****Confirmation Camp – following animated and productive discussion at our Sunday meeting it was decided to be different and plan Confirmation following the end of the school year. The group will meet each day from

noon – 3, we will begin with lunch, have study/faith formation time, fellowship, mission projects and more.
Attendance at all four days is very very important! We will have a public celebration in worship in September and possibly some summer mission projects as well (to be determined by the group). More information to come, but please block that time on your calendar for your 7th-9th grade student!