

Oak Forest Youth Group

Week of April 4th thru April 10th

Youth Group Midweek Devotion

[Click Here](#) for the discussion worksheet for the Mid-Week Youth Group Devotion for Middle/High School students from “*Talksheets of the New Testament*”. This week’s devotion is called “**The People Take Sides**” about whose side YOU are on.

- Each student can do the worksheet on their own and then you can discuss afterwards with the attached “Leader’s Guide”.
 - Worksheets are very user friendly and are flexible and will easily adapt easily to being used by individuals at home.
 - Each Leader’s Guide includes step by step instructions, more information about the topic and questions to ask to help promote discussion. Also, each “Leader’s Guide” document includes additional activities & ideas to engage your child more in the topic.
 - You will need a Bible to look up verses for each lesson, if you need a Bible let me know or you can use <https://www.biblegateway.com/> or a Bible app on your devices.
- This week’s lesson can be found in: [Luke 7:37-52](#)
 - With the devotion, watch the video & listen to the song “**I Choose to Worship**” by Rend Collective <https://youtu.be/IdtLxbtIicA>

Youth Group Lesson

This week we continue our series called “**Who am I?**”. This week our video lesson talks about the meaning of being a disciple of Jesus. Also, what it means to deny ourselves and choose to follow Him as a daily action. We learn that there’s a difference between knowing about Jesus and actually knowing Him. This week’s lesson is called “**Identity in Christ**” by Qualan Johnson of Switch Youth.

- **Watch the lesson video:** <https://youtu.be/6BVwoAJMGJo>
- Scripture = [Luke 9:18-25](#)
- With the lesson, listen to “**This I believe (The Creed)**” by Hillsong Worship <https://youtu.be/uuDI-sk2nJU>
 - ***Sundays at 4:00pm**, we will have a weekly YOUTH GROUP video meeting/chat on ZOOM. On 4/10, we will chat and recap & discuss our lessons & week. Hope all Middle School & High School Youth can join the **ZOOM** meeting at <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/949184311> PASSWORD is **7Nypf4** . You can find the app or on your PC/laptop at <https://us04web.zoom.us/>

Please follow along with us online on our social media pages:

<https://www.instagram.com/oakforestyouth/>

<https://www.facebook.com/OakForestYouth/>

Sign up for our Youth text group by Text the message @db9fec to the number 81010

UPCOMING Events:

Wednesday April 13th: *If anyone would like to hide eggs for the Easter Egg Hunt, please me know.*

Wednesday April 27th at 6:15pm: *Middle School & High School Youth Outing to Arcadia Family Restaurant. Meet at the church at 6:15pm; travel by church van. No money needed. Estimated return time to the church is 7:45pm. Please let us know prior to outing if your Middle School/High School student will be attending.*



EASTER EVENTS

Wishing you and your family all the joy and wonder this special holiday brings



April 10 - Palm Sunday. Worship, 9am and 10:30am

April 13 - Easter Egg Hunt, 6-7pm

April 14 - Maundy Thursday , 6:30pm, Sanctuary

April 15 - Midway Cross Walk, 10am, Oak Forest to Midway

April 17 - Easter Sunday. Sunrise , 6:15am; 9am, 10:30am

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