



# **1 Youth Ministry** Grades 7-12

## August 28, 2021 Unconditional Love



September 4th Back to school pool party! Get directions in Youth Room



Friday Sep 3rd 6:30pm



Wednesdays 7:00 PM

The Chosen Official Trailer

Questions answered about The Chosen by the director

# View the entire first two seasons here

#### **Midweek Youth**

Join us every Wed. from 7-8pm for fellowship and prayer along with lessons applying Biblical principles to your life today and get answers to all your questions.

#### Foster Care Teens Personal Care Items

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We are still collecting "Personal Care Items" for teens in foster care throughout the year. Items for



### Wednesday Nights at 7:00pm

Join us every Wednesday night from 7:00pm to 8:00pm for an exciting new series about seeing the "Thread" of the Gospel through the entire Bible.

Together, we will see that Jesus was God's word made in the flesh, as both messenger and the message of God's salvation for all and He can be seen throughout the Bible from Genesis to Revelation and everywhere in between.

### Sundays at 9:30am



both male and female teens are being collected in the bin just outside our youth room. These items will be sorted into personal bags and given to DCS to be distributed to teens who may not even have their own tooth brush or comb.

Bible verse of the week

#### Ezekiel 36:26

<sup>26</sup> I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you; I will remove from you your heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh.



#### **Unconditional Love**

This past Sunday, we reviewed a little from last week about our identity and why it's so important to understand who we are in God's eyes. We looked again at just some of the ways that God sees us and were reminded that is how God sees everyone else as well.

We focused on His **"Unconditional Love"** for us and what that means. We said that God loves all of us, He loved us before we were even born into this world.

We said that we didn't do anything to "deserve" God's love and there is absolutely nothing we can do to lose it because it doesn't depend on anything that we do or don't do but on who God is.

We then talked about what if we do something that, in our opinion, would make us "unlovable" or undeserving of any love, especially God's love. We said that it does not matter because there are no conditions on God's love.

We said that He sometimes may not be very pleased with the direction we choose to go but He will never stop loving us, He will never leave us, and He will never give up on us.

We then watched a powerful testimony showing God's unconditional love in action. God can and will still love us and still use us even when we choose to go against Him.

#### Why I Am A Christian

After the video, we said that God not only did not give up on David, He continued to love him even though David was by all standards quite evil and was an atheist who did not even believe in God at all.

God even continued to love and was able to use David's cellmate, Randy, who was a Christian who apparently made some very poor life choices.

God was able to use Randy to plant the seeds in David's

hardened heart that eventually grew to lead David to now be the head of the 'Acts 17 Apologetics Ministry' where he now teaches and defends the very thing that he once despised.

We said that no matter what you have done or how far you think you are from God, He is always right there with you, guiding you, and waiting for you to come to Him. He loves you and has a purpose for you but it's up to you to accept Him, to receive His unconditional love, and to follow Him and His plan for you.

## **Upcoming Events**

### First Friday Youth Movie Night

#### Join us at LWA on <u>Friday, Sept 3rd</u>, at 6:30pm for Youth Movie Night!



The movie will be the 2014 movie, "**Mom's Night Out**". All youth, grades 7-12, their friends and families are invited. **Rated PG** 

"Friends, Sondra, and Izzy desperately need a short break from parenting duties and want to have a girls night together. However, in order for them to enjoy dressing up, adult conversation and dining on food served on real plates instead of in paper bags, they have to rely on their husbands to watch the children for just three hours. Naturally, everything that can go wrong, does, resulting in an unforgettable night for all involved.

### See Trailer Here



### Back To School Pool Party! Saturday, Sept 4th

<u>Come to the Youth Room to</u> <u>get directions</u> to our **1 Youth Back To School Pool Party!** For all Youth in grades 7-12 & their friends!

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