

# Oak Forest Youth Group

Week of May 9<sup>th</sup> thru May 15<sup>th</sup>

## 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 Story of The Rich Fool**” *about how the good life isn’t about stuff.*

- 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 12:13-21](#)
  - With the devotion, watch the video & listen to the song “**No Matter What**” by Ryan Stevenson [https://youtu.be/It\\_xQ4NYtDQ](https://youtu.be/It_xQ4NYtDQ)

## Youth Group Lesson

This week we continue our new series called “**What Difference Do I Make?**”, about discovering what we were created for & what is our purpose. Our lesson this week is about serving and what that means for us as disciples of Jesus. To make a difference, we don't have to be a celebrity or influencer—we are called to serve others with what we have. Even Jesus humbled Himself to serve those around Him. This week’s lesson is called “**Called to Serve?**” by James Meehan of Switch Youth.

- **Watch the lesson video:** <https://youtu.be/gUoPYLEade4>
- Scripture = [Mark 10:35-45](#) & [Philippians 2:3-11](#)
- With the lesson, listen to “**Yes I Will**” by Vertical Worship <https://youtu.be/NrTv39-1G4M>
  - \*Sundays at 4:00pm, we will have a weekly YOUTH GROUP video meeting/chat on ZOOM. On 5/15, 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:**

- Fishing Derby/ Family Park Day on **Sunday May 15<sup>th</sup>**. Check the church's website/social media for more info.
- **Wednesday May 25<sup>th</sup>** at 6:15pm: Middle School & High School Youth Outing for a meal at **Mi Casa & ice cream at Salem Creamery**.
- If you are interested in a Bible Study for Middle/High School girls in June & July contact Stacey Roop at [Stacey.roop@ofumc.org](mailto:Stacey.roop@ofumc.org)
- If you are interested in a Bible Study for Middle/High School boys during the summer, contact Ben Roop at [ben.roop@ofumc.org](mailto:ben.roop@ofumc.org)
- Oak Forest UMC will be recognizing & honoring our High School and College graduates at an upcoming Graduation Sunday service. If you have a student that will be graduating High School or has graduated College this year, please contact Ben at [ben.roop@ofumc.org](mailto:ben.roop@ofumc.org) , so we can recognize them at Graduation Sunday. *If you would like your graduate recognized, we will need: **Name; School; Degree** (when applicable); **Cap & Gown Picture** ASAP.*
- SAVE THE DATE: Family Movie Night on **June 10<sup>th</sup>** at 6:30pm in the FLC