

# Week of October 26<sup>th</sup> – November 1<sup>st</sup>

\*\*\*On **Wednesday October 28<sup>th</sup>**, we will be doing an in-person YOUTH GROUP community service outreach here at the church. We will meet **6:15-7:30pm** at the youth building behind the church at the outdoor picnic tables (*weather permitting*). We will do our mid-week devotion worksheet together, have pizza from Pizza Hut and put together Goodie Bags for the church's Drive Thru Halloween Goodie Bag handout on 10/31. \*\*\*

## Youth Group Mid-Week Devotion

[Click Here](#) for the discussion worksheet for the Mid-Week Youth Group Devotion for Middle/High School Life Group from "Talksheets: Epic Old Testament Stories". This week's lesson is called "**Getting into the Boat**" *about finding out what ministry God has for you.*

- 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: [Genesis 7:1-24](#)
- KEY VERSE = [1 Corinthians 12:5-7](#) (CEV) "There are different ways to serve the same Lord, and we can each do different things. Yet the same God works in all of us and helps us in everything we do. The Spirit has given each of us a special way of serving others."
- With the devotion, listen to "**Have My Heart**" by Maverick City Music <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U3Skc4MqlqU&list=PLfyEM6hiFK1dqj2Zw4qHYuPpzTFSreInv>

\***Also [attached](#) is the Mid-Week Devotion Schedule for September thru December 2020.**

## Youth Group Lesson

This week, our lesson will come from the series called "**Reckless Love**". This fun and inspiring 4-episode video series explores a different extreme activity and asks the big questions while encouraging you to recklessly live out your faith. This week we will be watching a second lesson in the series, **Episode 2 Four Wheeling** about how Jesus's teachings were revolutionary for his time, and how we now need to live out his words today by standing up for people who are oppressed and marginalized in our society. *Link for video lesson below:*

- **Watch the Video:** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UZQ2XQg49KE>
- **KEY VERSES:** Matthew 25:40 (ESV) "And the King will answer them, 'Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brothers, you did it to me.'"
- With the lesson, listen to "**Reckless Love**" by Cory a Asbury <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Sc6SSHuZvQE>

\***Also [attached](#) the Weekly Lesson Schedule for September thru December 2020.**

\***Sundays at 4:00pm**, we will have a weekly YOUTH GROUP video meeting/chat on **ZOOM** (*until we resume weekly in-person meetings*). On 11/1, we will chat and recap & discuss our mid-week devotion & lesson from the "Reckless Love" series. 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 fill out the **YOUTH Parent Survey** [HERE](#), if you haven't yet. This survey will help us in making plans for **YOUTH GROUP** moving forward, as we work towards in-person meetings. It'll provide us with insight into how we can best serve you guys in a safe way while still meeting the needs of our families. Thank you for taking the time to complete this.*



*If any Youth would like to help pass out goodie bags, let us know.*

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