



# Kirk Youth Links

The following links will be your life line this year!  
Please hold onto this page for easy reference.

Have questions? Call or email Pastor Jordan!

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## General Youth Info

Recent newsletters, calendars, contact info

<http://wordpress.kirkofkildaire.org/youth/>

## Online Payments

For youth group meals, t-shirts, fellowship events, and all retreats/ trips

<https://tinyurl.com/KirkYouthReg>

## Youth Group RSVP

Let us know if we need to count on you for dinner!

Please be sure to "sign up" in the appropriate group (middle school, high school, or adult).

**\*\*Save this page as a bookmark and set a reminder on your phone to RSVP each week!\*\***

<https://tinyurl.com/YouthGroupRSVP>

## Presbytery Retreat and Summer Trip Registration

Access to online registration forms, costs, and general trip information

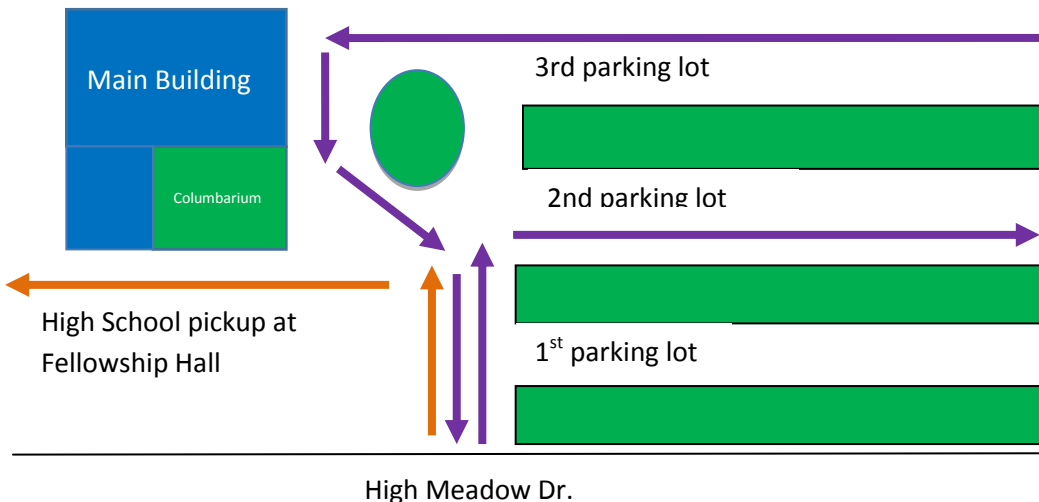
<http://wordpress.kirkofkildaire.org/trips/>

## Chat with Jordan

Jordan is ALWAYS available for you, but this is just an easy way to get up with her! Come enjoy a donut and talk about whatever is on your mind.

<https://tinyurl.com/ChatWithJordan>

## Youth Group Pick-Up Procedure



- Pick up begins at 7:30 PM.
- Middle School is picked up by the Sanctuary (purple arrows); High School is picked up/ leaves by the Fellowship Hall (orange arrows)
- Leave space for traffic to flow to the upper lot before entering the loop.
- If you are one of the first cars in the line, pull all the way up to the front end of the line.
- Youth are expected to wait with advisors until their ride arrives.

Thank you for following pickup procedures keeping youth safe and traffic flowing!

# Don't forget to fill out your info form!

These forms provide us with key information for each youth member for day-to-day function as well as in case of an emergency. You man NOT leave the Kirk campus for ANY youth activities if we do not have this form! Fill it out online ASAP.

All forms filled out by the official start of youth group (September 16) will be entered into a drawing!

[www.tinyurl.com/KirkYouthInfo](http://www.tinyurl.com/KirkYouthInfo)

## Youth Trips

<http://wordpress.kirkofkildaire.org/trips/>

The Kirk youth have many retreat and conference opportunities each year! It is our goal to make sure that these opportunities are available to everyone so registration for every trip is supplemented to some degree. In each description, you will see the estimated cost for the Kirk (registration, transportation, and food are included) as well as the cost to you. *You are required to pay ONLY the cost to you, however if you would like to make a donation beyond the base cost, you may do so.*

Scholarships ARE available for those who may not otherwise be able to pay the registration fee. Those requesting a scholarship amounting to \$150 or less are asked to complete THREE (3) service hours at the Kirk. Those requesting a scholarship amounting to more than \$150 are asked to complete SIX (6) service hours at the Kirk. These hours can be completed in the nursery on Sunday morning, leading worship on Sunday, tutoring with Koala, assisting with Family Promise, packing with Rise Against Hunger, or through other service opportunities at the Kirk. You may contact Pastor Jordan for more information about this. A scholarship application is available online – <https://tinyurl.com/KirkScholarships>

**Would you like to chaperone one of our trips?** Sign up today! Chaperone spots do go quickly. Your registration cost is completely covered as a thank you for leading our groups and making sure our youth are safe! <https://tinyurl.com/KirkChaperones>

## Presbytery Retreats

Middle School: October 5-7, 2018

<https://tinyurl.com/KirkMSretreat>

**Deadline: September 16**

High School: March 15-17, 2019

<https://tinyurl.com/KirkHSretreat>

**Deadline: February 17**

Each year, New Hope Presbytery Youth Council plans and hosts a retreat for both middle and high school. Middle Schoolers travel to Camp Don Lee in the Fall and the High Schoolers will travel to Camp Willow Run in the Spring. This is a weekend planned by and led by high schoolers from throughout our Presbytery!

Total estimated cost paid by the Kirk: \$150

**Total cost for youth: \$100**

## Winter Retreat

February 1-3, 2019

Total spots available: 30

<https://tinyurl.com/KirkWinter>

Deadline: January 13

This year, the Youth Council has decided to go to Camp Albemarle (Newport, NC... by the beach!) for our winter retreat! Registration is available NOW and limited to 30 spots. Sign up today so that you do not miss out!

Total estimated cost paid by the Kirk: \$100

**Total cost for youth: \$75**

## Appalachian Service Project

June 16-22, 2019

Total spots available: 25

<https://tinyurl.com/KirkASP>

Registration Deadline: February 1

Final Payment: May 1

Appalachia Service Project (ASP) provides opportunities for individuals who have **completed the 9<sup>th</sup> grade** to not only learn, but to utilize a number of home repair and building skills to ensure that families are “warmer, safer, and drier”. Families apply for assistance through ASP and those who are selected will work with teams throughout the season to repair their homes. Individuals can expect to lay flooring, install roofing, repair walls and plumbing, and any other number of things. You will sleep in a gym setting, so don't expect luxurious accommodations! This trip is a long standing tradition at the Kirk and is open to ALL individuals who have completed the 9<sup>th</sup> grade. You may sign up online as a member of a youth team, college and young adult team, or as an adult leader.

Total estimated cost paid by the Kirk: \$375

**Total cost for youth: \$300**

## Montreat High School Conference

July 7-13, 2019

Total spots available: 20

<https://tinyurl.com/KirkMontreat>

Registration Deadline: February 1

Final Payment: May 1

The Montreat High School Conference is one of the most popular summer worship opportunities for Presbyterian youth through the country! Thousands will descend upon the small mountain town of Montreat, NC for this 6 day experience where they will enjoy fellowship, worship God, and discuss the many ways they see God acting in their lives. Our youth will form lasting relationships with youth from all over the country as they dig deep in this “thin place”.

Total estimated cost paid by the Kirk: \$800

**Total cost for youth: \$300**

## Massanetta Middle School Conference

June 27-30, 2019

Total spots available: 20

<https://tinyurl.com/KirkMassanetta>

Registration Deadline: February 1

Final Payment: May 1

The Massanetta Middle School conference is the first worship conference experience for many Presbyterian youth. Our youth will gather with Presbyterians from all over the east coast as they learn ways to recognize God's presence in their lives and worship with one another. Fellowship opportunities throughout the week will give our youth a chance to bond with their back-home group as well as other Presbyterian middle schoolers from all over!

Total estimated cost paid by the Kirk: \$400

**Total cost for youth: \$250**

## CROSS Missions

July 14-19, 2019

Total spots available: 20

<https://tinyurl.com/KirkCROSS>

Registration Deadline: February 1

Final Payment: May 1

See lives changed in this week-long experience! We will arrive on Sunday night for orientation, serve Monday through Thursday (two ministry opportunities per day) and depart after breakfast on Friday morning. Weekly activities include devotions, worship, reflection, and dinner with a Myers Park Presbyterian Church family. Youth experience up to eight different urban ministries. Ministry sites include serving people who are hungry, homeless, elderly, and disabled as well as children. There are opportunities for both direct service and building relationships.

Total estimated cost paid by the Kirk: \$350

**Total cost for youth: \$200**