

## CAC Youth Group Indoor Plan

We have been blessed up until now to be able to continue youth group via Zoom and outdoors. As the weather changes, we may need to be indoors so here is the plan for doing so.

1. As much as possible, we will still seek to do activities and service projects outdoors. If the temperature permits, we will have Bible study around the fire pit.
  
2. When we need to be indoors, we will follow these guidelines:
  - Students will seek to maintain distance from those not in their family.
  - The church common areas will be sanitized prior to our meeting.
  - Doors and windows will be open to provide for good ventilation.
  - We will serve food and drinks in individual servings.
  - We will have large group activities with seating at a distance either in the sanctuary or large room downstairs.
  - Students may break into small groups, but will always be with the same small group and will sit at a distance from one another.
  - We will follow state health guidelines to the best of our ability. While we will work hard to maintain social distancing and clean surfaces, we cannot promise a germ-free environment.
  - If anyone who has attended youth group tests positive for covid, we will notify parents.
  - Masks are recommended for times when individuals are closer than 6 feet. It is the student's responsibility to bring a mask although extras will be available at the church. If he or she has issues that prevent mask use, the parent should send a note indicating such. Parents should wear masks when interacting with leaders or students.

- We will limit entry to the facility to just students and leaders. We ask that no parents enter the facility so we can limit social contact.
3. Sickness policy: If you missed school because of sickness, do not attend youth group. If a leader or student is experiencing any of these symptoms, please stay home: fever within the previous 24 hours, cough, diarrhea, vomiting or if anyone in the household is ill. If your child shows symptoms of illness, we will contact you to take him/her home.
4. Safety concerns:
- You can be assured that we have leaders who have passed criminal background checks and all rooms are video recorded.
  - As usual, parents will complete a registration form listing contact information and emergency numbers.
  - Students must have a field trip permission form on file to participate in off-site events. No exceptions will be allowed.
5. Contact information:
- You may contact John or Mary about anything, any time. We value your input.
  - We will maintain a text group for parents and one for teens. We will cc announcements we send to students to parents.
  - We will put together a monthly calendar of events. Just know that given the changing realities in our society, all events are considered: “if the Lord is willing...”