

Important Dates

Zion High School Youth

Some Scheduled Events (Other events will be added throughout the year)

Culver's Fundraiser High School - Sept 24 (Monday)

Time slots will be 5-6pm, 6-7pm, and 7-8pm.

You must arrive 10-15 minutes before your shift to get washed in, get trained, and get an apron & hat. Wear long pants, closed toe shoes, pony tails. No watches or bracelets.

No using cell phones while working.

Oct 14 Fall Fundraiser Ends

High School Fall Retreat (Oct 26-28)

A chance to get away to be with God and each other. Zion High School Youth will be the only group there. This is a very low key, minimal programming, hang out weekend.

Total Cost: **\$20 Early Bird due Oct 7** (Bring a snack to the retreat to share)

\$25 after Oct 7

Location: Kyle Vande Pol's family's cottage on Lake Michigan in Holland.

No high school youth group Oct 28 after the retreat

November 4 (No Youth Group-Leader Meeting)

November 25 (No Youth Group-Thanksgiving weekend)

December 23 (No Youth Group - Holiday Break)

December 30 (No Youth Group - Holiday Break)

January 6 (No Youth Group - Holiday Break)

Feb 3 - Youth Worship Service @ 9:30am (No Youth Group that night)

High School Cran-Hill Retreat (February 15-17)

Cran-Hill Ranch Winter Youth Retreats Provide a wide variety of winter activities for your group. have a great time building memories on our 3 sledding hills, archery tag, snowshoeing, x-country skiing, climbing the ice wall, or getting competitive in a broomball tournament! We also offer horseback trail rides at an additional cost.

The fun doesn't stop when it is time for chapel though. We will play some fun games, followed by a time of engaging worship and teaching for your students to draw closer to God.

Total Early Bird Cost: (\$80) (or \$90 after early bird) See payment Sheet

No high school youth group Feb 17 after the retreat

March 3 - No Youth Group (Leader Meeting)

March 31 - No Youth Group (Spring Break)

April 7 - No Youth Group (Spring Break)

April 21 - No Youth Group (Easter)

April 28 - No Youth Group (Leader Meeting)

May 19 Graduate Sunday (Graduate Party after morning worship)

High School Mission Trip (July 22-28, 2019) Lincoln, Nebraska

We will be leaving Monday morning and getting back very late Sunday. Don't make any extra plans for either of those days.

*Total Early Bird Cost \$425 (\$ after early bird) (see payment sheet)

Working with F Street Church in downtown Lincoln. F Street is a Christian Reformed Church, partnering with the Reformed Church.

Potential ways we will be serving:

- Taking children from the Homeless Shelter on field trips
- Sorting and distributing clothes at the Homeless Prevention Center
- Serving multiple families in need (sick, elderly, disabled) with yard work, cleaning, gutters, etc.
- Cooking a meal and helping with the grounds work and various construction projects at the Charity Autos program at the Northern Lighthouse
- Leading games and activities at the F Street Community Center
- Eating dinner and volunteering at a local Christian Community House
- Leading the Neighborhood Bible Club at F Street Neighborhood Church
- Distributing food and caring for children at Foodnet
- Working on a farm and hearing the testimony of a woman who has struggled with substance abuse throughout her life
- Helping with various projects at F Street Church.
- Serving at a local soup kitchen.
- Handing out Blessing Bags to homeless people living in the downtown Lincoln area
- Leading a "spa day" for elderly residents at a nursing home—painting their fingernails, doing their makeup and hair, serving them chocolate, and visiting with them.

*Every high school student is required to come to the mission emphasis Sunday/ Shareholder dinner (**August 4**). Each student needs to bring a 9X13 salad & dessert. **If there is no possible way the student can make it that day, they will need to pay \$100 extra for the mission trip. Please let me know in May if you can't make it so that we don't assign you a shareholder. It feels like a bait and switch when students aren't there for the dinner.**

Youth Mission Trip Worship Service (August 4)

Shareholder Dinner (August 4)