

FAMILY MINISTRY

Here is what is happening this Fall at the Park!



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD IS HERE!

Our children and youth mission groups are working together on this year's Operation Christmas Child, a ministry effort to share the joy of Christmas with children around the world. Our children and youth will be making gift boxes on Wednesday, November 16. We need donated items to go in the boxes.

These donations (suggested list below direct from a missionary) will be collected during the weeks leading up to November 16. Donation boxes are in the hallway outside Smith Hall.

- For any age boy here, what they really want is a soccer ball. So get the best quality mini soccer ball that you can fit into the box when it is inflated (or send a deflated ball with a pump) and you can basically forget about anything else! :)
- Brand new nice short-sleeved shirts (with no writing on them) for boys and girls. Kids have few clothes and often wear old, ripped, hand-me-downs.
- Small flashlight with batteries (Most families don't have electricity so a working flashlight is gold!)
- Good quality melamine plate, bowl, and/or cup.

**PRAY FOR THE CHILDREN WHO WILL RECEIVE THESE BOXES
AND HELP US MAKE A DIFFERENCE!**



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

@CREATIONKIDS

Here are just some of the special events happening in our children's ministry!

P.I.T. STOPS CONTINUE

An important part of our family ministry is our Parents-In-Touch (PIT) discussion group. We offer these "PIT Stops" periodically on Wednesday nights at 6:45 PM during the school year. This conversation group is for parents, grandparents, and any adults interested in helping students and families become devoted followers of Christ.

We will be continuing our discussion on the book "The Reason for God" by Tim Keller. This video driven conversation will help lead us through important questions of our faith like the reliability of scripture, the nature of God, and more. Please join us every week.

**Wednesdays,
6:45 PM**

OCC BOXING PARTY

**November 16
6:30-7:30 PM**

Help our youth and our children make a difference this Christmas!



CHILDREN'S SUNDAY

**December 18
during 11 AM service**

Our children lead us in worship during Advent!



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CONTINUED...

- Soap AND a plastic soap dish that has a cover.
- Toothbrush in a toothbrush holder.
- Pencils, erasers, colored pencils, and sharpeners for all school-aged kids. And good quality pens for kids aged 10-14, in black, red, green, and blue.
- Jump ropes
- Marbles
- Harmonica
- Band-Aids
- Hard candy and gum
- Comb
- Hair elastics or headbands for girls
- A simple watch for older kids
- A solar calculator for older kids
- Sunglasses for older kids
- Socks
- For the youngest girls, a baby doll with light brown skin and no hair
- Toy car, truck or airplane for the youngest boys (The ones with bigger wheels that are made for toddlers and are larger than Matchbox size are good. Matchbox wheels are so small, they don't work well in dirt.)
- Donations will be collected through November 16.

YOUTH MINISTRY

@YOUTHATTHEPARK



BUS STATION MINISTRY NOVEMBER 9

The Thread

SUNDAY MORNINGS

Our walk continues through the New Testament. Here is what we will be discussing on Sunday mornings this month:

- The Raising of Lazarus
- The Last Supper
- Jesus' Arrest and Trial



YOUTH HEADED TO OCC PROCESSING CENTER IN CHARLOTTE

NOVEMBER 23 ~ 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Our youth and adults will be serving at the Operation Christmas Child Processing Center on November 23 to help prepare gift boxes received from churches around the state and get them ready to be sent to kids around the world. The space on the team is limited. Let Jeff know if you want to go with us.

THE FALL RETREAT IS COMING NOVEMBER 18-20 @ RIDGECREST

Every fall our youth travel to Ridgecrest with other churches from the Winston-Salem area for a weekend event. This year's retreat, "Stretch," is going to be another great weekend as we learn about the power of spiritual disciplines.

All forms and paperwork are now due. If you haven't signed up and are still interested in going, please contact Jeff to see if any spots remain.



IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER	NOVEMBER 16	DECEMBER 17	JANUARY 14-16	JULY 17-21
	Operation Christmas Child Boxing Party	Youth Progressive Christmas Party	Junior/Senior Leadership Retreat Gatlinburg	Youth Camp Garden City Chapel

WEEKLY EXERCISE CLASSES

Senior Tone and Stretch

Monday mornings
9:15-10:00 AM
\$2 per session

Senior Aerobics Class

Tuesday mornings
9:15-10:00 AM
\$2 per session

Senior Aerobics Class

Thursday mornings
9:15-10:00 AM
\$2 per session

Regular Tone and Stretch

Thursday evenings
6:30-7:30 PM
\$3 per session

You can register/pay when
you come or email Jeff at
recreation@collegepark.ws

RECREATION MINISTRY

CHILDREN & YOUTH BASKETBALL TEAMS SET TO TIP-OFF!

It is time to get this year's Hoops4Him Basketball league started! Here is the practice schedule for the teams we will have this year:

Team	Grades	Practice Schedule
Junior Coed	4th-6th grade	Tue., 6:00-7:30 PM
High School Boys	10th-12th grade	Tue., 7:30-9:00 PM
Girls	7th-12th grade	Thu., 6:00-7:30 PM
Intermediate Boys	7th-9th grade	Mon., 5:30-7:00 PM

HERE ARE THE DETAILS FOR THIS SEASON

When do practices and games begin?

Practices are taking place now, games start the second week of November.

Where do we practice?

College Park's gym



Why are we doing this?

To create closer friendships, play a little ball, and have some fun!

What is Hoops4Him?

It is a city-wide basketball league made up of teams from churches around the Winston-Salem area.

STAY IN TOUCH WITH US!

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@youthatthepark - Youth account
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Text Message

For text message updates sent to your mobile phone, send a text message to "40404" and type one of the following

- "Follow @creationkids" or
- "Follow @youthatthepark" or
- "Follow @collegeparkws"

**Note that no Twitter account is needed*