



Hixson UMC Student Ministry

# UPDATE

## Students Giving Back

Our students have been working so hard this week! Many of the youth have been here all week helping make VBS a fantastic experience for all the children coming into the church. This is one of the best ways our teens and pre-teens can serve the church, as VBS wouldn't be doable without them. Watching them be put in leadership positions for possibly their first time makes me proud of each and everyone one of them, as well as of those raising them. Y'all are all doing a great job!

Those student leaders who hung out with us Tuesday and will be with us again Thursday have had another opportunity to serve others! Some of the girls are working hard to put together 70 snack packs for the Forrest Spence Fund during the students' hard-earned free time between VBS sessions. These packs will help meet a simple basic need and will go to families with a child at Children's Hospital who find themselves in need of a snack while at a long appointment or unexpectedly in the ER. Thanks to our students for working on these this week, and to Stacey Miles for putting us in contact with the FSF!

## Summer Events Registrations

You are running out of time to sign up for our summer events! Click on the event below to be taken directly to the registration page. Scholarships are available; email Jackie if interested.

**High School Beach Trip** - July 26-29 - High schoolers (completed 9th grade or higher) are traveling to Destin, FL for a few days at the beach this summer! *Cost: \$250, Deadline to register: 6/19/22*

Join the student ministry Remind group here!

### THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

- SUNDAY
  - Sunday School starts in the Youth Building at 9:45am.
  - Main Event: Kingdoms continue this week! 5pm at the youth building!

### UPCOMING

- MONDAY, JUNE 13th - THURSDAY, JUNE 16th - VBS
  - June 16th - Students that volunteer with VBS are invited to watch *The Bad Guys (PG)* in a private viewing at the movie theater between

morning and evening VBS sessions (3pm - 5pm). Tickets are paid for, but if students want snacks, they should bring spending money.

- **WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22nd - Worship Wednesday**
  - Join us for a night of worship! We will be meeting in the church chapel, 7pm-8pm, to worship through music. A treat to follow!
- **MONDAY, JUNE 27th - FRIDAY, JULY 1st - Holston Conference Assembly**
  - All students having graduated 6th-12th grades are invited to join us at Assembly! Registration (link above) is individual, but let Jackie know if you sign up so we can plan for transportation.



## Ways Adults Can Serve

If you are looking for a way to use your gifts to support Hixson Student Ministry, below are some ways you can get involved! Contact Jackie if you have questions.

- **Middle School Sunday School Leaders**
  - We are looking for a pair of co-leaders to teach our Middle School Sunday School Class beginning on June 1st. This is a high-energy group that regularly has 10+ students, and will have more once Confirmands join in a few weeks. If you are interested, or know someone who would be a good fit, or have any questions, please contact Jackie.
- **Sunday Night Main Event Leaders**
  - We are looking to add a couple leaders to our Main Event program. If you are looking for a weekly commitment, this is a great option!
- **Quarterly Study Leaders**
  - Each school quarter, we are offering bible study groups, so if you have a desire to have discussions with teenagers, and enjoy a small group setting, this is an awesome choice. It's about an 8-week commitment, and would align with the school quarter.
- **Snack Supper Providers**
  - Please be considering providing a meal for our Main Event program when we come back in the fall.
- **Be in prayer for our students**



**A GREAT first job for teenagers!**

Contact Jim Lewis in the church office for more details and to apply.

