



# Youthtalk

Weekly News for North Cross Youth



## REMODEL WEEKEND POSTPONED

I only had six youth and no adults sign up for the remodel weekend. As such, I will postpone the event until fall. Graduated seniors are more than welcome to participate if they are in town. A message has also been sent through facebook. Thank you to the six youth who were willing to participate this weekend.

### Coming Up This Sunday

First, be sure to thank Glenda Kinder and Sheli Irwin for their great "Cooking and the Bible" lesson this past Sunday. I was able to step into the kitchen a few times and everyone was having a great time making unleavened bread, goat cheese dip, and learning a little about the importance of bread in Biblical times. I had a couple of tastes and it was quite yummy!

Next Sunday was to be the completion of the remodel overnight. Since the overnight was cancelled, we will spend the time cleaning up all of the youth rooms, hanging our mission trip display, and perhaps enjoying a little snack.

### Looking for Teachers and Sponsors

Just a reminder to our adult sponsors and parents that I am hoping to get sponsors and teachers signed up for September through November. Thank you to Helen Foster, who has already signed up to teach a Sunday school class once a month and help on a regular basis with Wednesday Youth Nite, Meredith Bentson, who will be leading a "random act of kindness" in October, and Sheli Irwin, for offering to lead an extended "cooking and the Bible" meal on a Wednesday Youth Nite. If you were a regular teacher last year, please let me know if you wish to continue or if you will be taking this year off. This will help me as I continue to seek new teachers and sponsors.

Don't forget, this year we are going to change things up a little. Senior high and mid-high will be together on Sundays in one class. My goal is to have 2-3 teachers each week: one lead teacher and one or two assistants. Our numbers for mid-high on Sundays are very low. On Wednesday Youth Nites, we will meet together as a large group for opening, but will separate into two groups, sr. high and mid-high, for the program. This means I will need a couple of more sponsors on Wednesdays. I will need one lead and one assistant for one group and another assistant to work with me. I will alternate each week between Sr. high and mid-high. I will also have the program planned in advance and sent to the sponsors in time for them to prepare.

### Bring A Friend - Share Your Spirit

Our numbers have been very low at Sunday school the past few weeks which I attribute to vacations, work schedules, and summer snoozes. Sunday, August 8 is our next *Breakfast and A Conversation*. I think that would be an awesome time to bring a friend on Sunday and introduce them to North Cross and our youth group.

Also, please remember that we will begin our Wednesday Youth Nites on August 18th. There will not be dinners the first two weeks. Also, the first two weeks will be "fun" nights. A time to get back into the routine, invite friends, meet new people, renew old friendships, share the spirit and passion we have for Christ and our church family, laugh, and enjoy each others company. I am excited to get back together and just have fun!!

### Calendar of Events

#### July

**25** - Cooking & the Bible SS

**30-Aug. 1** - Remodel overnight

#### August

**1** - Pending remodel overnight

**8** - Breakfast and a Conversation

**15** - Cooking and the Bible

**18** - First Wednesday Youth Nite

**22** - Arts and Crafts

**25** - Wednesday Youth Nite

**29** - Mission Trip Presentation in Contemporary Conversations Class

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Youth Group  
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## Recurring Events

### Wednesday Dinners

**We are currently on  
a summer break.  
Dinners will resume  
Wednesday,  
September 1.**

### WYN

Wednesday Youth Nite -  
6:30-8:15

**WYN will resume  
Wednesday, August 18.  
Enjoy your summer break  
and see you Sundays.**

### Sunday School

9:45-10:45 - (Youth room)

**During the summer,  
mid-high and senior high  
are together. There are 4  
different formats rotated  
through each month:  
Breakfast & A Conversa-  
tion, Arts & Crafts,  
Random Acts of Kindness,  
and Cooking with the  
Bible.**

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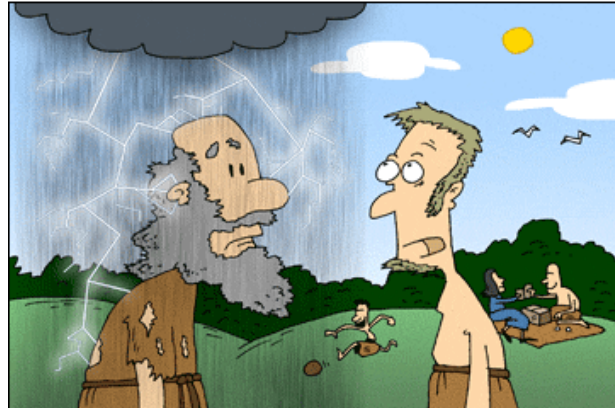
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**JOB ... JOB ... THERE WAS A TERRIBLE  
FIRE IN THE KITCHEN, THE TURKEY WAS  
BURNT TO A CRISP, THE PIES MELTED, AND I  
ALONE ESCAPED TO TELL THEE**

*A little humor from this past  
week's sermon.*

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Thanks to Mikel Rice (See Job 1)

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**YOU MUST BE JOB**