

You're Invited!!!

**WELCOME TO ECHO
YOUTH MINISTRY!!**

**INCOMING 7TH
GRADERS ARE
INVITED TO JOIN ECHO
STARTING IN JULY!**



Hello new Echo students and parents! We are so excited to have your student join us this coming July and into the school year this Fall. As you know there's been a lot happening over the last many months, but we are still planning on working together to provide your student and you all with safe, fun, and exciting ways to meet, learn, and grow in their own faith with our Triune God!

What you will find in this packet:

- A three-month schedule of events. (We are releasing schedules three months at a time.)
- One waiver that when turned in will cover your student for the school year (2020-2021).
- Links to our website, social distancing guidelines, and how to sign up for weekly reminders!
- Our Student Leadership Team, our adult Youth Council Team, and who to contact if you are interested in joining.
- A schedule of messages.

Part 1 | Fall Semester

Schedule

July	Events
6th & 7th	Community Mission Days TBA
12th	New 7th Graders Invited--Water Wars Event 6-7pm
22nd	Washington Township Hike 10am-2pm

August	Events
2nd	Confirmation & Youth Sunday
9th	In-Person Sunday Night Youth 5-6pm
11th	Echo Light & Life Collections from 6-7pm
16th	In-Person Sunday Night Youth 5-6pm
23rd	In-Person Sunday Night Youth 5-6pm
30th	In-Person Sunday Night Youth 5-6pm

September	Events
6th	NO YOUTH LABOR DAY WEEKEND
13th	In-Person Sunday Night Youth 5-6pm
20th	Painting Projects/Design Night 5-7pm
27th	In-Person Sunday Night Youth 5-6pm

AUMC Cleaning Policy During Covid-19

General Cleaning of Rooms that Have Been Used Within 7 Days

- Rooms that are not in use will be cleaned and then the door shut with a sign on it, keeping people out of the room until the next time it needs to be used. This will prevent people spreading germs.
- All hand sanitizer pumps will be disinfected with Clorox Disinfecting Wipes, Clorox Bleach Cleanup, or Lysol All Purpose Cleaner.
- All tables and metal chairs will be cleaned with soap and water first if there is dirt or fingerprints. Then, cleaned with Clorox Bleach Cleanup or Lysol All Purpose Cleaner.
- All door handles and light switches will be disinfected with Clorox Disinfecting Wipes, Clorox Bleach Cleanup, or Lysol All Purpose Cleaner.
- All countertops (kitchens, bathrooms, Narthex, Gathering Place) will be cleaned with soap and water first if there is dirt or fingerprints and then disinfected with Clorox Bleach Cleanup or Lysol All Purpose Cleaner.
- Disinfect water fountains with Clorox Bleach Cleanup, Lysol All Purpose Cleaner, or Clorox Disinfecting Wipes.
- Trash/Recycle emptied.

- Sweep/Vacuum/Mop with disposable Clorox disinfecting mop pads (where applicable).

Bathrooms

- All Countertops/Sinks (kitchens, bathrooms, Narthex, Gathering Place) will be cleaned with soap and water first if there is dirt or fingerprints and then disinfected with Clorox Bleach Cleanup or Lysol All Purpose Cleaner.

- All toilets/urinals are cleaned with Clorox Bleach Cleanup.

- All handrails around the toilets will be disinfected with Clorox Disinfecting Wipes or Lysol All Purpose Cleaner.

- All soap dispensers and paper towel dispensers will be disinfected

with Clorox Disinfecting Wipes or Lysol All Purpose Cleaner.

- Floors swept/vacuumed and then mopped with disposable Clorox disinfecting mop pads.

Additional Social Distanced Guidelines

- Adults serving food, drinks will wear masks and gloves
- Gloves and masks are available for any adult chaperone or student who would like them at every event/meeting
- Students will be spaced out 6-8ft apart for any and every event/meeting.
- Hand sanitizer is available at every event/meeting
- Non-Touch Temperature checks for every indoor event/meeting (**We highly encourage you to check at home before any event/meeting as well.**)

Children & Youth Ministries of Avon UMC Permission Slip and Medical Treatment

I give permission for my child to accompany Echo Youth Group (includes Iggy) on 2020-2021 Echo Youth Trips & Events/Programs

My child may ride in the church van or bus yes /no

My child may ride in the youth pastor's or a chaperone's personal vehicle _____yes _____no

Address:

Telephone #:

Emergency telephone #:

Medical Information (to be completed by Parent/Legal Guardian:

Child's birth date:

Family Doctor:

Telephone :

Is your child allergic to foods or medicine? If yes, please explain

Your health insurance company?:

Insurance company claim's address:

Member's name: Identification #

Benefit Code: Account #

Expiration date:

Any other health issues/allergies AUMC should be aware of?

When was the date of your child's last tetanus shot?

MEDICAL AND LIABILITY RELEASE (Please read carefully and print appropriate answers in blanks)

This must be signed and dated by parent/legal guardian

I, , the legal custodial parent or legal guardian of _____ who desires to voluntarily participate in the event planned with AUMC assumes all responsibility for any accidents or other mishaps, including, but not limited to, seriously bodily injury, permanent disability, and/or death with respect to my child, and I hereby waive my right and my child's right to any claim, cause of action and/or the right to file a law suit, and further release Avon United Methodist Church, its employees, agents and volunteers of each entity from any and all responsibility or liability of any nature whatsoever for any loss or damage to my child's property or person, including personal injury and/or death sustained during the above described trip.

This instrument shall be binding upon the relatives, personal representatives, heirs, beneficiaries, next of kin or assigns of the above-named child and shall inure to the benefit of the organization named as well as their directors, officers, sponsors, employees, agents, volunteers, successors and assigns.

I have carefully read this Medical and Liability Release and by my signature, I am stating that I understand and accept all of its provisions, and understand that I am giving away substantial legal rights for both myself and my child and have the appropriate authority to execute this release.

I also give permission to the Leader of AUMC and/or volunteer sponsor of the above trip to order X-rays, routine tests and treatment for my child if I cannot be reached in an emergency. I further give permission to hospitalize, secure treatment, and order injections, medicine or surgery for my child named above during the above trip. I hereby accept liability for all treatment set forth in this paragraph and release AUMC and its leaders/volunteers from any liability of payment.

Parent/Guardian's signature: _____

Email address: _____

Date: _____

(Please separate this sheet from packet and turn in at your first event***)

Volunteering/Chaperoning



<https://signup.com/group/7160554280118>

Information/Schedule

Online Schedule at Echo Youth Min's Website

<http://youthministry.avonumc.com>

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Email reminders sign-up

Please email chandlerlandis@avonumc.com to sign up for our mass emails that go out each week!



Youth Council Members:

Amy Barton
Becky Brownfield
Emily Haney
Jaymie Jackson
Brooke Marble
Sean Marble
Julie Narvell
Katie Richman
Dipti Shields
Carol Smallwood
Valerie Van Duyn

Youth Student Leadership:

Hannah Barton
Connor Brownfield
Addison Jackson
Delaney Jackson
Karabeth Narvell
Sam Richman
Owen Van Duyn

(Four new students have been invited to join us this fall as well)

Chandler Landis,
Director of Youth Ministries

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Julie Narvell
Youth Council Chair
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T-Shirts are \$12.00
With the logo
above!

Schedule Themes for Part 1 Fall 2020-2021

1. Church-wide Series (TBA by Pastor Rob)

There will be a youth version we do that connects to the church wide series!

*PARENTS: Use this as an opportunity to discuss topics, and learn perspective from each other!

2. Identity, faith, & Christ re-examined