

FALL & WINTER FORMATION MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH



- Approximately **twice a month** on Sunday Afternoons.
- Seventy-five minutes. **4:00-5:15 p.m.**
- Geared toward Grades 5-8.
- *Grade 5 youth can choose to participate in this **and/or** the Sunday morning program at 9:00 a.m.**

Creation Care & Climate Justice

Practicing faith means seeking a way of life that brings healing to planet and people. In this series, youth will gather to contemplate how we do this both individually and collectively rooted in a community of faith.

- ◆ September 18
- ◆ October 2
- ◆ October 16
- ◆ October 30



Save the date: **Friday, January 6th** **All-Ages Epiphany Celebration**

Bring the entire family for this Twelfth Night Celebration of the end of the Christmas season. In the midst of the darkness of winter, let's eat, drink and be merry as we celebrate the Light!

November & December

****note special time these 2 months****

11:15 – 12:30 each Sunday!

A 7-week very special intergenerational program is planned! Stay tuned for more information coming soon. Each Sunday we will gather from 11:15 to 12:30 and Youth voices are KEY so we hope you'll attend!

- ◆ November 6
- ◆ November 13
- ◆ November 20
- ◆ November 27
- ◆ December 4
- ◆ December 11
- ◆ December 18



& we sincerely hope our youth can help take a **leadership role in our very special Nativity Pageant on December 24 at 5 p.m.**

A Calm in the Storm:

Epiphany Season

Do you ever feel like life is a little stormy?

In the winter our youth gatherings will focus on how our Christian tradition and our faith community provide ways of centering ourselves and seeking peace.

- ◆ January 8
- ◆ January 22
- ◆ February 5



Souper Bowl of Caring!

February 12 at 11:15 a.m.

Youth are invited to gather on "Souper" Bowl Sunday for a special program focused on learning about food insecurity and tackling the challenge of hunger in our world!! More information to follow



Looking ahead:

During the seasons of Lent and Easter, we'll continue to meet approximately every other week - stay tuned for that schedule coming in early January!