

**ST. ANDREW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
**YOUTH GROUP NEWSLETTER      WINTER 2017**

Youth Sunday will be February 26 for both services. We will need youth to sing, usher, read prayers and Scripture, share a word, and participate in the Sermon/skit. Please contact Pastor Mark if you are interested.



**Big Creek Mission Trip**

We are still signing up for the Big Creek Mission Trip that will be July 16-22. It truly is an incredible week of mission, new friends, great food, fantastic memories, and new experiences. All youth are encouraged to consider going on this great event to touch those who are truly needy. The cost is \$169. A deposit of \$25 is due upon signing up.

*A Second Mission Opportunity!*

*For those who may want to learn what it is to go on a Mission Trip but are concerned about being away a whole week, we are offering a second mission opportunity. We will head to Altoona from June 25 to 28/29. The details are still being put together but we wanted to see the level of interest. We will stay at a church in Altoona, share our skills with those in need Monday through Wednesday, make our own meals, and enjoy the sights and sounds of Altoona. The cost is still being determined. Please sign up on the sheet in the parlor.*

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**A Youth Group Retreat!!**

**We are heading back to Skycroft Retreat Center on March 31-April 1. The cost is \$45 a person which includes the use of a gym, three meals, a great retreat, campfire, and a fantastic sleeping area. Please sign up as soon as possible so that we can tell Skycroft how many are coming to the retreat!**

**Youth Group is also included in the Sunday School Challenge. The Sunday School class that grows by the most people will be treated to a breakfast at McDonald's on March 5. Come to your class and bring a friend.**

