

ACC Fall Youth Retreat
September 9-11, 2022
Refreshing Mountain Camp, Stevens PA

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Details for Fall Retreat 2022

Hi Youth Leaders,

The Youth Committee is excited to invite you and your youth to the 2022 ACC Fall Youth Retreat at Refreshing Mountain. We hope you will come and bring your youth!

Resource & Spiritual Theme:

We're excited to have Seth Crissman and Greg Yoder of the Walking Roots Band and the Soil and the Seed Project as our resource team this year.

Seth will be speaking on Soil & Seed, focusing on the parables in Matthew 13:1-34 (Sower/Soil/Weeds/Mustard Seed/Yeast). These have a lot to say about God's ordering of things and how we navigate life/community as followers of Jesus. Each session will explore and unpack one of these four parables in hopes of connecting our belief and heart stirrings with how we live and move in the world around us.

Cost:

\$125 per person - youth and leaders

Forms:

1. **Registration Form:** submit to the ACC office with payment **by August 23rd**
2. **Activities Release & Waiver Form:** Camp requires this form to use the facilities. Should be handed in for each youth at registration on Friday night.
3. **Medical Release Form:** To be kept with youth leaders in the event that one of your youth would require medical assistance during the weekend. This is a template for you to use.
4. **Congregational Youth Event Verification form:** must be signed by youth leader/chaperones after the necessary clearances have been filed with the church. Should be handed in by registration on Friday night. Please fill this out completely!
5. **Youth Events Volunteer Covenant:** To be signed by a congregational representative after the necessary clearances for each youth leader attending the Fall Retreat have been filed with the church. Must be submitted to ACC Office prior to the retreat.

For facility information, a view of the camp and directions visit www.refreshingmountain.com

Weekend Schedule:

Please arrive between 7:00-8:45 pm Friday evening. Our first worship session will be held at 9 pm. The weekend will conclude Sunday at 11:30 am after our last worship session. The final meal is Sunday morning breakfast. A final schedule will be available at registration Friday night. A "draft copy" is attached.

Weekend Features:

- Daily Worship & Resource times
- Ice Cream Social
- Friday evening meeting with youth leaders immediately following campfire
- Elevated obstacle course

- Late night ultimate frisbee
- Late night open gym times
- Sunday morning youth leader meeting following breakfast
- Saturday evening trivia and music combined with our snack time.

What to Bring:

- Bibles
- bedding (sleeping bag or sheets/blanket)
- pillow
- swimsuit (RM requires one-piece suits)
- flashlight
- washcloth, towel, toiletries
- closed-toed shoes for high ropes activities

--Medical Release Forms

--Activities Release & Waiver Forms

--Volunteer Covenant Form *(leaders)*

--Each youth group should bring s'mores ingredients for Friday night and snacks & drinks to share for Saturday night

Registration deadline: August 23

Our ACC Youth Committee hopes that you will attend. We thank you for loving youth and giving so freely of your time to encourage them in life. Pray for this event; that those who attend will be encouraged, challenged, and inspired to commit to/continue the "journey of faith in Jesus."



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Please pray for our time together!