

Family Ministry Night Schedule

Pioneer Girls, Boys Mid-Week, and Youth Group will all meet on Wednesday Night from 6:30-8 pm at Orchard Park Wesleyan Church starting on September 17th!

Here is the schedule of special events and weeks that students will not be meeting through the end of December:

September 17th (6:30-8:00): We will kick off a new year of midweek ministries with a luau for the whole family! Wear your Hawaiian shirt and join us for a bonfire, s'mores bar and activities while you learn about our ministries for children Kindergarten through 12th grade and meet our ministry leaders.

Sunday, October 5th (Noon-2:00 p.m.): Join us for a fun afternoon of Bowling at Strikers Lanes, located at 50 Michael Lane in West Seneca. Bowling and shoe rentals will be \$[5.00](#) a person or \$20.00 per family. Pizza and drinks will be available as well. Please notify your ministry leader how many people will be attending from your family prior to this event.

November 19th (Students to arrive at 6:30): Our students will be working together to prepare and serve dinner for their families as an act of gratitude for all that you do on a daily basis! Students will arrive at 6:30 and report to their ministry leader for their assignment. We will have some activities and appetizers prepared for families with younger children or who may wish to stick around until dinner is served. We will begin serving dinner at 7:15.

November 26th: No meeting. Happy Thanksgiving!

December 17th (6:30-8:00): The whole family is invited to join us as we celebrate the Christmas season with a breakfast style meal and festive activities including a visit from Santa! We will also enjoy a time of caroling as we close out the night together.

December 24th: No meeting. Merry Christmas!

December 31st: No meeting. Happy New Year!

All ministries will resume meeting on Wednesday, January 7th from 6:30-8:00p.m.

OPWC Youth Group Activities:

OPWC Youth Group (grades 6-12) will have additional events over the course of the year. This schedule is for fall and part of winter. A Spring calendar of events will be released at a later date.

Friday, September 26th, Night Games & Campfire, 6:30-8:30pm: Weather permitting, we will spend the night playing all our favorite games like capture the flag and dodgeball in the dark! Plus we'll have a fire with s'mores to enjoy. This is a great event to invite your friends to!

Saturday, October 4th, Fall Clean Up at OPWC, 9am-12pm: Help us take care of our church by doing some fall clean up! We'll have multiple jobs for everyone to do including road clean-up.

Saturday, October 25th, Trunk-or-Treat, 2-4pm: We will be decorating our own car... truck... maybe an RV? for OPWC's Trunk-or-Treat event.

Saturday, November 8th, Secret Shuttle, 12-2pm: Meet at the OPWC parking lot and you'll be transported to some secret destinations... you're only hint: FALL.

Sunday, November 23rd, The Gobbler: Progressive Dinner, 5:00-9pm: Come with hungry bellies and friends to join as we travel to different houses to gobble up some yummy food. Tentative schedule: Appetizers 5pm, Main Course 6:30pm, Desserts 8pm.

Friday, December 19th, Youth Christmas Party, 6:30-8pm

January 23-25, WNY District Winter Youth Retreat