# Christian Stronghold Church Youth Ministry 2023 - 2024 Hybrid DISCIPESHIP

# **OBJECTIVE**

To support the parents and guardians of CSC youth through gathering in small, relational group sessions to grow in our faith and obedience to the Lord Jesus Christ, in every area of life!!

# **PLAN**

## Starting Sun. November 5<sup>th</sup>

We will gather every Sunday afternoon at 1:30 pm in person or via ZOOM. We'll break out into small groups to explore God's truths as we grow in faith and obedience in Christ Jesus. Sessions will end at approx. 2:30 PM.

## **PARENT'S ACTION**

Please give Youth
Discipleship your prayerful
consideration as it will
require a commitment on
your behalf and of your teen.
If you have not done so
already, respond on or
before Wednesday, October
12th if your child will be
participating in 2023-2024
Youth Discipleship.
Please reply via email at
YouthPastor@christian
stronghold.com
Or call 215-877-1530 ext. 2011

Welcome to Christian Stronghold Church Hybrid Youth Discipleship We are excited to welcome all of you to the 2023 – 2024 year of youth discipleship!

As a <u>new</u> or <u>returning</u> student and parent, we understand that you may have some questions about what to expect out of youth discipleship, particularly as we move to a "hybrid" environment, meaning both in-person and /or virtual. The goal of our ministry remains the same, to assist parents as we engage their youth to develop a deeper, more authentic relationship with Christ and as a result, become more like Him each day, in every area of life.

Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, [a] baptizing them in the name of the father and the son and the holy spirit. Teach these new disciples to obey all the commands I have given you. And be sure of this: I am with you always, even to the end of the age." Matthew 28:19-20 (NLT)

In their weekly sessions, youth will explore the different aspects of the Christian life, relative topics, and spiritual principles. One of our first conversations will be about their salvation experience and what it means to them and what it means to be part of the "Kingdom of God". Every youth will be encouraged to look at their relationship with Christ and how it impacts others for God's glory.

Dear friend, don't let this bad example influence you. Follow only what is good.

Remember that those who do good prove that they are god's children, and those who do evil prove that they do not know God.

3 John 1:11 (NLT)

With every meeting, we strive to not only challenge our youth to live a life of integrity but to encourage them to keep moving forward in the right direction, even when others around them may not be living the same way.

Being able to speak into a person's life, regardless of age is more effective as relationships are developed. The ministry's goal is to do just that. We will partner with you, build a relationship with your youth, and assign a dedicated youth worker to help your teen grow to be more like the Lord Jesus during the remainder of their high school years.

Young people will be in small groups, with at least 2 disciplers, who will remain with them until they graduate from high school. These godly men and women have a love, heart, and passion for the Lord and His young people in our local faith community at Stronghold!!

We look forward to seeing you at our first session, which is our orientation for parents and teens. It is scheduled for <u>Sunday</u>, <u>November 5<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 pm.</u> We'll meet in person and virtually using Zoom and live streaming on YouTube.

During the orientation, you'll meet other parents, get more information and you'll have a chance to get all your questions answered about youth discipleship. See you on Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup> @ 1:30 pm!!

Thank you & God Bless