

YOUTH CONCLAVES



(L-R) Eric Peterson, Tabitha Curtiss, Hannah Wertz, Haven Curtiss, Adam Espinoza, Jackie Zimmerman

FPC youth participated in opportunities at Conclaves at Camp Cho-Yeh (March 2-4) organized by Presbyterian Youth Connection Council (PYCC). They connected with other youth from all over our presbytery, engaged in small groups, experienced dynamic worship, and of course, had a blast playing games! The small group curriculum, based on 2 Corinthians 4:8-9, encouraged our youth to realize they may be frustrated at not having all the answers or having to go through difficult times but God never abandons them. Youth today have to deal with a lot of difficult situations and small group time was a great way for them to know that—no matter what—God loves them, and they can always have hope in that knowledge. Our youth found ways to connect with God through different spiritual practices in the Spirituality Center. All of these activities were fun and exciting ways for our youth to grow in their spirituality and faith. *A special thank you for your donations of dog food and t-shirts for the mission project. The t-shirts were used in making dog toys for dogs displaced by Hurricane Harvey.*

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PYCC member Luna Curtiss organizes t-shirts.



Tabitha Curtiss cuts old shirts into multiple strips.



Hannah Wertz braids the cut strips for strength.

CHURCH-WIDE GAME NIGHT

Thank you to all who came out for Church-wide Game Night on February 24. Approx. 25 individuals challenged one another in games — from *Game of Things* to *Apples to Apples* to *Chicken Foot* and more, all while munching on a wide assortment of snacks and light hors d'oeuvres.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR for the next **Church-wide Game Night!** **SAT, APRIL 28, 4:00pm-6:00pm, Fellowship Hall**