



Hi College First Families,

On **Sunday, November 8th**, we will be having our annual Operation Christmas Child night! **It will start at our normal time of 5:30, but will not end until 8pm.** It is one of our biggest events that our Youth Group has throughout the year. We will be assembling shoeboxes filled with gifts that will be distributed to children who may not otherwise receive a Christmas gift. When receiving this gift, the children will also hear the Gospel of Jesus Christ. This is an all-hands-on-deck event, so we hope to see everyone there. Let's make a difference!

The poster is for "Operation Christmas Child Youth Group". It features a green background with a white and red airplane logo in the top right corner. The text "OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD NIGHT" is in large, bold, white and red letters. Below it, "YOUTH GROUP" is in white letters on a red banner. A red button in the top right corner says "Sunday, November 8th". On the left, there is a list of details with icons: a location pin for "Meet at College First Church Fellowship Hall at 5:30 pm.", a clock for "Pickup is at 8:00 pm.", a gift box for "We'll pack shoeboxes with gifts for children in underprivileged circumstances.", a heart with a cross for "A great opportunity to share the Gospel.", and a fork and knife for "Dinner will be provided." At the bottom, a red banner says "Bring a friend!". On the right, there is a photograph of a group of young people sitting around a table, packing gifts into a shoebox. The shoebox is green with white stars and contains a teddy bear, a soccer ball, a book, and wrapped gifts.

The Rooted High School Retreat at Camp Otyokwah is coming up on **November 13-15**. It will be an opportunity for students to get away from business and distractions and spend some time with God and fellow believers. Registration costs **\$125 before Sept 18th and \$135 after**. Scholarships are available for students, please let me know if you are interested in attending and I will connect with the scholarship codes.



This past Sunday, we sent a couple of students to City Mission to help serve our community and love our neighbors as ourselves. With all of the Bible study that we do, it is important to remember to apply and live out the lessons that scripture teaches us. We are thankful for the servants hearts that God has given our students. Here are some photos:



Hope to see everyone at Suter's this week!

Best,
Pastor Nancy

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Here are a few things coming up in our ministry . . .

November 8th- Operation Christmas Child Shopping Extravaganza

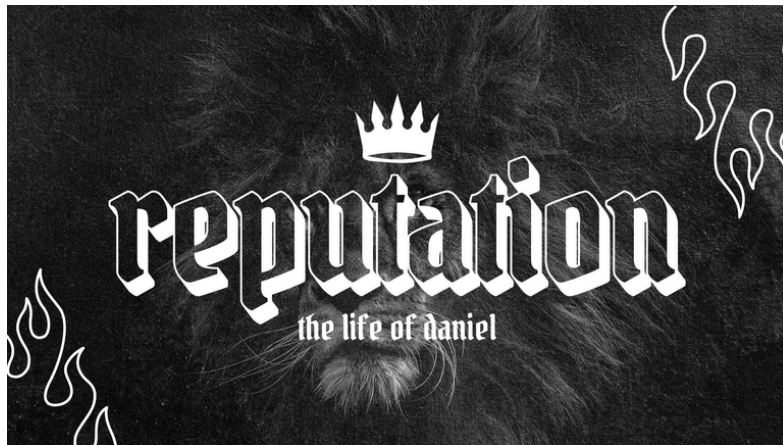
November 13th - 15th- Rooted Camp Otyokwah High School Retreat

January 30th- Home Bible Quizzing Meet

February 11th - 14th- Winterfest High School Retreat

February 19th - 21st- Ignite Camp Otyokwah Middle School Retreat

WHAT WE'RE TEACHING



REPUTATION: A 4-Week Series from Daniel & the New Testament on Evangelism

SERIES OVERVIEW: When we think about sharing our faith, we think of having a perfect story with all the right words. But we sometimes forget that our actions and the reputations we build can have the biggest impact on others. In this 4-week series from the book of Daniel and the New Testament, we'll see how Daniel and his friends lived out their faith in a way that pointed people to God. As we learn about the reputation they built, we'll discover that **we can show our faith by doing things God's way**, and **we can show our faith together**. We'll also explore how we can show our faith when things get difficult, and **we can show our faith consistently**.