

GATEWAY YOUTH



INTRODUCTION: OCTOBER

Gateway Youth Families,

Thank you for your commitment and support to your student's walk with Christ! October was a fantastic month for Youth with multiple first-time salvations and baptisms in the spirit. Here's a glance at October and what's coming in November.

WEDNESDAY YOUTH

We completed the, "Truth or False" series just before the Inspire leaders Conference. Students were equipped with the "why's of our faith" and how to speak "truth in love". Topics included, is Jesus really the son of God? Gender truths. Feelings do not equal truth. The Bible is the Infallible word of God. "I can disagree and still love you", and more.

IL Conference-We had Youth on Thursday to kick off the IL Conference. For the first time, Gateway had a portion of the conference kickoff dedicated to the Youth of Gateway. Thursday nightm included worship and a short powerful word from Pastor Albert & Genny Castaneda (Arizona Campus Pastors). They served as Gateway Youth Pastors for 11 years before planting Gateway Gilbert, AZ.

Conference spilled over into the next week of Youth with an impromptu Worship and Anointing Service. We saw new students dedicate their lives to Jesus for the first time, be activated in their prayer language, release forgiveness, and have incredible altar ministry. God is moving!

October 25th was the 4th Annual Gateway Youth Costume Carnival! Over 70 were in attendance to make the Carnival a successful night of fun and fellowship. A big thanks to the Valdamma's, Ocegüera's, Haemmerle's, and Dawson's, in addition to our youth leaders, who volunteered many hours and goods to make the Youth Carnival possible!

Additional students and adult leaders also volunteered to run two separate Harvest Parties for Gateway Kids and GCO's Family Resource Center! We are proud of the leadership of our students and team.





SUNDAY YOUTH

Sunday Youth is going amazing for our junior high they just wrapped up their “Essentials” sermon series. The series taught on the Body of Christ.

October 15th, Sunday Youth Students attended the main service where they were prayed over and given altar ministry by Pastor Eric Butler and Gateway leaders. This was a powerful time of tears, breakthroughs, prophecy, and new life! Going forward every 5th Sunday (quarterly) students will attend the main service to be imparted into by our lead Pastor and worship team. We want to have a healthy whole church, not just siloed ministries. Thank you for your partnership and support as we navigate new schedules.



WE WANT TO SEE YOU!

Do you have a special event happening? Like a dance recital, sports game, graduation, or accomplishment? Clay & Kelsey and our leaders love to see our students flourish in their lives. DM us @gw_youth on Instagram or text us your schedule because we want to cheer you on!





WAYS TO SUPPORT YOUR STUDENT(S)

1. Pray for them.
 2. Encourage them to read their Bible and spend time reflecting on what they read.
(Start in the book of John or Proverbs)
 3. Speak to them about where their identity comes from. It comes only from God!
 4. When they get home from Gateway Youth, ask them, "What did you learn tonight?"
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WHAT'S COMING UP

+ Sunday Youth every Sunday at 11:15 am (5th-8th grade)

+ Youth Nights every Wednesday at 7 pm (7th-12th grade)

+ Friendsgiving on November 15th at 7pm, bring your friends, It's a potluck! Bring something sweet or savory to share with your friends!

+ Thanksgiving Break-NO YOUTH November 22nd.

+ "So Grateful" series in November. Included Gateway Youth is putting together a Baked Goods Basket to bless the San Jose Police and Dispatch Training Facility (near the church). We want to bless those who serve our community and teach gratitude in action to our students. If you would like to donate a freshly baked item, please bring it to Youth, Wednesday, November 15th (homemade items are welcome. Ingredient labels required).

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