

Please Keep this letter confidential



Dear parents,

Thank you for taking the time to read this very important letter concerning your teen or teens. In less than _____ on _____ & _____, _____ Youth Ministries will present “**Teen Encounter**”. Your involvement is vital for this unity building event to be a success. Starting Friday evening at 7:00 PM and ending Saturday approximately 8:30 p.m. The students will be asked to spend the night at the church under adult supervision.

“**Teen Encounter**” will change the life of your student(s).

About Teen Encounter

The purpose of a “**Teen Encounter**” is to build unity not only in the Youth Group but also Parent/Teen relationships. Some of the activities will include letter writing, unity building, speaking on feelings, masks, how to fight, forgiveness, and communion. There will be a lot of sharing, singing and fun interaction together. If your student is unable to attend the whole weekend please consider having your teen attend our next scheduled Teen Encounter weekend.

Please pray for your teenager to be a part of this great event. There is a small fee of _____, to help with their meals (Friday night snack, breakfast, lunch and dinner on Saturday) and expenses. Thank you in advance for encouraging your student to be a part. It’s going to be a great weekend!

I am asking you for a favor, would you please encourage your student to be a part of this weekend. Of all the events we have throughout the year, this is one of those events that I need them to attend. This event will help us build unity within the group, it will also help me to recognize my leaders, as well as draw them into being a part of the core of our youth group. So often things come up that seem to be critically important, (I.e. sports activities, extra curricular activities, home work, even parental punishments for previous weeks actions.) I beg of you, please don’t allow anything to get in the way of your student attending. In fact, I would ask that you would do whatever is necessary to encourage your student to attend. Most of you know me well enough by now that I don’t ask this of you at any other time of the year. However, I believe so completely in this weekend that I strongly encourage you to help me get your student to attend.

We have a need to have some people to prepare the meals and bring them to the church for this weekend. If you would be interested in providing this service, please contact me at: _____.

One last favor please keep this letter confidential and if you are a praying person, please pray for this weekend that God will be allowed to do everything He desires to do.

Thank you for your time and I am looking forward to this great weekend event.

Because of Him,

Pastor _____