

## **Jr. High Student Ministry**

*Together becoming fully-devoted followers of Christ*



### **What are Grace Church Junior High Grades?**

Students who are either in 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, or 8<sup>th</sup> grade are considered a part of the Jr. High ministry at Grace Church.

### **Sunday School**

Sunday School is our main Bible teaching time, designed to introduce students to Biblical principles that apply directly to their everyday experiences in life. Sunday mornings, Jr. High students have their own class that meets from 9:00-10:15am in the upstairs rooms on the East side of the AC gymnasium. Jr. High students are welcome to hang out in the AC gym and the Jr. High room before class as early as 8:45am and after class until 10:30am.

### **Wednesday Night Youth Group**

Wednesday nights, Jr. High Youth Group is a time to hang out with friends, participate in a time of student-led worship, Bible lesson, group game, and small group discussion. Also, throughout the semester, we will have a variety of game and outreach nights. Sixth grade students who want to continue in AWANA will have the opportunity to say the verses they have been memorizing to Jr. High staff. Jr. High students are welcome to hang out in the AC gym and the Jr. High room before youth group as early as 5:45pm and after youth group as late as 8:30pm.

### **Do the Jr. and Sr. High students meet together?**

Yes and no. On Sunday mornings, Jr. and Sr. High will have separate classes. On Wednesday nights, the Jr. and Sr. High will be together from 6:15-7:00pm for a time of worship and Bible teaching. Before and after this time, Jr. High students have their own space to fellowship in and have separate ministry programming.

### **And Lots More!**

Throughout the year we will do a variety of off-site trips including conferences, conventions, retreats, camps, concerts, and activities just for fun (e.g. Great Oaks Fall Retreat, Camp Timber-lee Winter Retreat, summer mission trip, East Iowa Bible Camp, Six Flags, etc).