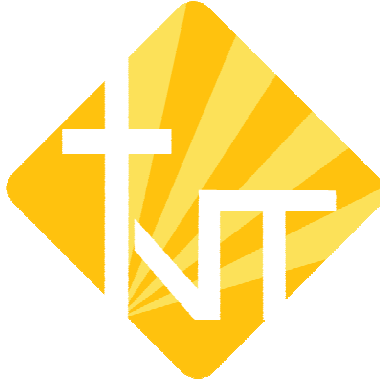


TNT 2021-2022



COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH

Teens n' Truth

The Teens N' Truth Ministry exists to partner with parents in discipling junior high students to Love God, Love Others, and Reach Out.

"So they will be called oaks of righteousness, the planting of the LORD, that He may be glorified."

-Isaiah 61:3

SUNDAY MORNINGS

CORE OF EXPLORE

Sunday Mornings is a place where teens will be exposed to the Word of God and challenged and equipped to think through it as they walk through the Bible with caring adults and mentors.

ELEMENTS OF EXPLORE

1. Loving & Knowing God

We were created to love the Lord our God with all of our heart, soul, mind, and strength (Matthew 22:37-38) and Jesus said "Now this is eternal life: that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent (John 17:3). We were made to love and know God; there is no greater joy in life than this. One of the primary means that God has used to help us get to know and come to love Him deeper is His revelation about Himself through Scripture. **TNT Explore is about helping teens grow in their knowledge and love for God by guiding them through His Word.**

2. Equipping

Sunday Mornings is a place where teens are equipped with the entire counsel of God's Word (Acts 20:26-27). We believe that all scripture is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work (2 Timothy 3:16-17). In his farewell to the elders, Paul said "Therefore I testify to you this day that I am innocent of the blood of all of you, for I did not shrink from declaring to you the whole counsel of God" (Acts 20:26-27). In this statement Paul shows the seriousness with which He took in delivering the whole Word of God to the believers. TNT Explore seeks to equip teens for the life that God has called them to by guiding them through the entirety of God's Word. In addition to walking them through the entire counsel of God's Word, we also want to equip the teens to be able to interact with God's Word on their own. **TNT Explore is about equipping the teens with God's Word and the tools and skills to study it on their own.**

3. Christ-Centeredness

Not only is all scripture useful for living a Godly life and growing in our love and knowledge of God, but we also see that all scriptures point to Christ (Luke 24:27), the author, and founder of our faith. **TNT Explore is about helping the teens see the glory of Christ in all the scriptures and showing them the truths of the gospel throughout all of God's Word.**

4. Encouraging

Hebrews 10:24-25 urges us: "And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds. Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another-and all the more as you see the Day approaching." **TNT Explore is about coming alongside of teens and encouraging them**

TNT WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

I. Ministry Description

The TNT Wednesday night program takes place every Wednesday at Community Bible Church from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM (doors open at 6:30 PM). The TNT ministry year begins the first Wednesday in September and ends the last Wednesday in July. TNT is a highly relational atmosphere. Every Wednesday teens experience free time, singing, Bible lessons, and small group discipleship led by caring adults.

Typical Wednesday Night Schedule

6:30—Drop Off & Free Time
7:05—Gather everyone to TNT Room
7:10—Welcome & Announcements
7:20—Singing
7:35—Lesson
8:00—Small Group
8:50—Dismiss to MPR
9:00—Parent Pick-up

WEDNESDAY NIGHT LEADER STAFF

	Guys	Girls
6 th Grade	Scott Becker Adam Burkholder	
7 th Grade	Owen Forry Steve Reaggs JP Stauffer Jason Winters	Alexis Risser Emily Spangler Lori Witmer Stephanie Breneman
8 th Grade	Dave Hilyard Dylan Hottenstein Kegan Landis Tyler Rupp Craig Smith	Kristin Labe Hannah Lamkin Ashley Landis Stacey Zimmerman

TNT 2021-2022 Wednesday Night Lesson Outline

Theme: Freedom in Christ

Theme Verse: “and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free” John 8:32 (ESV)

September

September 8	TNT Kick-Off
September 15	Loving God, Loving Others, Reaching Out
September 22	Galatians 1:1-10
September 29	Galatians 1:11-24

October

October 6	Galatians 2:1-21
October 13	Galatians 3:1-14
October 20	Galatians 3:15-4:7
October 27	TNT GROUP NIGHT/SERVICE PROJECT

November

November 3	Galatians 4:8-31
November 10	Galatians 5:1-15
November 17	Galatians 5:16-26
November 24	TNT OFF

December

December 1	Galatians 6:1-10
December 8	Galatians 6:11-18
December 15	TNT Christmas Party
December 22	TNT OFF
December 29	TNT OFF

TNT EVENTS 2021-2022

Event	Date/Time	Location
Kick Off	Wednesday, September 8, 2021 6:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.	CBC
Fall Retreat	October 8-10, 2021	Promised Land Camp
TNT Group Night/Service Project	Wednesday, October 27, 2021	TBD
Always Ready Apologetics Conference	Saturday, November 6, 2021 8:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m.	CBC
Chair Set Up and Game Night	Saturdays, November 6, 13, 20, 27 6:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.	CBC
Winter Retreat Student Body & TNT Combined	February 4-6, 2022	Camp Andrews



TENTATIVE SUMMER TRIP DATES 2022

TNT 24/7 (seventh grade)	June 20-24
Philly Trip (eighth grade)	June 26-July 2
Operation Wilderness (sixth grade)	July 14-17
Lead Like Jesus (Guys who completed seventh grade)	July 27-30

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“Let your work be shown to your servants, and your glorious power to their children. Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and establish the work of our hands upon us; yes, establish the work of our hands!”
--Psalm 90:16-17



Quick Word About "In or Out"

The Church opens Wednesday nights at 6:30 pm. If your teen plans to attend on any given night, please have them enter the building as soon as they arrive. Once in the building, we ask that they stay until the evening is over unless they need to leave early in which case a parent must be present to pick them up. Otherwise, they must stay until they are dismissed to the Lobby. The "In or Out" policy helps us in our responsibility to keep your teens safe.

TNT EXPECTATIONS

1. Be Prepared

A. Bring Your Bible to both Wednesday Night and Sunday Mornings

B. Expect that God wants to speak to you from His Word during the lessons and small group times!

2. Be Respectful

A. To your peers and leaders.

1. Do not talk over your peers in small group and do not talk during the lesson. Be a good listener and do not talk or be a distraction when others are talking. Give others the same respect you want them to give you when you are talking.
2. "Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen" (Ephesians 4:32).
3. No harmful or inappropriate actions. (Kicking, slapping, punching, guys and girls holding hands, or kissing)

4. Listen



B. To the Building

1. It is your duty to keep the building neat and trash picked-up
2. Do not throw trash, pens or any other objects. We are not looking to start WWII!
3. Do not write on any church property such as tables, chairs and walls.
4. Report any damage to leaders so we can fix it.



3. HAVE FUN!!!

4. Consequences of Misconduct

- A. First offense - Verbal Warning
- B. Second offense - Time Out
- C. Third offense - Parents Contacted

Thanks for respecting the rules ☺

ALWAYS READY YOUTH CONFERENCE

APOLOGETICS 101: THE BASICS

Saturday, November 6, 2021 at Westminster Presbyterian Church, Lancaster, PA

Student Body and TNT Youth interested in attending the Conference will meet and return to CBC. A flyer with more information will be available Wednesday, September 8, 2021.

Theme - Apologetics 101: The Basics

Christian young people face a variety of attacks on the truth of Christianity, and it is vital that they be prepared to give an answer for the hope within them. To help equip young Christian men and women for defending the faith, this conference will provide an overview of key issues in apologetics and give answers to some of the most common attacks on the Christian faith.

Schedule

SATURDAY, November 6, 2021

8:30–9:30 a.m. — **Registration Opens**

9:30–9:45 a.m. — **Welcome**

9:45–10:05 a.m. — **Always Ready?** *by* Nathan W. Bingham

As a Christian, what is my responsibility in sharing my faith? What do I need to know and how can I make sound arguments to defend the gospel? In this session, learn the importance of apologetics and why young Christians must always be ready to share and defend the reason for the hope that lives within them.

10:10–10:30 a.m. — **Can I Trust the Bible?** *by* Stephen Nichols

What does the Bible have to do with our lives today? Skeptics are shocked to hear that people in the twenty-first century still believe and take such an ancient text literally. In this session, we will look at the trustworthiness of Scripture, its authority as our guide for life, and learn how to defend the Bible as the Word of God.

10:30–10:40 a.m. — **Now What? Applying What You've Just Heard**

10:40 a.m. — Break

11:10–11:30 a.m. — **Who Am I?** *by* Stephen Nichols

You have probably been told to “just be yourself” if you want to live a good life. But what does it mean to be you? What is your true identity? By God’s grace, Christians have genuine answers to these questions. This session will look at the problem of human identity, helping us come to a secure understanding of who we are by looking to God’s Word.

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m. — Lunch

1:05–1:25 p.m. — **Following Christ in a Digital Age** *with* Nathan W. Bingham

We use Facebook, Instagram, and Snapchat to connect with our friends. These apps are great tools, but if we aren’t careful, they can hurt us—and our friends. How can we use technology in a God-honoring way? This session will go over how we can develop genuine relationships and serve the Lord in our digital age.

1:30–1:50 p.m. — **Is Jesus the Only Way?** *by* Chris Walker

Christians say that Jesus Christ is the only way for salvation, but some people think that’s offensive. How can we believe that God only gives eternal life to those who believe in Jesus? This message will help us understand how to defend the claim that trusting Jesus is the only way to be saved.

1:50–2:00 p.m. — **Now What? Applying What You've Just Heard**

2:00 p.m. — Break

2:30–3:00 p.m. — **Panel Discussion: How Do I Defend the Gospel?** *with* Nathan W. Bingham, Stephen Nichols, and Chris Walker

3:00–3:30 p.m. — **Q&A: Got Questions?** *with* Stephen Nichols