



# Counselor & Youth Responsibilities

## Welcome to the Missouri District Junior High Retreat!

Thank you for your interest in this retreat brought to you by the Missouri District Board of Family Life & Youth Ministry and the Lutheran Youth Fellowship Team. The information below will outline the responsibilities and standards expected of young Christian men, women and counselors.

The purpose of this retreat is to learn more about ourselves, others, and our relationship with Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior **and** what our response is because of His great love for us!

### Counselor/Leader Responsibilities

- ↻ Be sure youth's personal needs are properly met.
- ↻ Be a Christ-like example for youth and one another.
- ↻ Supervise the youth in the cabins at night.
- ↻ Make sure you and your group observe the camp curfew policy. Camp Windermere has a very clear policy for an 11:30 p.m. camp curfew and this must be observed by counselors and students per our contract with the camp.
- ↻ Ensure that youth stay in their assigned accommodations with an adult counselor (male with male/female with female). Rooms will be assigned upon registration at the camp.
- ↻ Enable youth to participate fully in each event. (Get them where they need to be, when they need to be there.)
- ↻ Participate in activities as a counselor. **Have fun!**
- ↻ Help with support and discipline during group activities. Help focus the youth's attention.
- ↻ Do not use profanity and/or foul language.
- ↻ Exercise Christ-like judgment between different ages and sexes.
- ↻ Do not use alcohol or illegal drugs.
- ↻ Physical punishment is not permitted by state law, Camp Windermere, or Missouri District.
- ↻ Direct your questions, concerns and comments to a Junior High Committee member.

### Youth/Participant Responsibilities

- ↻ Have a great time!
- ↻ Honor thy counselor and leaders.
- ↻ Be a Christ-like example for one another.
- ↻ Participate fully in each event by being on time and being prepared.
- ↻ Do not use profanity and/or foul language.
- ↻ Exercise Christ-like judgment between different ages and sexes.
- ↻ Do not use alcohol, tobacco or illegal drugs.
- ↻ Direct your questions, concerns and comments to a Junior High Committee member.