

Eden Youth Newsletter

2019-2020



Eden youth 2019

Eden youth has grown this year with youth from Tabs and Hebron Church joining too. There are 2 age groups 11-13 and 14-18. The youth group started off in my house but got too big so we now meet in Hebron church in Cogan. We have had fun and learned to pray together and also to pray for friends, family and others. It has been a year of getting to know each other, of sharing and praying. We prayed for school friends who were having very difficult times and we saw answers to our prayers and even non-Christian friends joining the youth group. We made cakes to raise money for poor children in India and made banners for the "I See You" petition of Open Doors, to speak up about and give hope and dignity to girls and women who have been abducted and abused. We have done bible studies & quizzes and are learning the books of the bible.

We had a really fun sleepover party at Eden church and have been on a prayer walk. We've been to the pier for ice cream and had a high tea together, as well as being creative and making presents for others. Simon taught the youth group about the dangers of Halloween and another time Craig (a church elder) shared his testimony. Most of the youth came to the Eden Break Free event and a few attended the workshops, which resulted in a lovely children's song. Afterwards we spent an evening talking about the event and modern-day slavery and how we can be the voice for those without a voice.

LOVE GROW SERVE & GO!



We ended the year skating and going on the fun fair at Winter Wonderland, eating doughnuts and drinking hot chocolate.



Soul Survivor 2019

Soul Survivor was a fantastic event! Eden, Hebron, Tabs and another church spent a week together camping, having fun, worshiping, praying and attending seminars and speakers. It had a big impact on them all. 3 of Eden's young people became Christians at this event

Praying together

It has been really awesome praying together as a group and trusting each other with our fears and problems and seeing God answer so many of our prayers. This has strengthened our faith together!

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Youth Alpha 2020

On Thursday 23 January we will start a youth Alpha course. We will start with a meal together, then watch a youth Alpha film and then go into small groups to ask questions and learn about Jesus and faith. We will do Youth Alpha at Hebron Church in Cogan starting at 6.30-8.30pm every other week except school holidays. Age 11-18 if you want to join us either as youth or to help as leader please email janelasonder@gmail.com or phone me: 07425686491.

New Wine 2020

Really exciting news, the youth can now register via me to go to an event in the summer holidays for young people, camping at New Wine youth village in Peterborough (same place as Soul Survivor). Mike Pilavachi will be part of this event. It will be similar event to Soul Survivor. More news about this event coming soon! ***IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN JOINING EDEN YOUTH OR IN BECOMING A YOUTH WORKER PLEASE CONTACT ME (JANE LASONDER) OR SIMON JENNINGS***

