

**Youth Registration 2019 Youth Assembly**  
Epworth-by-the-Sea, St. Simon's Island, Georgia  
February 22-24, 2019

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_  
Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_ Adult T-shirt size: S M L XL XXL XXXL  
Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Church you are representing: \_\_\_\_\_

Minister's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Adult Sponsor who will be responsible for me at Youth Assembly: \_\_\_\_\_

I have read and signed the Community Covenant and agree to abide by this covenant while in attendance at the Assembly. I further understand that in consultation with my Sponsor I may be sent home if this covenant is broken.

Signature of Participant: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or guardian's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

*By registering for this event, I acknowledge that I may be photographed during this event and give my permission for the Christian Church in Georgia to post those photos on its website and use them in publicity and promotion of future events sponsored by the Christian Church in Georgia*

**Registration Deadlines and Costs**

Received before December 1 <sup>st</sup>	\$165
Received After December 1 <sup>st</sup> but on or before January 1 <sup>st</sup>	\$185
Received After January 1 <sup>st</sup> but on or before January 31 <sup>st</sup>	\$205

***(YAC youth pay \$85 before 12/1, \$95 before 1/1, or \$105 before 1/31)***

**ABSOLUTELY NO REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED IN FEBRUARY.  
ABSOLUTELY NO REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT FULL FEE**

Due to our covenant with Epworth by the Sea, participants must register according to the above schedule.

Submit online or send this form along with your signed Community Covenant and Emergency Release Form to:  
The Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in Georgia,  
2370 Vineville Avenue  
Macon, Georgia 31204-3163

Checks are to be made payable to The Christian Church in Georgia. Returned checks will result in a \$20 non-sufficient fee charge

# YOUTH ASSEMBLY COMMUNITY COVENANT

Out of respect for participants of this assembly I pledge myself to the following covenant:

1. I will be on time and present for all assembly activities.
2. I will respect the smoking policy of Epworth and abide by the no smoking policy of the Region of Georgia for youth 18 years or younger.
3. I will abstain from the use of alcohol, illegal drugs, firearms, fireworks, skateboards, and roller blades.
4. I will refrain from the use of offensive and insensitive language that denigrates any of God's creation.
5. I will not leave the Epworth grounds without checking out appropriately and being accompanied by an adult.
6. I will refrain from the use of electronic devices such as iPads, tablets, laptops, cell phones, or other such items outside of free time.
7. I will be open to making new friends.
8. I will be attentive to and respectful of the Keynoter's presentations.
9. I will respect all leadership of the Youth Assembly event.
10. I will report any safety concern to an adult sponsor or a member of YAC.
11. I will sleep in the cabin assigned to my youth group and abide by the specified curfew.
12. I will conduct myself in a Christ-like manner so that my actions might be a witness to my faith.
13. I will be open to trying something new and different.
14. I will be an active participant in times of singing, worship, total group assembly times, small group and fellowship activities.
15. I will have fun and help others to have fun.
16. I will adhere to the dress code set forth by the Christian Church in Georgia.

Signature of participant: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed name of participant: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

**This form must accompany registration**

# YOUTH ASSEMBLY 2019 EMERGENCY RELEASE FORM

February 22-24, 2019

Name of Youth: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies, medical conditions, or medications: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact (other than Parent/Guardian listed on page one): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Policy Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Doctor Name and Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that the adult sponsors from the above church/organization during this event will be responsible for the above named participant, for whom I am legally responsible. In case of an emergency, I give my permission for medical treatment to be administered. I grant permission for this individual to participate fully in said trip, and hereby give permission to take this participant to a doctor or hospital, if necessary, and hereby authorize medical treatment, including but not in limitation to emergency surgery or medical treatment. I assume the responsibility of all medical bills, if any are incurred. Further, should it be necessary for the participant to return home due to medical reasons, disciplinary action or otherwise, I will assume transportation costs.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent or Guardian signature/date

If the adult sponsors from the above church/organization decide to take the youth from the church/organization off the grounds of Epworth by the Sea, I give my permission for my child to go. I understand that the Christian Church in Georgia (Disciples of Christ) is not liable for accidents, injuries or events that may occur while my child is off the Epworth by The Sea premises.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent or Guardian signature/date

**Please make two copies, one to return to the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in Georgia with your registration form and one for an adult sponsor of this group to have on hand during this event. You must have a completed and signed Emergency Release Form to attend this event.**

## Youth Assembly 2019 High School Interest Groups

This year at Regional Youth Assembly, the high school youth will participate in interest groups on Saturday afternoon. Please rank your top 4 choices out of the interest group options below.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Trust:** learn about trusting yourself and others to accomplish larger goals.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Food:** learn about working with others by preparing a meal.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Drama:** explore your theatrical creativity to find new ways to serve.

\_\_\_\_\_ **What's Next?** (geared towards seniors): prepare for your next stage of life by exploring new things and reaffirming core principles.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Crafts:** create art with others to form a larger body of work to be shared.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Bible games:** play group building games involving Bible trivia.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Music:** spread good news and joy through making music with others.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Justice:** discuss difficult topics of injustice in the world, and explore ways to help.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Prayer:** learn different ways to pray and affirm its healing and helpful benefits.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Service:** learn new ways to serve others and grow your faith through mission opportunities.



**The Christian Church  
(Disciples of Christ) in Georgia  
Youth-A-Palooza 2018  
2370 Vineville Avenue  
Macon, GA 31204**

*Jackie Byrd and Carrie Norris,  
Regional Youth Directors*  
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February 2019

To: School Administrator  
From: Jackie Byrd and Carrie Norris, Regional Youth Directors  
RE: Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in Georgia  
Youth Assembly, Epworth By The Sea, St. Simons Island

I would like to request that you provide an excused absence for \_\_\_\_\_, a student in your school, on Friday February 22, 2019. This student will be participating in the Regional Youth Assembly of our denomination. Because of the travel involved, this young person needs to be absent for all or part of the day.

The Youth Assembly is a yearly event for the young people of our churches and is a most important part of their religious experience.

I will appreciate your consideration and cooperation in enabling this person to participate in this special, once-a-year Youth Assembly.

Sincerely yours,

Jackie Byrd and Carrie Norris  
Regional Youth Directors (DOC)

# WHAT TO BRING TO YOUTH ASSEMBLY

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- Casual Clothes
- Comfortable Walking Shoes
- Sleeping Bag or Bed Linens
- Pillow
- Towels
- Personal Hygiene Articles
- Bring a towel or blanket to sit on outside and a warm coat.
  - *(in case we have an outdoor worship)*
- Bible
- Pen and Paper
- Money for Offering
  
- A Positive Attitude
- Your Enthusiasm
- Your Love for Life
- Your Love for God
- Your Energy

## DO NOT BRING

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- Clothing that does not meet our dress code
  - *(short shorts, midriff shirts, spaghetti straps, inappropriate writing on shirts)*
- Illegal Drugs
- Alcohol
- Firearms
- Firecrackers
- Skateboards
- Roller Blades
- A Bad Attitude

## EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

You can call Epworth By the Sea and leave a message: **912-638-8688**