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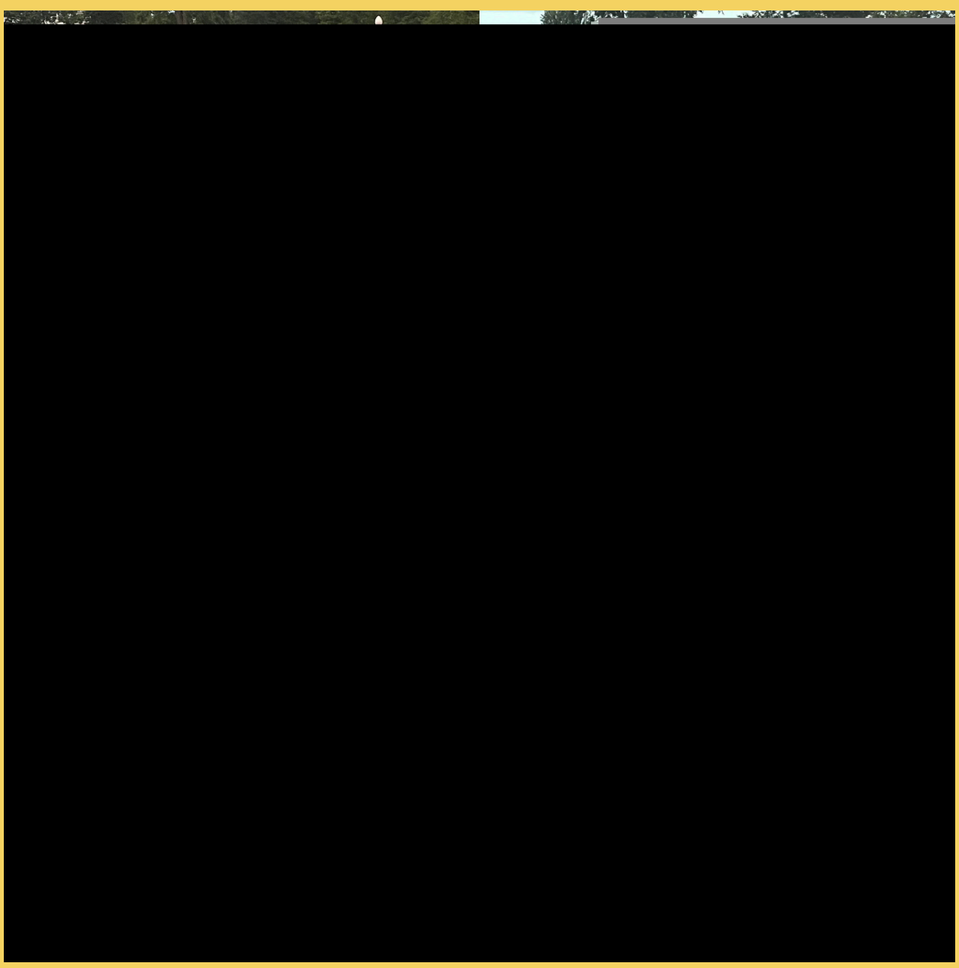
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McKnight Crossings Youth Group Newsletter

6/1/2026 - 6/8/2026

Happy Monday MXYG Family! Summer has officially kicked off — our intern has started, our new 6th graders have been blessed and inducted, VBS is in session, and we are ready to GO!

Thanks to the Grimshaw family for hosting our annual NextGen Summer Kickoff!



2025-26 Verse of the Year

“Crazy Love” | 1 Corinthians 13:4-7



Summer Theme — “LOL (Living Out Love)”

This summer on Wednesday nights we will take our theme from the year, “Crazy Love,” and learn what it looks like to actually live it out.

This Week’s Events

Wed | Jun 3

No Rooted this week. Join us for the final day of VBS on Wednesday!

Our Rooted summer theme begins next Wednesday.



Thu | Jun 4

One of our biggest events of the year starts this Thursday night! Be at MX at 9 PM. Pay $5 if you haven’t already. Pick up is at 8 AM Friday morning.

Sun | Jun 7

A new Intergenerational Summer Bible Class begins this Sunday for all teens and adults! Class will be in the gym.

This Sunday also kicks off what we call a “Super Summer Week” where there is something going on almost everyday that week!

Sun (6/7) - Church
Mon (6/8) - COTS
Tue (6/9) - See You at the Cafe
Wed (6/10) - Rooted
Fri (6/12) - The Alternative

Mon | Jun 8

Summer doesn’t mean we stop serving. Back to the streets on Monday!



Reminders | Announcements | Updates

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Available Registrations on Linktree & Church Center:

- Lock In (6/4 - 6/5)
- The Alternative (6/12)
- MS Mission Trip 2026 (6/15 - 6/17)
- HS Mission Trip (7/4 - 7/10)

The Alternative (6/12)

A brand new event that is planned with the intention to be an alternative to Johnson's Shut-Ins every other summer! Same activities, different locations.

$15/person. Please read the registration page for all details.



MS Mission Trip (6/15 - 6/17)

This trip is for those who are completing 5th-8th grade.

Check the registration page for all the details.

REGISTRATION DEADINE HAS PASSED!

HS Mission Trip (7/4 - 7/10)

Time to start signing up for the HS Mission Trip! This trip is for those who are completing 8th-12th grade.

Check the registration page for all the details.

Registration Deadline: Friday, June 19th.



Important 2026 dates to save:

- VBS (May 31-Jun 3)
- Camp Neotez: High School (Jun 14-20)
- Middle School Mission Trip (Jun 15-17)
- Camp Neotez: Middle School (Jun 21-27)

- High School Mission Trip (Jul 4-10)
- Camp Neotez: All Teen (Jul 19-25)
- Koinonia Retreat (Aug 2-4)
- School Year Mission Trip (Sep 11-13)
- The 24: Camping Trip (Oct 2-3)
- Refuge 2026 (Nov 6-8)

***Dates are subject to change. This is to help you with planning your 2026 calendars :) ***

Blessings

Continue to pray for our ministry this summer as we tackle a busy schedule, pray for our students, pray for our new 6th graders — Boone, Wesley, Samuel, Trinity, and Millie, that they may prosper and find a home here in MXYG. And truthfully, pray for me as well. That is always appreciated. Thank you!

As always, please don't ever hesitate to reach out with any questions, comments, or concerns.

Blessings,
Nathan

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