



SENIOR YOUTH SERIES

Autumn Term 2018-19

Series	Date	Session Title	Scripture	Description	
Launch Week	9 Sep 2018	TNG Sunday	-	Launching the new year with the church community.	
Apologetics <i>Holding To Truth</i>	16 Sep 2018	1. 'The Bible is Accurate and Reliable'	2 Timothy 3:10-17	To start the new ministry year, we're equipping our senior youths to hold on to biblical truth when bombarded with a host of worldviews, religions, and belief systems in this post-Christian and postmodern culture. Our faith isn't built upon a series of theological facts to be believed or debated. It isn't a series of wise teachings that we can follow or disregard, depending on our feelings each day...	
	23 Sep 2018	2. 'Atheism and Evolution'	John 3:1-21		
	30 Sep 2018	3. 'Islam'	John 14:1-11		
	7 Oct 2018	Fellowship / Focus Session		-	Intentional relationship-building or topical teaching.
	14 Oct 2018	4. 'Moralistic Therapeutic Deism'	Ephesians 1:15-23	... It's a changed life, a renewed heart, a worldview built on the person and work of Jesus. Teenagers today must be adequately equipped with a clear, solid understanding of biblical truth and skills to explain and defend their beliefs. Jesus set the standard by interacting with people in love — an attitude we should choose to put on too.	
	21 Oct 2018	5. 'Sharing Your Faith Without Being a Jerk'	Acts 17:16-32		
	22-26 Oct 2018	Half Term Week			
Reaching People on the Fringes <i>Caring For Those In Need</i>	28 Oct 2018	1. 'Why Do People Matter To Jesus?'	Mark 1:40-45	As our church journeys through a missional sermon series on bringing kingdom hope to the world, we will also be looking at God's heart for those on the fringes. Young people's lives are busy, with much of their activity centred on themselves. However, most want to make a positive difference in this world somehow. Being a follower of Jesus means caring about the people Jesus cares about.	
	4 Nov 2018	Mission Sunday Focus Session			-
	11 Nov 2018	2. 'Why Is It My Problem?'	Matthew 25:34-40		
	18 Nov 2018	3. 'Creative Ways To Serve People on the Fringes'	Galatians 5:22-26		
Jonah <i>Disobedience, Repentance, and Forgiveness</i>	25 Nov 2018	1. 'Running From God - Disobedience'	Jonah 1	Following on from Youth Easter Camp (YEC18), we'll be...	
	2 Dec 2018	Fellowship / Focus Session		-	
	9 Dec 2018	2. 'A Compassionate God - Forgiveness'	Jonah 3	...considering the different areas in life where there is the opportunity to obey or disobey God, and embrace God's forgiveness through repenting of any sin in their lives. The life of Jonah points us towards the coming of Jesus.	
	16 Dec 2018	3. 'The Advent of Something Greater'	Matthew 12:38-42		