



Bethel AME Youth Church Permission Form

Effective Dates: September 1, 2018 — August 31, 2019

A completed Universal Permission Form is required in order for any youth in PreK—12th grades (must be at least 3 years old and potty trained) to participate in youth church and its activities. Once submitted, this form is kept on file until the expiration date above. A separate one-page event permission form is required prior to each individual event that happens outside of youth church. Provide the church office updated information as changes occur.

YOUTH INFORMATION *(please print)*

Name _____ Grade _____ DOB _____ Male/Female

Nickname _____ School _____

Primary Address _____

Secondary Address _____

Youth Email _____

Youth Home Phone _____ Youth Cell Phone _____

Other extracurricular activities _____

Gifts/Talents _____

PARENT/ GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Name(s) _____

Email(s) (print clearly) _____

Street Address(es) (if different from youth) _____

List all phone numbers where the parent/guardian can be reached (type: i.e. home, cell)

Name _____ # _____ Type? _____

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EMERGENCY CONTACT (IF PARENT OR GUARDIAN CANNOT BE REACHED)

Name _____ # _____ Relation? _____

Name _____ # _____ Relation? _____

MEDICAL INFORMATION

YOUTH INFORMATION *(Please Print)*

Youth Full Name _____ Nickname _____

Home Phone _____ DOB _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN CONTACT INFORMATION

Parent/Guardian Name(s): _____

List ALL parent/guardian contact phone numbers in best order to be reached:

PRIMARY CARE PHYSICIAN

Physician's Name: _____

Phone(s) _____ Fax: _____

Name of practice: _____

Date of last Tetanus shot (required): _____

INSURANCE INFORMATION

Medical Insurance Company: _____ Phone: _____

Policy/Group ID#: _____

Policy Holder's Name (please print): _____

COPY OF INSURANCE CARD (REQUIRED)—Paste/attach copy here:

MEDICATION:

Parents are responsible for giving any medications to their children. Youth leaders will not be allowed to give children in Youth Church any medications.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS: Please answer in detail if applicable or write N/A. Attach additional pages if necessary.

1. List any medical conditions of youth (asthma, diabetes, epilepsy, etc.):
2. List any allergies (drug/medicine, food, and/or environmental) and the severity and type of reaction:
3. Please explain any other pertinent information about the participant (i.e. physical, behavioral, or emotional) that would be important for the adult leaders to know.

PARENTAL CONSENT

The undersigned does hereby give permission for my child _____ (child's name) ("Participant"), to attend and participate in any Bethel AME Youth Church ministry activities during the period of September 1, 2018 — August 31, 2019.

LIABILITY RELEASE: In consideration of Bethel AME Church allowing the Participant to participate in Youth Church (Sunday worship, Sunday meeting, Activities, Events, Retreats, Lock-Ins, Trips) and childcare, I, the undersigned, do hereby release, forever discharge and agree to hold harmless Bethel AME Church, its pastor, ministers, directors, employees, officers, volunteers and teachers (collectively herein the "Church") from any and all liability, claims or demands for accidental personal injury, sickness or death, as well as property damage and expenses, of any nature whatsoever which may be incurred by the undersigned and the Participant while involved in the children/youth activities and childcare. I, the parent or legal guardian of this Participant, hereby grant my permission for the Participant to participate fully in children/youth ministry activities and child care, including trips away from the church premises. Furthermore, I, on behalf of my minor Participant, hereby assume all risk of accidental personal injury, sickness, death, damage and expense as a result of participation in recreation and work activities involved therein. The undersigned further hereby agrees to hold harmless and indemnify said Church for any liability sustained by said Church as the result of the negligent, willful or intentional acts of said Participant, including expenses incurred attendant thereto.

MEDICAL TREATMENT PERMISSION: I authorize an adult, in whose care the minor has been entrusted, to consent to any emergency x-ray examination, anesthetic, medical, surgical or dental diagnosis or treatment and hospital care, to be rendered to the minor under the general or special supervision and on the advice of any physician or dentist licensed under the provisions of the Medical Practice Act on the medical staff of a licensed hospital or emergency care facility. The undersigned shall be liable and agrees to pay all costs and expenses incurred in connection with such medical and dental services rendered to the aforementioned child or youth pursuant to this authorization.

PHOTO PERMISSION: By initialing below, I give permission for my child's photograph to be used for church purposes in newsletters, newspapers, and social media, including the church's website, knowing their name will not be associated with any photograph. _____ Initial

Name of youth participant

Name of parent/guardian

x

Signature of parent/guardian

Date

Bethel AME Youth Church Worship Expectations

The following rules and guidelines are equally binding on adult leaders/chaperones and youth.

NON-NEGOTIABLE RULES

Any participant failing to abide by these rules will be suspended until a meeting is held with child and parent/guardian.

- No use of illicit drugs or alcohol
- Presence at and full participation in all group activities, including adherence to curfews and other time-related instructions
- No sexual misconduct (defined as exposure, touching, sexting, pornography, or inappropriate reference to body areas normally covered by undergarments)
- No biting
- Must be in assigned rooms by designated time
- Smoking and the use of tobacco products are not allowed.
- Will not break any American laws in the United States or any other country.

GUIDELINES FOR PARTICIPATION

- Adults and youth will be equally responsible for performing assigned tasks in a timely and cooperative manner.
- Participants will be respectful, encouraging, and will maintain a positive attitude toward others at all times, recognizing Christ's presence in each other.
- Participants will be respectful of people, common spaces, and the property of others.
- Participants will avoid the use of foul language, cursing, or any speech (including "humor") which puts down, makes fun of, or stereotypes other persons or groups.

Youth Participant's (or Adult Leader's) Statement: By signing this form, I pledge to honor God and respect others during this activity by following the rules and guidelines printed above. I understand that I cannot participate in the activity unless this completed form is on file.

x _____

Youth Participant's or Adult Leader's Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian's Statement: By signing this form, I agree to support the Worship Expectations printed above, and will accept responsibility for coming to retrieve my child's should s/he break one of the non-negotiable rules.

x _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature

Date