

**2011-2012
TEACHING GUIDE**



Wednesdays @ 6:30pm

ELEVATE (5th & 6th)

- Authentic Faith
- Healthy Friendships
- Moral Boundaries
- Others First
- Spiritual Disciplines
- Ultimate Authority
- Wise Choices

ECHO (7th - 12th)

- Re: Focus
- Re: Stored
- Re: Claimed
- Re: Verb
- Re: Wind
- Re: Main

Sundays @ 9:45am

CORE CLASSES

Middle School

- How to use the Bible
- Basic Christianity
- Worship
- Friendship
- Salvation
- Sharing Your Faith

Jr High

- New Testament Characters

High School

- Back to Basics
- Life of Joseph
- Romans
- Sermon on the Mount

D-GROUPS

Jr High | Kickoff on Sept 23

- Luke
- Philippians
- Proverbs

High School | Kickoff on Sept 11

- Basics of Faith
- Book of Ephesians
- Book of Mark

SPECIAL EVENTS

- Middle School 6th grade retreats
- Middle School SuperStart! - February 24-25
- Jr High retreat
- Jr High Believe - February 3-4
- High School 5th Quarters - Sept 16 & Oct 14
- Service Projects for all ages

ELEVATE

Christ's Church of Oronogo
5th & 6th grade | Wednesdays @ 6:30pm
Middle School Room



2011-2012 Youth Coach Field Guide

PURPOSE



We do what we do in the Student Ministry at Christ's Church *to boldly advance the Kingdom of God by equipping students to make the name of Jesus known & famous.*

We must **MAKE THE MOST OF EVERY OPPORTUNITY** we have to help students see that they are Known, Valued, and Loved – by God and by us.

One of the opportunities we have to encourage and equip our students is through our Wednesday night worship program called "ELEVATE".

To Elevate, means to lift something up higher, to a more significant level.

Ultimately it is our desire to "ELEVATE" the name of Jesus, so He is made known & famous. At ELEVATE, we want to provide a place where Middle School students can engage in elements of worship, games, large group teaching, small group discussion, and fun!

ELEVATE is a large group gathering of 5th & 6th grade students that meets on Wednesday nights from 6:30 pm-8:00 pm throughout the school year. We meet in the Middle School Room, on the campus of Christ's Church of Oronogo.

PLAN



We want to carry out our Purpose by:

- Building Genuine **RELATIONSHIPS** that Last.
- Providing **SERVICE** to the Broken and Lost.
- Telling the **TRUTH** about who God is.

We can't do this on our own! If we want to **MAKE THE MOST OF EVERY OPPORTUNITY** we have to help students see that they are Known, Valued, and Loved, so that they can make the name of Jesus Known, then we need some solid adult leaders who can invest in the lives of these Middle School students.

NEEDS



MENTORS

A Mentor is someone who genuinely comes alongside some students relationally, and gives them sound spiritual advice while pointing them to Jesus.

SURFERS

- **First 20:** make -5-6 personal connections with students
- **Middle 30:** engage in worship with students
- **Last 25:** reconnect and send off students

SEEKERS

- **First 20:** have 3-4 meaningful conversations with students
- **Middle 30:** engage in worship with students
- **Last 25:** reconnect and encourage students

DISCUSSION LEADERS

- **First 20:** build relationships with students
- **Middle 30:** engage in worship with students
- **Last 25:** lead a group of students in guided thoughts

SERVERS

A Server is someone who can joyfully assist with some hands-on tasks and responsibilities that must be done with excellence in order for us to make the most of the opportunities we have each week.

GREETERS

- **First 20:** welcome all students at check in tables
- **Middle 30:** pray for all students; make media contact with new students; engage in worship with students
- **Last 25:** reconnect with new students

ACTIVITY SUPERVISORS

- **First 20:** maintain control & safety for game room
- **Middle 30:** see that equipment is returned; walk thru & around the PreTeen area; engage in worship with students
- **Last 25:** reconnect & encourage