

# FLY Ministries August 2022

## <u>Faith L</u>utheran <u>Y</u>outh Middle School & High School News



# **Mission Trip Recap**

Our long-awaited mission trip has come to an end for this year! Serving in the Denver area was certainly a blessing as we served with many people who are passionate about being the hands and feet of Jesus in their communities. One of the questions we ask on these trips is "Who did you see Jesus in today?" This question becomes a trademark of our weeks. I could tell you constant stories about moments I saw God at work in our service partners, in our YouthWorks staff, and in the beauty of creation, but I want to talk about how I saw Jesus at work in the people that we

traveled with for the week. I saw Jesus in students who gave up their sports, jobs, families, and technology for the week. I saw Jesus in

adult leaders who took time off from their jobs to love these teenagers. I saw Jesus in kids that stepped up as leaders for the first time. I saw Jesus in the vulnerability that was shared on this trip. I saw Jesus in their joyful hearts while doing tasks that are less than ideal. I saw Jesus in leaders who were with a student in crisis. I saw Jesus in the tears, the laughter, the hardships, and the triumphs. God was surely at work on this trip and I encourage you to ask any participant where he or she saw Jesus on this trip (all of their stories will be different). Please join us for worship on Sunday, August 7, for Mission Trip Sunday to hear stories from our trip!



### What's Ahead

### **CONFIRMATION IMPORTANT DATES**

Wednesday, September 7 – *Robe Fitting for 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmands* @ 7PM

Wednesday, September 7 – Confirmation Kick off meeting for 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Families at 6:00 in the Faith Center

Wednesday, September 14 – Confirmation start date for  $7^{th}$  &  $8^{ih}$  grader students

### HIGH SCHOOL IMPORTANT DATES

Wednesday, August 3 – SENIOR SEND OFF

Sunday, August 7 – Mission Trip Sunday & Mission Trip Reunion

Wednesday, August 31 - Fall Visioning

Wednesday, September 7 – Fall Kickoff for FLY Night!

Contact Kristen Durst, Director of Youth and Family Ministry with any questions at kristenm@faithlc.com or 320-587-2093