

CCPC SPIRITUAL ROADMAP

**HIGH SCHOOL
(14-17 YEARS)**

WILL...

Experiences

- Regularly recommit their lives to Christ.
- Receive the sacraments of Baptism and Communion if not already doing so.
- Feel at home at church and want to invite other friends into that experience.
- Experience a post-graduation Rite of Passage as they transition from teenagers to adults; with responsibility for their own faith development.
- Actively serve in the church.
- Attend and serve in a cross cultural mission trip.
- Have a prayer partnership with a mentor.
- Be a part of a small discipleship group.
- Attend a youth conference.

Relationships

- Honor their parents through love and respect.
- Have 5 adults in the church they view as a mentor/leader/teacher/friend.
- Have connections with church leaders including staff, elders, deacons, volunteers, etc.
- Have 3 close friendships with peers within the church.
- Have a parent or close relative they would consider a spiritual mentor, engaging in regular faith conversations.
- Mentor and include younger students in youth group.

Biblical Knowledge

- Navigate the Bible with ease (able to find passages and stories).
- Articulate the story of the Bible from Abraham to Paul.
- Identify critical themes and theological concepts in Scripture and root them all in Jesus.
- Continue to commit scriptures to heart and apply them in appropriate context to their life.

- Regularly self-apply God's Word to their lives.
- Understand basic Christian apologetics and have familiarity with other major religions/philosophies.
- Know that sharing the gospel message is part of being a Christian.

Spiritual Habits

- Consistently participate in worship as well as Sunday and midweek CCPC youth programming and a small group.
- Establish an independent Bible reading/devotional time.
- Establish a consistent personal prayer time.
- Participate with their family in serving, in devotionals and in worship.
- Have a Biblical understanding of generosity and practice good stewardship.
- Regularly serve in the church; including potential leadership roles.
- Invite friends to church, and talk with those friends about faith outside of church.
- Comfortably express questions or doubts to a parent or other spiritual mentor.

Behaviors/Worldview

- Process the world through a spiritual, Christ-centered lens.
- Develop a growing vocational connection to their faith.
- Balance confidence in their faith with humility and an openness to learning more.
- Have a servant and missional mindset.
- Self-impose healthy technology boundaries.
- Develop positive personal habits.
- Be confident in talking about their faith with non-believers.
- Develop healthy identity and boundaries in all aspects of sexuality as they grow into a godly man or godly woman.
- Be comfortable and confident in personal interactions.
- Make time to mentor others.

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