



# *UPC Youth Time & Talent Inventory*

*(for all 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders)*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ 2007-08 Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*Please circle your response to each question:

**TIME**

1. On average, how much time are you able to devote to UPC and its ministries each week?  
(This includes worship, UPC mission projects, Sunday School, and other youth events.)

1-2 hours      3-4 hours      5-6 hours      7-8 hours      9+ hours

**MISSION & SERVICE**

2. Would you like to participate in more mission & service activities?      Yes      No

3. Which of the following interests you? (Circle all that apply.)

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|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|
| Food pantry           | Soup Kitchen                         | Nursing Homes          | Hospital visits |
| Visitation w/ elderly | CROP Walk/AIDS Walk                  | 30 Hour Famine         |                 |
| Playing w/ children   | Fundraising for local agencies       | ONE Campaign           |                 |
| Mexico Mission Trip   | Food Drives                          | Painting/Fixing a home | Yard Work       |
| Homelessness          | Interfaith Hospitality Network (IHN) | Prayer Vigil           |                 |

\*\*If you have other mission ideas, please list here: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*If you would like to assist a specific agency, list here: \_\_\_\_\_

**WORSHIP & MUSIC**

4. Which of the following interests you? (Circle all that apply.)

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|-----------------------------------|--|-----------------------|---------------|
| Greeting                          | Ushering (bulletins/offering)          | Reading Scripture     | Taizé worship |
| Saying a Prayer                   | Singing a solo or in an ensemble       | Singing with a choir  |               |
| Playing in a Youth Band/Orchestra | Writing a prayer/liturgy               | Leading music         |               |
| Writing a Sermon                  | Acting out a Scripture (drama)         | Serving as a Crucifer |               |
| Collecting Food Offering          | Playing an instrument, which is: _____ |                       |               |

*Please continue on reverse side...*

## **FELLOWSHIP**

5. Which of the following interests you? (Circle all that apply.)

All-Church Events

All Youth Events

MS Youth or HS Youth Only Events

Mother's Day Luncheon

Father's Day Chili Cook-Off

Rally Sunday

"Mystery Meal"

4 Ps

Bowling

Movies

Ding-Dong Hockey

Ropes Course

Coffee Talk

Lock-ins

Mini-Golf

Board Games

Sports

Swimming

Camping

**Presbytery retreats:**

Main Event

Mid-Winter Retreat

Youth Rally

**Summer Conferences:**

Triennium

Mo Ranch—Celebration & Jubilee

John Knox Ranch

[If you have other fellowship ideas, please list here: \_\_\_\_\_]

## **YOUTH**

6. Which of the following interests you? (Circle all that apply.)

Bulletin Boards

Photography

Photo Albums/Scrapbooks

Website Design

Website Building

Helping to plan youth events

Sunday School

Sunday Night Youth Group

Youth Sunday

## **SKILLS**

7. Which of the following do you (or your parents & friends) believe are your best skills?

Public Speaking

Working with a Team

Writing Prayers/Liturgy

Leading Prayers

Meeting New People

Writing Notes/Cards

Listening

Sharing

Encouraging Others

Welcoming Others

Raising Money

Calling Other Youth

Designing Displays/Posters

Planning events

Thinking of New Ideas

Leading a group (study, game, music, etc.)

Web Design

8. **FILL IN THE BLANK:** What is your favorite aspect of the UPC youth ministry programs?

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9. Are you interested in serving on a **Committee** (i.e., mission, stewardship, etc.) for one year? Yes No

10. Are you interested in serving as a **Youth Elder** & serving on the Session for one year? Yes No

11. Are you interested in serving as a **Youth Deacon** & attending Deacon meetings for one year? Yes No

*Please place completed inventory in an offering plate during worship, or return to Rebecca Chancellor, Director of Youth & Children's Ministries Thank you!! ☺*