

**GUIDELINES FOR CHURCH PARTICIPATION
IN PRESBYTERY EVENTS FOR YOUTH**

Presbytery of Lake Michigan

Mid High Youth Mix; February 24-26, 2012

1. The Presbytery will sponsor activities for youth only when adequate supervision can be provided.
2. There will be a minimum of two adults present at all Presbytery-sponsored activities involving youth with a maximum ratio of one adult to ten youth.
3. If the Presbytery design requires that the youth be supervised by adults from their congregation, to the extent possible, gender-appropriate adults are required. Please indicate on the line below the name(s) of any youth from your church who will be attending without an adult of the same gender.

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4. In private sleeping quarters, there will be two gender-appropriate adults present (except where parents are responsible for their own youth).
5. Supervision will be maintained before and after all activities until all youth are dismissed according to the wishes of their parents or their local church adult leaders.
6. Any activity for youth will require written permission, which includes a code of conduct and disciplinary consequences.

I have read and understand the Presbytery of Lake Michigan's *Guidelines for Church Participation in Presbytery Events for Youth*.

Signed _____
(church representative)

Church _____ City _____

Date _____

Please mail this form, along with the STUDENT REGISTRATION, COVENANT and PARENTAL RELEASE and ADULT PARTICIPANT REGISTRATION and COVENANT forms and payment (\$50 per youth; [no charge for adults]) to:

First Presbyterian Church

Attention: Amy Kalkman

405 N. M-37 Highway

Hastings, MI. 49058

Registration forms and payment are due by Monday, February **13**.

Checks are payable to the **Presbytery of Lake Michigan**.