

REPORT FOR FOURTH QUARTERLY CONFERENCE  
METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

The work of the Youth Fellowship has been progressing very well during the year. The average attendance at the morning session was 70, and at the evening league service 50 in winter, 30 in summer.

Budget: Pledges for the new year amounted to \$110. Amount raised by the fellowship during the year was 258.57. Expenses for the year amounted to 158.57. Balance on hand at present time \$100.00.

Worship Commission: Worship programs have been handled very capably by the young people at both morning and evening services. The young people have taken a very active part in preparing special worship programs.

Mission & World Friendship: World Comradeship Fund pledge for the year was paid in full. Special missionary services were held at regular intervals with guest speakers. Two special offerings for special missionary work were taken.

Community Service: This commission has not been too active. Special services planned for Thanksgiving and Christmas. The fixing-up of the youth Lounge has been the major activity.

Recreation: Varied and entertaining recreational events were held each month. Recreation commission has been especially active in promoting interest in the youth fellowship.

Special activities: (1) Many of our young people have been in regular attendance in the church choir.

(2) On average of 10-15 young people were actively engaged in Loyalty Crusade and Membership campaign of the church.

(3) Every youth fellowship officer attended the church school officers dinner.

(4) One major accomplishment was the "Youth Angelus" service established last spring; this was first carried on every evening of the week with a young person in charge of the service--later changed to Sunday evenings only.

(5) Several members of the youth fellowship united with our church by transfer of membership from other churches.

(6) Main event of the summer was our Week-end Retreat at Crabtree. 40 members of the Youth Fellowship attended this retreat. Guest speakers and teachers gave us a very profitable week-end of religious instruction.

(7) Members of the fellowship attended the Louisburg and Junaluska conferences.

(8) The first issue of The Beacon--new youth fellowship paper--came out last month. This has created quite an interest in youth activities.

On behalf of the Youth Fellowship, I want to thank the W.S.C.S. for handling the evening suppers during the year. On behalf of myself, I want to say that I have certainly enjoyed working with your Duke Memorial young people. I have never seen a more loyal and enthusiastic group. With the prayers and help of the adults, I think you can expect great things from your Duke Memorial Youth Fellowship in the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

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