## **New Road Youth Group**

## Empowering our Youth to Spread the Gospel

The Youth Group is composed of all students in the 6th thru 12th grades. Our purpose is to encourage and lead students to know the love of Jesus Christ and to help share hope to the world He came to save.

There are many activities offered for the Youth Group. Over the past year and a half, things had to change and adjust to account for the coronavirus. But we've successfully begun and carried throughout the year devotionals twice a week via Zoom. These have been very successful, reaching our kiddos at New Road while also reaching kids from other youth groups who weren't able to do anything at all. We are still doing these on Tuesdays and Thursdays. We try to have several service projects throughout the year. One of our biggest events every year is the Leadership Camp where many of our students go. Many of our students have been baptized there and learn to become leaders in their youth group.

This year will include a Lads to Leaders/Leaderettes Program and also a Bible Bowl Program that will help encourage our youth to study and be trained to be leaders in their homes and churches.

As a result of the many activities and opportunities offered to our students to lead, several of our young men have in the past made the decision to pursue ministry as their career choice.