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Greetings Youth and Parents:

We are very excited about this upcoming church year in Youth Ministry. The youth and the young adult group will be embarking on a seven day mission trip to Tucson, Arizona through the Praying Pelican Missions Organization. This experience, scheduled for **June 8-14, 2014** will help both our youth and young adults grow closer to the Lord while helping others who are in need.

Tucson, truly an uncommon city in the American southwest, is the oldest continually lived-in city in the United States and is a welcoming and diverse community of over 100 people groups. Our plan is to help local community churches with Vacation Bible School (VBS) in addition to ministering to the community with evening worship sessions.

In the following months, all interested persons must participate in monthly local missionary sessions. These activities are designed to further prepare and train our youth and young adults for more effective outcomes in providing missionary services. We are, therefore, asking parents to render their support as an effort to ensure attendance at these sessions.

The cost of this trip is approximately \$850. Part of the experience of mission work is raising funds to aid the community along with the payment of the trip. It is imperative that each youth participate in the 2 major fundraisers scheduled for November 2013 and March 2014. We will be working very closely with parents and youth to ensure individual efforts to raise funds to cover any expenses for their trip.

In order for Parkway Baptist Church Youth Ministry to hold our spot with Praying Pelican, a deposit of \$50 per person is needed by **October 31st, 2013**. All checks should be made to payable to: Parkway Baptist Church.

We are so excited that you and your youth are interested in this life changing trip. If you have any questions or concerns please email Sis. Sheena Sewell at (sheenasewell@gmail.com). If you want to learn more about Praying Pelican Ministries, please visit their website at: www.prayingpelicanmissions.org

Every blessing,

Rev. Donald Lawrence

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