

## **What Awana at WBC Has Meant to Me**

*I cannot express how much Awana has been such a meaningful place for me to grow and serve in for the past six years. No matter the season of life I was in, whether it was joy, grief, exhaustion, or anything else, Awana has been a respite, a home and a family. I have had the privilege of serving each Wednesday.*

*Ysa Journey, 12<sup>th</sup> grade March 2021*

*The Bible studies at Awana have probably been the greatest route by which my faith has grown, and I have learned innumerable lessons which I will take with me for the rest of my life.*

*Luke S. Journey, 11<sup>th</sup> grade March 2021*

*While much of my middle and high school life has been punctuated by change, Awana represented the constancy and fulfilling love of Christ.*

*Ysa Journey, 12<sup>th</sup> grade March 2021*

*This is my first year of Awana and I've really enjoyed working with the adorable children.*

*Alana Journey, 10<sup>th</sup> grade March 2021*

*Awana ...has cemented me in a lifetime of faith.*

*Luke S. Journey, 11<sup>th</sup> grade March 2021*

*To me, Awana wasn't just a way I could go to church, but one avenue to be a part of the church. It's an incredibly beautiful mix of giving and being poured into, sharing in community and reaching out, and knowing God and being known by Him.*

*Ysa Journey, 12<sup>th</sup> grade March 2021*

*Getting to work with the kids has been a blessing and I only hope that someday when I am older, I will have access to such a great program for my kids.*

*Luke S. Journey, 11<sup>th</sup> grade March 2021*