Dear Awana Club Member:

We want to reach out to each of you and give an update on the start of the Awana Club at First Baptist Church. We struggle with what is the right thing to do. On one hand, it is our desire to get back to normal, on the other hand we do not want to put anyone in harms way. With the recent uptick in COVID-19 cases in York, we know that we are not past the possibility of contracting this virus. We are concerned about you who participate, the volunteers who minister to you, and your family members and friends. With that in mind, we have decided to hold off starting Awana Club until January, 2021.

I know for some of you this may seem extreme to hold off until next year, but I know there are some that are relieved and want to take every possible caution to avoid the possibility of spreading this virus. I would rather err on the side of caution than to face the possibility of an outbreak. It is with this spirit that we have decided to pause.

We will continue to reach out to you and send out worksheets and information. Ask your parents to sit down with you and go over this together. Take the time to bond together, work together, pray together, play together, to build a stronger family.

I pray that God will protect each one of you and your family so we can soon come together and be able to say with all of our hearts "What a Mighty God We Serve."

Blessings to you,

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