

2026 YOUTH BIBLE BOWL

WHY DO IT? It is one great way for youth to study the Word of God on their own and in groups.

BIBLE BOWL: Competition of teams (3 or 4 players) in verbal quiz format. Also an individual, written competition.

TOPIC: **“The Gospel of John”** (The English Standard Version will be used.)

WHO: 7th through 12th graders from churches throughout Minnesota North and South Districts.
Form teams in your church: no limit of (4) person teams per church; limit of three (3) person teams per church

COMPETITION: One Double Elimination TEAM Tournament. Saturday, April 18, 2026 at CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY, ST. PAUL, 275 N. Syndicate, St. Paul.
Registration at 8:30 - 9:00 A.M. Begin at 9:00 A.M., break for lunch, and end in afternoon.

Also INDIVIDUAL competition on a 50 question written test.

COST: \$40.00 Per team.

REGISTRATION Send **\$40.00** per team, with names of each participant to:
Rev. Rudy Maurer
P.O. Box 113; New Richland, Minnesota 56072
Checks may be made payable to “MN State Bible Bowl.”

Deadline for registration is March 30, 2026.

ONGOING: Lord willing, the Bible Bowl will continue to be an annual event.

CONTACT:

Pastor Rudy Maurer, PO Box 113, New Richland, MN 56072
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RULES: Please contact one of the above.

*It could be a good time for youth, counselors, families to have an overnighter.

Rev. Rudy Maurer - Youth Bible Bowl Contact Person for MN South District

Rev. Steve Breitbarth - Youth Bible Bowl Contact Person for MN North District

We thank Concordia University, St. Paul for hosting and helping sponsor the 2026 Minnesota State Bible Bowl.

“But these things are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, and that by believing you may have life in His name.”