## **FUMCT GIRLS' SOFTBALL LEAGUE MISSION STATEMENT**

AT FUMCT OUR MISSION IS TO MAKE DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST FOR THE TRANSFORMATION OF THE WORLD.

We practice 5 cores values in pursuit of our mission: Radical Hospitality, Passionate Worship, Intentional Faith Development, Extravagant Generosity, and Risk-taking Mission and Service.

The same mission, and core values apply to Recreational Ministry, and FUMCT Girls' Softball League.

We practice Radical Hospitality by creating an atmosphere for all to participate. We demonstrate the love of Christ and welcome everyone into this community of faith. We are purposeful in cultivating new friendships and community growth.

We practice Passionate Worship with every opportunity for fellowship in supportive, Christ-centered activity. Each game is opened and closed with prayer, every play and player are covered in praise to Christ who gives us strength.

Intention Faith Development is practiced as we teach and lead by example the Christian values affirmed by FUMCT through sports to all who participate.

We practice Extravagant Generosity by giving generously of our time and talent to teach sportsmanship, the fundamentals of softball, and the love and acceptance of Christ.

When at a ballpark and one hears "Heads Up!" but you can't tell exactly what direction the warning is coming from; Risk-taking Mission and Service are practiced here. Kids this age start to form tight friendship groups, and this is a good thing for many reasons. However, in expanding our circles to include new friends, we are able to build the Body of Christ in our community.

FUMCT encourages having a healthy spirit, mind, and body.

FUMCT Girls' League Softball emphasizes fundamentals, teamwork, fair play, cooperation, and respect for the officials, one's self, one's teammates, and the other team.