

KIDHAPPENINGS

FOR OUR PRE-SCHOOL & ELEMENTARY AGE CHILDREN

Vacation Bible

School: All children ages three years to finished sixth grade are invited to join us for VBS during the week of July 6-10 from 9:00 a.m. to noon. Our theme this year is "Museum at 12627" where we will explore the mystery of God's love. We will have singing, crafts, stories, snacks, recreation, and lots of fun! Bring a friend and bring your Bible. **Parents: Save time by signing the attendance sheets in the foyer of the church.** They are available now!



Promotion Sunday: All children will move up to their new classes on Sunday, September 13. We will recognize all 1st and 4th graders that Sunday in KidZone by presenting them with a Bible. If you have a child entering 1st and 4th grade in the fall, please call the church office. We don't want to miss anyone!

Summer Reading: Our summer Bible reading program is in full swing. It's not too late to start.

Pick up your sheet from the Children's Bulletin Board today!

Special August Worship

Services: We will have some special Children's Worship Services for children in grades 1-5 during August. We will meet in room 209 on Sunday, August 9 and 16 at 11:05. Plus, don't

miss KidZone on August 2!



Are you having
Fun yet?



Middle School

Wednesday Nights — Join us July 1st and 39th at the church for Bible study from 7:00-8:30 p.m. In August we'll meet only once—August 12th, same time.

Sunday, July 5th—All-Church Picnic and we're serving lunch! Yahoo!!!

Wednesday, July 8th—Manly Man Challenge—Pro Putt! Meet at the church at 7:00 p.m. Cost is \$5. Parents pick up at 9:00 at the church.

July 13-16—Mission trip to Columbus. We leave on the 13th at 11:00 a.m. Return the 16th at 7:00 p.m. See Moby for details!

Sunday, July 19th—Bring your Bible and Dave Ramsey stuff! We meet 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, July 22nd—Girls Hike and Picnic. We'll leave at 10:00 a.m. and return by 2:00. Bring a lunch.



Saturday, Aug. 1st—Manly Man Challenge—UFC Night
 (Unbelievable Frisbee Challenge)
 6:00-9:30 p.m. Meet here.

Saturday, Aug. 15th—8th Graders Promotion Dinner. Meet here at 4:30, return by 10:00 p.m.

Sunday, Aug. 16th—Bible study from 6:00-8:00 p.m. Bring your Bible and Dave Ramsey Stuff.

Wednesday, Aug. 19th—Girls bonfire from 7:30-10:00 p.m. at the church.



What can YOU do this summer to serve? Mow your neighbor's lawn while they're on vacation? Visit or Run some errands for a shut-in? Babysit for a stressed-out mom? There are lots of options. Don't just sit around. Let your light shine!!!

Every Tuesday in July & August

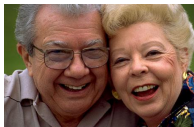
— Bible study at Apperson's.
Come for food, fellowship, Bible study and swimming! Bring a 2-liter of pop or a snack to share (chips, cookies, brownies, etc.)
Done by 8:45 p.m.

VBS July 6-10—We can still use Sr. High volunteers. See Zach or Cindy.

July 19-25 Mission Trip—We're rebuilding after tornado damage in Columbus, Indiana. We still have about two seats open! See Zach ASAP if you're interested.

CEDAR POINT—August 11th!
Invite your friends, the more the merrier!

August 14-15—All Sr. High
Camping at Atwood State Park.

**GENERATIONS**

Thursday, July 9th—We're going to Malabar Farm. We'll do some shopping and have lunch there. Meet here at 10:00 a.m.

Sunday, July 19th—We'll go to "The Barn" for lunch and then to the Living Bible Museum in Mansfield. We'll leave at 11:00 a.m.

Thursday, July 23rd—Let's go to the Cheesecake Factory and Legacy Village. Meet here at 10:00 a.m.

Thursday, August 6th—Meet us at the church at 9:00 a.m. to go to Marietta, Ohio.

We'll visit Fenton Glass, have lunch at the Lafayette Hotel and take a ride on the Valley Gem Sternwheeler. Cost for the boat ride is \$9.



Friday, August 28th—We're off to the Portage County Fair. Meet here at 10:00 a.m.

Please sign up for these activities at the Welcome Center or call Larry Werstler (330-492-2642).

KICK-A-POO

In June we sent a team from our church, including several families to Oklahoma as we have in years past. This year, we had the best week ever as far as connecting with people! God worked through so many things. We ministered to between 87-108 kids daily through VBS and other activities.

Our work team did prep work for their community building and they were able to finish a sidewalk project as well as install two basketball hoops on the playground.

On the last day, we had open prayer and several of the kids prayed the prayer of salvation! What a blessing to see the fruits of God's labor through us.

Thank you to all who helped us financially, spiritually through prayer and through donations. We were truly blessed and we look forward to an opportunity to return again next year!

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Faith*****September 18-20, 2009**

Join women from across Eastern Region for a wonderful weekend in beautiful Pennsylvania's Seven Springs Resort.

Our special guest speaker is Carol Kent, a popular international public speaker best known for being dynamic, humorous, encouraging, and biblical.

There will be a silent auction, workshops, a banquet celebration and lots of fellowship!

Pick up a brochure at the Welcome Center. Registration deadline is August 15th!