

Kids/Youth/Family/Education Notes



2012 Youth Mission Trip

On July 15-21, 2012 we will have eleven youth and four adults travel to the Red Lake Indian Reservation in Minnesota to help work on buildings for those who are unable to do it themselves. We will be having a number of fundraisers throughout the year to support the team. This month we hosted a potato bar after church.

for more photos, go to the fundraiser link. Thanks to all who participated and donated. We made over \$500!

Cookbooks are still available at the church office. They are now half price... \$5.

Sunday School:

Kids: We will continue to donate our offering to Dave Webster, our missionary in Zambia. Come see our beehive grow as we donate add one bee for each dollar donated. We have almost 200 bees in our hive!

The children are now studying about some of the characters from the Old Testament. Our songs on February 26th will be about Moses and the Pharaoh.

On February 12th we had a party to celebrate Valentine's Day. The kids made cards and crafts, and decorated cookies.



Adult Educational Opportunities:

We have two adult classes that meet on Sunday morning at 9:00.

The Adult Forum meets in the lounge for a variety of discussion topics dealing with the Christian faith. Look for their topic schedule on the website 'home' page.

Beyond Sunday is a more traditional Bible study class, geared toward young parents. They meet in the fellowship hall.

Anyone is welcome to attend either class.



Additional Bible Studies: If Sunday morning doesn't work out for you, or you would like additional Bible Study with a group, Pastor Joe will be offering a study on the first and third Tuesdays of the month at 11:00. We are just finishing up our study on the minor prophets and then will start a new study to be decided.

We also have a class on Sunday meeting once a month called "Making Sense of Scripture". This is especially offered to our Sunday School teachers but is open to anyone who is interested. The book we are studying is a book *about* the Bible, explaining enough of the Bible's history and nature to make it more accessible to you. It is a book on *how to read and understand the Bible*. Our next meeting time will be Sunday, February 19. We will meet at 12:15. Bring a lunch and eat after worship or go grab a bite and come back. If you have questions, contact Ricki at 473-4139.

Junior High Convo

Convo is in Sheboygan this year on April 20-22. Anybody in grades 6-8 is eligible to go. The cost is \$79/person before April 2. This includes a T-shirt and one night at the water park. If you are interested in going, contact Ricki at the church for more information.

Dates to Mark on your Calendar

February 26: Kids sing in church

March 25: Kids sing in church "Cool Under Fire"

April 1, Palm Sunday: Kids sing in church "Mantos y Palmas"

April 8, Easter Sunday: Youth lead Sunrise service
NO SUNDAY SCHOOL

April 20-22: Jr High Convo in Sheboygan

May 6: kids sing at the DORCHESTER

May 20: Last day for Sunday School till Fall