



First Pres Kids

August 2007

Matthew 19:14 - but Jesus said, "Let the children come to me, and do not hinder them; for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven."

A Summer Full of Fun and Friends

A **HUGE THANK YOU** goes to all who assisted over the summer with our children's events: Terrific Tuesday, Wonderful Wednesday, Thundering Thursday and the Lock-In. We had a blast this summer as we traveled to the South Carolina Aquarium, Swan Lake, Camp Pee Dee and Ovis Hill Farms, and enjoyed time on church campus studying the importance of prayer.



Randi Ryan, Emma Eason, Hunter Morgan, Gresham Hindman, Carrigan Spearman, Margaret Roland Weishuhn, Katherine Watts and Meredith Worthington at the South Carolina Aquarium.



Vica Fuller and Lilly Williams enjoy a cool pool after the Terrific Tuesday's end-of-the-year Water Day Party.

AUGUST MEMORY VERSES

August 5th - Pleasant words are a honeycomb, sweet to the soul and healing to the bones. Proverbs 16:24

August 12th - He who is kind to the poor lends to the LORD, and he will reward him for what he has done. Proverbs 19:17

August 19th - As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another. Proverbs 27:17

August 26th - Fear of man will prove to be a snare, but whoever trusts in the LORD is kept safe. Proverbs 29:25

Christian Education Sunday August 26, 2007

Please be sure to mark your calendars and make plans to attend the first day of the new Sunday school year. Our children will move to their new class and we will be recognizing our rising 1st and 6th graders during the worship service.

AUGUST CHAPTER CHALLENGE

August 5th – Proverbs 16

August 12th – Proverbs 19

August 19th – Proverbs 27

August 26th – Proverbs 29

On Vacation

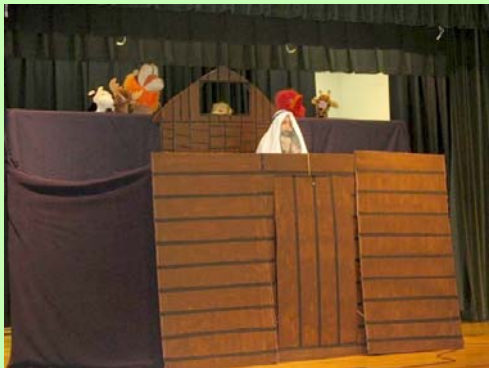
Kelly Boone will be on vacation beginning Monday, July 30th through Saturday, August 4th. If you need assistance during her absence, please contact Hope Whaley, Administrative Assistant at 662-2583.

I've Got Rhythm, I've Got Music, I've Got Jesus!

Do you love to worship the Lord? Do you want to be used to lead our precious children in worship? We are looking for a team of volunteers who will do this for the preschoolers and elementary children on Sunday mornings beginning in the fall. If you are interested please contact Margaret Linn Weishuhn at 661-5492. Won't you help our young ones to love our Lord and Saviour?

Presbyterian Playhouse

It is with GREAT excitement to introduce "Presbyterian Playhouse" our new Wednesday night children's program. We will be kicking off our fall programs with a Congregational Picnic/Carnival on Wednesday, August 29th from 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. and the new classes will begin on Wednesday, September 5th. Please be sure to mark your calendars.



Shelly Hucks, portraying Noah, has joined the "cast" of P.I.G.S (Puppets In God's Service). P.I.G.S is a puppet ministry that teach our children many aspects of the Bible through fun performances.

School Supplies Needed

Thornwell Home for Children is in need of school supplies to help send their children off to school this year. They have 30 elementary students and 42 sixth-twelfth graders. The greatest need is for large book bags (no rollers), 3-ring binders (various sizes), pencil pouches, hi-lighters, index tab dividers, folders (with brackets), permanent markers (Sharpies), and hand sanitizer. If you would like to help with this great need, please bring items to Kelly Boone by August 19th.

Parent's Night Out



Even though bad weather cancelled the planned water activities, all the parents, and children still enjoyed a fun Parent's Night Out filled with games, crafts, and a movie.

Tween Retreat

On August 10th FPC will be kicking off a new Ministry for our rising 6th graders, our Tweens, at Camp Pee Dee. We will meet at the church on Friday, August 10th at 5:00 pm and will return on Sunday at 12:00 p.m. The purpose of this ministry is to reach out, encourage, equip and embrace our children and help them develop a strong faith as they experience God's unconditional love. We want to encourage all rising 6th graders to participate in this wonderful ministry. Please contact Kelly Boone with any questions or concerns, and to register your child(ren).

Upcoming July Events

Tween Retreat:

August 10th – 12th Camp Pee Dee

Christian Education Sunday:

Sunday August 26th

Carnival:

Wednesday August 29th 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.

If you have any question or comments regarding this newsletter or any of the Children Ministry programs please contact Kelly Boone (662-2583).