

## 2019 Helper Information and Schedule

*Emmanuel Lutheran Church*

**Helpers are those entering 7th grade to adult**

*Open to 6th graders with prior permission of camp leader (Janet or Lisa)  
but must return to camper status for the afternoon.*

### **What does a HELPER do?**

- Be relational with kids! Connect and care for campers. Learn their names!
- Lead campers in small groups to daily activities
- Be enthusiastic! Help bring energy to games, songs, worship, etc
- Set a good example for campers
- Help with camp organization and space transitions

### **Sunday, June 16, 6pm (to 8pm)**

HELPER ORIENTATION AND PIZZA DINNER - ALL YOUTH HELPERS MUST ATTEND (dinner, ice breaker games, orientation, policies, preparation)

### **Mon-Fri, June 17-21, 8:30am**

ALL YOUTH HELPERS SHOULD ARRIVE BY 8:30am (as early as 8am) - be sure to bring a sack lunch/water. The full day camp ends at 3pm.

### **Wednesday, June 19, 7pm (to 9pm)**

HELPER NIGHT - WOO HOO!! GAMES/ICE CREAM WITH LUTERHAVEN STAFFERS

### **Thursday, June 20, 6-7:30pm**

FAMILY BBQ NIGHT - HELPERS SHOULD ATTEND

### Some expectations/reminders for Helpers:

- Always wear your helper lanyard. This will help set you apart from the campers, and make it easier for parents to identify junior staff and staff.
- If you need to leave early, or want to leave for lunch, you need to contact Janet (or Lisa or Deb) in advance for permission.
- All helpers should be spread among the kids, not standing together with another helper.
- Always take 2 kids to the bathroom, not 1, for personal safety.
- No kids on laps, side hugs only, again for personal safety.
- In the sanctuary, encourage kids to move and sing, by being an example. Smile, sing audibly, big movements.
- Be aware of special needs and help those children according to their parental recommendations with kindness and respect.
- Cell phones must be out of sight – please keep them in your pockets and refrain from using them as much as possible during this time.

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