# YOUTH NEWSLETTER MAY 2017

## **OPEN YOUTH ROOM SCHEDULE:**

The Open Youth Room schedule for May is as follows. We will meet on May 7 and 21 beginning at 6:30 and concluding at 8:00 p.m. All Sixth-Grade students through Senior in high school are invited to attend. Friends are always welcomed. We will have a devotion, go over upcoming events, and have some fun fellowship time and food.

### WORKER BEE WEEKEND:

Our annual Worker Bee Weekend will bring us back to Walcamp in Kingston, II. We will depart on Friday, May 5 at 4:30 p.m. and should return around the same time on Saturday. Work will begin on Saturday. You will need to bring a sleeping bag, pillow, toiletries, work clothes, and sleepwear. Check the weather to see what else you might need to pack regarding clothing.

You will need money to cover the cost of dinner on Friday night. All other food will be provided. Remember this trip is open for all high school students and middle school public school students. If you have any questions please contact Mr. Grady.

## PLANT SALE:

May 13 is the delivery date for the plants. The truck should arrive around 6:30 a.m. After unloading and sorting by plant types, we will sort by families. Pick up will begin around 9:00 a.m. and should conclude by 10:30 a.m. Clean up should last no longer than 30 minutes.

Refreshments will be available. However, if you want coffee you will need to bring your own. We will have juice available.

Remember that this is a point for youth and parents. Thank you to all those who placed orders or got us some new customers.

#### **BIKE RIDE DOWNTOWN:**

The annual bike ride around Chicago is being planned for Saturday, May 20. We will take the train downtown which leaves the Hinsdale station at 8:55 a.m. Meet at the school at 8:00 a.m. We will bike for a couple of hours and then have lunch. You will need to bring your lunch in your own backpack. We are not going out to eat. There will be some time to walk around before we catch the train back to Hinsdale. There will be a waiver for this event.

Cost for the train and bike rental will be \$20. Sign-up sheets are in the Youth Room and the Grade 8 classroom. Friends are invited to attend. Drivers will be needed to transport us to and from the train station. If there is an adult who would like to bike with the group, let Mr. Grady know.

# VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:

Trinity's Vacation Bible School is right around the corner. We will meet June 19-23 from 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. The sign-up sheet is in the Youth Room and the Grade 8 classroom. Please put what level you would like to work with next to your name. Please make sure you can work the whole week. If you have questions you can contact Mr. Grady.

# WORKCAMP:

High School Workcamp is only two months away. Very shortly you will receive your packet with final instructions and final cost. There will be one special meeting scheduled in June for all participants. You will be contacted soon for t-shirt sizes. Remember that you will be sleeping on an air mattress that you need to purchase on your own. The list of what you need to bring was given out at the parent meeting in February. If you need another one contact Mr. Grady. Watch for more details coming soon.

# WEEK OF HOPE:

We are a little over two months away for our Middle School Week of Hope trip to Grand Rapids, Michigan. Things are falling into place. You will receive a packet with details on the trip in June. You will need an air mattress to sleep on. The list of what to bring was handed out at the parent meeting. Keep working to get the cost down by working the plant sale.

# **RUMMAGE SALE:**

Our annual Rummage Sale is scheduled for the first weekend in August. Plans are to have the container here in time for the plant sale so people can drop off their items that day. We will begin setting up the gym beginning July 21. A more detailed schedule will be out in the near future.