YOUTH NEWSLETTER

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A RECENT SUCCESS

Thank you to all who helped with the Easter Breakfast and the Bake Sale. Our total profit was just short of \$1000.

Congratulation to all our Eighth-Grade students and our High School Seniors who will graduate at the end of this month or early next month.

OPEN YOUTH ROOM SCHEDULE

The school year is coming to an end and so are our Sunday night get togethers. Our final Open Youth Room will be Sunday, May 19. We will begin at 6:30 p.m. and conclude at 8:00 p.m.

You are invited to bring a friend. Our time together will be spent discussing upcoming events, devotion time, fellowship time, and of course, food. We are hoping you can make this final Sunday night gathering.

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND YOUTH BIBLE CLASS

Our final Sunday School and Youth Bible class for this school year will be May 19. Just a reminder that Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. The Middle School Class meets in the Youth Room and the High School Class meets in the School Conference Room.

Sunday School and Youth Bible Class will resume in the fall on Sunday, September 8.



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Vacation Bible School is right around the corner, and we need your help. VBS will be held the week of June 10-14. You will need to be here from 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Your assignment will be made soon. That might be asking you to work in the kitchen, working with crafts, or working with students in a specific class. If you do not let Mr. Grady know you want to work, you will not be given a job. Please do not just show up the first day and expect to help. The sign-up sheet is in the Youth Room and will be taken down following our Open Youth Room on May 19.

Those who volunteered to help are asked to come for some training and some prep work on Tuesday, June 4, from 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon.

"Go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit". Matthew 28:19

PLANT SALE

Our Plant Sale is just a week away, May 11. Please arrive by 6:30 a.m. to unload the truck and to start sorting the flowers. Following the sorting of plants you will have the opportunity to have some breakfast. After breakfast we will sort the family orders.

In regards to the breakfast items, we will have donuts, possibly bagels, and juice. If you desire coffee you need to bring your own from home or stop along the way to school. If your family has not ordered plants there will be some left overs (not many this year).

The customer pick-up time is from 9:00a.m. - 10:30 a.m. We should be done with everything by 11:00 a.m. Remember that this is a point opportunity for youth and parents. Please remember to sign-in the day of the sale.

CLOTHING POD

The last day to bring items for the clothing pod is Saturday, May 11 (Same day as the Plant Sale). The truck will be here to load up around 9:00 a.m. After loading, we will need about 5 parent/youth to go to the Savers store in Orland Park to unload the truck. Once you are done you can go home. We should have the whole process done by 10:30 a.m. If you are interested in doing this please contact Mr. Grady.

If the pod is full, we should profit between \$1000 and \$1200. Thank you to everyone who made a contribution.

BIKE RIDE DOWNTOWN

Let's try this again. Thanks to everyone who made the quick change to Dinner and a Movie due to the weather. We will meet at Trinity on Saturday, May 18, at 8:00 a.m. We will take the train downtown, walk to the bike rental facility, ride for a couple of hours, have lunch and then catch the train home. We should return around 3:30 p.m.

Cost is \$20 and includes everything. Sign-up sheet is in the Youth Room and the Grade 8 classroom. Friends are invited to attend. We will need parents to attend and to drive to and from the train station. If you have any questions, contact Mr. Grady.

MISSION TRIP TO GRAND RAPIDS

Our Mission Trip to Grand Rapids will begin following the 8:30 a.m. worship service on Sunday, June 23. We will serve the community until Friday, June 28. The return time to Trinity should be around 11:00 a.m. A list of items to bring and some medical release form will be coming your way soon. Please remember that you will need a twin air mattress to sleep on during the week. We will get our work assignments the first night of camp. If you need any more information, contact Mr. Grady.

CONFIRMATION RETREAT

Even though this is not a Trinity Youth event, this will serve as a reminder that our annual Confirmation Retreat to Camp Luther will be August 11-13. This is a required event for all confirmation students. A letter is in the mail to give you more information regarding this trip.



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NATIONAL YOUTH GATHERING

Our Youth Gathering to Minnesota is less then 70 days away. Following the Plant Sale a letter will be coming home with everything you need to know about this event. Your final payment will be due on Sunday, June 2, at our final Parent/Youth meeting. Please bring your completed medical forms at this time. You will also let Mr. Grady know your t-shirt size. Your food money will be disbursed at this time.

The meeting will take place in the church library area beginning at 7:00 p.m. and should last about 45 minutes.

Here is the information regarding the 5k.

- The run will take place on **Sunday**, **July 14**th at **4:00 p.m.** from the Convention Center through the streets of downtown Minneapolis to U.S. Bank Stadium.
- The cost is \$30 per runner and includes a bib, timing chip and a t-shirt.
- Participants will gather outside of convention center at 3:30 pm for a 4:00 pm race start.
- If a recorded time is not needed, check "No Timing" on your form and you will provide even more dollars toward meals.
- The **registration link will go live on May 9**th after the <u>Webinar</u>, and will stay open **through June 22**.
- There will be no registrations on-site. The Primary Adult Leader will register everyone in their group that is interested.