

St. Paul's United Methodist Church
Children and Club 56 Newsletter
July 2011

Summer Sunday School and Vacation Bible School

Thank you to all the teachers and helpers who have been guiding the spiritual growth of our children this summer! You are having a profound impact on our children's lives!!

Family Fun in July!

Wednesday, July 13 *Park Clean-Up, Picnic, and Splash Pad*

Everyone is invited to Redmond Park at 6:00pm for service and fellowship! We'll be cleaning up the park (gloves and bags provided) before eating and playing together. Bring your picnic and something to sit on. Redmond Park has a Splash Pad so consider a swimsuit as well! All ages are welcome; children should plan to bring an adult. Invite your friends and neighbors to join in the fun!

Saturdays, July 16 and August 20 *Sunday School in the Park*

Sunday School and Worship in Redmond Park was a success in June, and there are two more Saturdays coming up! Sunday School in the Park, led by our 3rd Ave churches, is at 4:00 before 5:00 worship on July 16 and August 20. All children are invited. We'll have music and lessons that tie into the theme of worship. If you'd like to help either of those weeks, please let Pastor Allison know (363-2058 or allison@stpaulsumc.org). Bring a friend and learn about Jesus together!

Friday, July 22 *Kid's Carnival*

As part of the senior high mission trip, the youth are hosting a free carnival for the community and the congregation. The carnival will be held at Veteran's Memorial (Kernels') Stadium from 12:00-4:00 (we'll start with worship 12:00-12:30). Bring your children, cousins, and neighbors to eat hot dogs, jump in the bouncy castle, play human foosball, go through the obstacle course, and have a great time! Contact Pastor Phil for more information (okduckman@aol.com).

Save the Date for More Family Fun in August!

Wednesday, August 3 *Kernel's Game*

Watch for more information about St. Paul's trip to the ballgame, but mark your calendars now. The game starts at 6:35.

Wednesday, August 10 *Popcorn, PJ's, and Pillows*

Family Movie Night, 6:00! All the joy of a sleepover, but without sleeping over: bring the kids in their PJ's; pillows and stuffed animal friends welcome. We'll gather in the Social Hall to watch "Despicable Me" and eat popcorn. If you'd like to join the youth for pizza at 5:15, just call the church office (363-2058) by noon to let them know how many people to expect.

Wednesday, August 24 *All Church Picnic*

Everyone is invited to our annual All Church Picnic at Bever Park. More information to come.

Wednesday, August 31 *First Night of TGIW*

Most TGIW activities and music rehearsals begin this week. More information to come.