

KIDS *on the* HILLTOP



SUMMER 2009

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Worship Together **Thanksgiving + Communion**

This past month we learned a little more about the "liturgy" which means "the work of the people". That's because worship is something we all do, together. At our final Kidsword for the year we learned about the Thanksgiving and Communion parts of our service. God is constantly giving us presents and that's just because He wants to. One way we thank Him is in our liturgy. We sing and pray and listen. We also do it by eating and drinking and that is Communion. That gift of Himself to us in Jesus, is in the bread and wine. Each time we receive a gift from God he gives us another. We can never get ahead of thanking Him for all the gifts He gives us day after day after day. We also learned at our Easter service the story of Jesus and His Cross and how that was another of God's great gifts. Jesus, dying on the Cross, for us. So, you see, our thanking God never stops because the gifts of God never end. Hopefully as we explored the different parts of our worship service this year during Kidsword, you have gained a better understanding of what we are doing. Remember to join along in all parts of the service in praise and thanks to our God.

Year End Party

SUNDAY, MAY 17TH AT 9:15

Can you believe this school year is almost over? Do you know what that means? It's time for our Year End Party. We will be handing out awards and certificates. There will be a DVD slideshow of all the fun we had this past year and then it's time for the food! It's always a lot of fun, so make sure to join us.

May

3 -Church Tour

10 -SCS 9:15

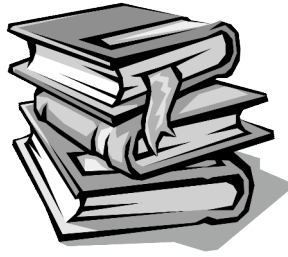
17 -Year End Party

24 -No SCS

31 -No SCS

-UEYG 2 - 3:30

SUMMER READING PROGRAM



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Our church Library is sponsoring its second annual Summer Reading Program for children finishing grades 1 through 6. To participate, simply sign your name in the poster in the Church Library and read twelve (12) books from the Church Library collection from May 24th to September 6th. When returning a book you've read to the Book Return Basket, place a "star" in the designated space on the poster. On Rally Day in September, a book and/or voucher will be given as a prize. Be sure to read books for your own age level and do not list books that you have read previously. If you have any questions, call or see Mrs. Stickley. Be sure to sign up and have a wonderful summer reading!

Hey Kids, if you are in grades 4, 5 or 6 you can come out to the next Upper Elementary Youth Group event. It's on Sunday, May 31st from 2-3:30.

Church Tour

Ok. What is a narthex? Where do acolytes get dressed? What's the name of that thing Pastor stands at to give the sermon? Find out all of these things and more at our church tour this Sunday, May 3rd at 9:15. Parents are welcome to join us.

Parents: Show your kids how important Sunday Church School is...volunteer to teach just one Sunday this summer.

As always, feel free to contact me with questions or concerns. Marlene Bayer 652-6251 or email onelatte@comcast.net



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| | 7 SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL 10 AM | 5 No Sunday School | 2 SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL 10 AM |
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