

# Youth & Family Ministries

July & August 2016

## Fun from our trip to Noah's Ark



## Quick Reference

We welcome God's children of all ages to join us in worship on Saturday afternoons at 4:30 or on Sunday mornings at 8:30.

Confirmation Classes meet on Wednesday nights. Classes begin at 6:15 and end at 7:30 unless otherwise noted on the syllabus.

Sunday School meets on Sunday mornings from 9:45-10:45. Except when otherwise noted on the Sunday School calendar. Children beginning 4K through 6<sup>th</sup> grade from our church and community are welcome to participate in Sunday School.

Confirmation classes meet on Wednesday nights beginning at 6:15pm. Students are welcome to enroll as early as 7<sup>th</sup> grade. Our Confirmation program is a 3 year program that combines study of scripture, faith application, prayer, worship, discipleship, and fellowship.

JR Youth Fellowship is open to children from 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade.

JR Youth meets once a month from October-May. They generally meet after Sunday School until noon, except when they have special activities or events planned.

SR Youth Fellowship welcomes youth from 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade.

SR Youth Fellowship meets for specific projects throughout the year.

Our faith community at Salem enjoys times of fellowship for people of all ages throughout the year. Watch for upcoming events and opportunities in the Chapel Chimes.



## UCC Church Camp

Why not go to Pilgrim Center or Moon Beach and experience one of our wonderful UCC Church camps this summer?

There are camps for children, families, grandparent and me, teens, and adults.

UCC Church camp catalogs are available in the Gathering area.

Salem does have scholarships available for half of the fee up to \$100; contact the church office for more details.

# youth FELLOWSHIP

## CAMP OUT

For Youth Fellowship at Lakeview Campground

July 20 (1pm) until July 21 (noon)

Signup & Permissions slips are due on or before July 10

Cost is \$10 per person



Youth (completed 4<sup>th</sup> grade and up) are invited to help at VBS

A training session is being planned for July 6 at 6pm.

Please contact Marsha in the church office if you'd like to be a part of this fun summer ministry!



**We are joining with 6 other congregations from the Northeast Association to travel to National Youth Event at Disney Resort in Orlando, Florida. Please keep us and all youth journeying to NYE in your prayers especially July 26-30 as we experience worship, workshops, service to the community, and fellowship with thousands of other UCC youth. We look forward to sharing our experience with you when we return.**



## *Serving at the Gathering*

*Saturday, August 20*

*We'll leave church at 8:30am and return around 2:30pm.*

*Sign up in the Gathering area so we know we can rely on you.*

*We are committed to sending 12-15 volunteers.*

*We'll plan to stop for dinner on the way back.*

## Salem Kid's Camp

Coming in August

We'll learn more about God's world and our role in it. Watch the Salem UCC Facebook page as well as email blasts for more details as plans come together. TENTATIVE dates are August 15-18 8am-4pm. Contact the church office if you'd like your kids to be added to the list.