



TRICON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION EVENTS, PROGRAMS AND OPPORTUNITIES JULY 2010

From the desk of...

By the time you receive this newsletter the summer season will be in full swing and hopefully you will have already experienced that glorious feeling of PHEW. I know for myself starting out each morning with a smile instead of hollering "You are going to miss the bus!!!" is a huge summer bonus.

My guess is that your child(ren)'s summer might be spent going to camp, perhaps enjoying a vacation with you, or whiling away the hours at the pool. This season is a wonderful time to also share their gifts from God. A child participating in community ministry benefits all those involved, i.e. taking out the trash for an elderly neighbor or offering to play with a child who looks lonely. Recycling cans/bottles/paper, conserving water and planting trees are all ways of participating in the stewardship of our earth.

I pray that this summer you and your family will continue on your journey, growing in your faith, and experiencing the love of the endless gifts from above.

See you in September!

Carrie O'Brien

A Note of Appreciation



Many thanks to the all the folks who have helped support our program this year. All of the programming that the CE Department provides would be for naught without the generous support of our volunteers. We are grateful to each and every one of you for sharing your time and talents.

Field Day



We had over 50 kids participate in our first ever indoor Field Day and it was a success!

Thank you to the many parents and older Church School children who helped manage games, paint faces, and oversee the arts 'n crafts projects -- a great way to celebrate the end of another Church School year.



Please note July 18th and 25th Worship Services below...

<u>Sunday, July 4th</u>	
Worship Service	10:00AM
Nursery Care (up to age five)	
<u>Sunday, July 11th</u>	
Worship Service	10:00AM
Nursery Care (up to age five)	
<u>Wednesday, July 14th</u>	
Church Family BBQ	6:00PM
<u>Sunday, July 18th</u>	
Worship Service West Concord	9:45AM
Nursery Care available	
<u>Sunday, July 25th</u>	
Worship Service West Concord	9:45AM
Nursery Care available	

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Regular office hours will commence in September.*

Summer Nursery Care



This summer we will continue to offer child-care for those families who wish to participate in the 10AM worship service. Lauren Billington and Sonja Borkman will be in the nursery each Sunday. They are looking forward to taking care of your infants, toddlers and pre-schoolers. Older children should join their families in the sanctuary. Please pick up your children before you enjoy fellowship hour following worship.

Happy JULY Birthday Wishes to...

Rachel Turkington
Gus Sample
Matthew Nicholas
Michael Leu
Naomi Waldron
Jonathan Lilly
William Lehmann



Oliver Carlson
Reilly Harring
Nicole Saleh
Andrew Mara
Will Kehoe
Anneliese Braunegg
Blake Wilson

Registration Forms Needed

To date we have received about 25% of our family enrollment forms. If you have not already done so, please submit your forms as soon as possible. We need to generate updated class lists, order classroom and teaching materials and supplies, as well as staff programming.

A Few Loose Ends...

- If you requested a Bible for your 8th grader and your child was not able to attend the presentation in May, please pick up his/her Bible at the church. Students should have their Bibles for next year's Confirmation program.
- If you purchased any teaching supplies or materials for this year's program and you would like to be reimbursed, please send your receipts to Judy Walpole's attention at the church office.

TRI-CON CHURCH SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT

It is our mission to intentionally provide to all of the children in our Church School program the following:

Provide our children with a foundation in Christian education such as learning the stories of the Bible, the history of Christianity and what it means to be a UCC member, and the components of worship.

Provide our children with many opportunities to participate in our church community and programs outside our community.

Provide a safe, caring and nurturing environment with other children and adults.

Teach our children the important faith traits such as generosity, responsibility, courage, joy, stewardship and humility so that they will include and apply them to their daily lives.



Join us on Wednesday, July 14, 6-8PM

Mid-Summer Barbeque Picnic!

Call the church office to sign up...978-369-4837

