



Severna Park United Methodist Church

731 Benfield Blvd, Severna Park, MD



WHERE & WHEN

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Session 1: July 6-10; 6:00 - 8:30 pm

Session 2: July 13-17; 1:00 - 4:00 pm

WHO

VBS is for children ages 4 through current grade 6, (3 years for full week volunteers) both SPUMC and non-SPUMC members. (Note: 3 year-olds MUST be 3 by July 5th, be potty-trained, and have previously attended an organized Sunday School or preschool.) There will be nursery care of younger children for volunteers only. During Session 1 only: Adult Bible Study offered!

REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

- Due to the popularity of the SPUMC VBS program, all children MUST be pre-registered. We will be unable to accept walk-ins on the first day of VBS.
- To register, please follow these steps:
 1. SPUMC Members: Beginning Sunday, May 3, **pick up a registration packet** from Fellowship Hall, church office, or outside Beth Frank's office (room 209). **note: registration forms, volunteer sign-up sheets, and other information may also be printed from the SPUMC website, www.severnaparkumc.org
 2. Non-SPUMC Members: Registration opens to the general public on Monday, May 18. Registration materials are available in the church office during regular business hours, and outside Beth Frank's office (room 209).
 3. **Complete a registration form for EACH child** who will be enrolled in VBS.
 4. **Complete the volunteer sign-up sheet.** VBS needs plenty of volunteers like you to help provide your child with a meaningful, fun, and well-organized experience!
 5. **Place the following in an envelope marked "VBS":**
 - ✓ Registration form for each child
 - ✓ Volunteer sign-up sheet
 - ✓ \$20.00/child registration fee or
 - ✓ \$50.00/family Max (Financial assistance is available; call Beth Frank at 410-987-4700)
 6. **Return the envelope** to the VBS table in Fellowship Hall, church office, or to Beth Frank's office (room 209)
 - 7.
- **Please note that registration will close for certain ages/grades as classes fill up.**



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Important VBS 2009 Information

The week of VBS all children should:

- Wear comfortable clothes - we'll be running, jumping, painting and gluing!
- Try to wear clothing in the following colors each day:
 - ❖ Monday - Blue
 - ❖ Tuesday - Yellow
 - ❖ Wednesday - Green
 - ❖ Thursday - Red
 - ❖ Friday - Purple
- Eat lunch/dinner (depending upon which session your child will be attending) BEFORE coming to VBS. A snack and drink will be served during the session.

Family and Friends:

*Please plan to join us on Friday at 7:00 p.m. (on the 10th) or 2:00 p.m. (on the 17th)
for our Closing Celebration! We meet first in the Sanctuary for worship,
then head to Fellowship Hall for the Ice Cream Social.*



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Vacation Bible School 2009 Registration

**** USE ONE REGISTRATION CARD PER CHILD ****

Indicate Choice: Session 1 (July 6-10; 6:00-8:30 pm) _____ Or Session 2 (July 13-17; 1:00 – 4:00 pm) _____

Name of child: _____ M ___ F ___
Last First (use nickname if preferred)

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Date of birth: ___/___/___ Age of Child as of 7/6/09: _____

Cell Phone : _____ Home Phone: _____

Family Email Address: _____

Name of Church: _____ Name of School: _____

Grade (or preschool level) Just completed: _____ Entering in Fall: _____

List food allergies or other conditions which may limit child's activity: _____

Name of a *same age* friend your child would like enrolled in the same class **if possible**:

CLASS CHANGES WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE AFTER 6/29/09

Emergency Contact: _____
Name Relationship to child

Who can be reached at: _____ Or: _____
Phone number(s) during VBS Hours Attending Session 1 Adult Bible Study: ___/___
 VBS Volunteer: ___/___
Yes No

Name of Adult Registering Child: _____
Last First Relationship to Child

Address (if different from child): _____

Home phone (if different from child): _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____



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**MINOR CHILD PUBLICATIONS
CONSENT AND RELEASE FORM**

By signing this form, I consent to allow SPUMC to use photographs, videos and audio clips of my child taken during SPUMC events to be used solely for the purposes of SPUMC promotional material and publications. I further give consent to use the full name of my child in articles written about these events.

(Please print child's full name) _____

Furthermore, I hereby release and discharge SPUMC from any and all claims and demands arising out of the use of these photographs, videos and audio clips, including any and all claims for libel. I sign this form freely and without inducement.

Printed Name - Parent/Legal Guardian: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Date: _____

Signature Parent/Legal Guardian: _____

Witness: _____

(This completed form is to be retained in the Church Office)



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VBS 2009 VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP

Please circle the session(s) you would like to volunteer for:

Session 1: July 6-10, 6:00 – 8:30 p.m.	Session 2: July 13-17, 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
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Name: _____ **Phone Number:** _____

Address: _____ **Best time to reach you:** _____

E-mail address: _____ **Age (Only if under 18):** _____

✓	Job Please place a check beside The job you're volunteering for	Job Description	Please check the days you are available: M T W Th F				
	Teacher	Responsible for approximately 1 ½ hours of classroom instruction per day. Plans and prepares all classroom activities. Has a great time with the kids. Supported by Teaching Assistant(s). Full week commitment					
	Teaching Assistant	Supports classroom teacher as directed by teacher. Escorts children to all activities and supervises children on playground. Is greatly appreciated by teacher. Full week commitment.					
	Nursery Assistant	Cares for infant and toddler children of VBS staff members from 5:45 – 8:45 p.m. each evening or 12:45-4:15 p.m. each day. We need at least one adult to commit to work the entire week. Other assistants may work a flexible schedule. Come on, these babies are cute! Please check the days you are available.					
	Craft Helper	Works with the Craft Director in Fellowship Hall. Helps with preparing, constructing, and clean-up of craft projects. A great way to be creative! Time commitment is flexible; please check the days you are available.					
	Kitchen Helper	Works with the Kitchen Director in the Church Kitchen. Prepares and delivers snacks to classrooms as directed. Helps with clean-up. Gets to nibble on treats. Greatly appreciated by hungry children. Time commitment is flexible; please check the days you are available.					
	VBS Decorator Hallways	Plans decorations for VBS. Works camp theme into decorations for hallways, classrooms. Supervises work of Decorator Helpers. Earns undying gratitude of VBS staff and students! Most work completed prior to first session of VBS, including Sunday, July 5 th , 11:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.					
	Mission Helper - SPAN	Helps collect food items donated by the children to SPAN. Loads them up and transports them to SPAN. Good muscles desirable, but not required.					
	Mission Helper - Garden	Helps children with gardening-related activities at the church. Has fun getting really sweaty and dirty. Still working on the schedule, but this will probably be a TUESDAY event.					

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Please check the days you are available:				
M	T	W	Th	F

	Roamer	Fills in for teachers/ other staff members as needed during the week. This is your opportunity to be a real hero! Please check the days you are available.														
	Opening Day Deputy	Helps direct children and parents to classes during the opening day “rush.” Should have good understanding of building layout. Must be able to soothe frazzled parents and calm crying children. Specific time commitment: Session 1: Monday, July 6, 5:40-6:20 p.m. Session 2: Monday, July 13, 12:40-1:20 p.m.														
	Home Help (phone calls)	Makes phone calls as requested by the VBS Volunteer Coordinator. Is given a list of names to call and the message to relay. Here’s a chance to talk on the phone and serve God at the same time! Flexible time commitment the week before VBS.														
	Home Help (advance preparation)	Helps at home preparing decorations and/or crafts. Creativity/ artistic talent NOT required. Yes, you can do this! Flexible time commitment prior to start of VBS.														
	Ice Cream Helper	Helps Kitchen Director on Friday prepare, serve, and clean up the ice cream for our Ice Cream Social. BONUS: All the ice cream you can eat! Specific time commitment – please circle the shift(s) you want: <table style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="padding-right: 20px;">Friday, July 10</td> <td>Friday, June 17</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Preparation 6:00-6:30 p.m</td> <td>1:00-2:15 p.m.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Serving: 6:45-8:15 p.m.</td> <td>2:45-3:30 p.m.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Clean-up: 8:00-8:30 p.m.</td> <td>3:30-4:00 p.m.</td> </tr> </table>	Friday, July 10	Friday, June 17	Preparation 6:00-6:30 p.m	1:00-2:15 p.m.	Serving: 6:45-8:15 p.m.	2:45-3:30 p.m.	Clean-up: 8:00-8:30 p.m.	3:30-4:00 p.m.						
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	Clean Up Crew	Cleans up after the last day of VBS. Tidies classrooms, throws away trash, takes down decorations, etc. Specific time commitment: Friday, June 17, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.														
	VBS Prayer Partner	Prays for VBS Monday through Friday. Prays for all VBS participants and staff members, and for God’s guidance and presence throughout VBS. Thank you for your support!!!	A	L	L	S										
	Help set up on Sunday	Help set up classrooms on Sunday, July 5 at 11:00 a.m. Also helps prepare classroom materials for each class.														

Thank you!!!