# Youth News at FPC Salem

# Sunday School

Discovering the Bible Experiencing God Celebrating Church Embracing the World

<u>Pre-Kindergarten</u>: God's world is all around us (*Julie Mackall, Gloria Shafer*)

<u>Grades 1-4</u>: Zoom through the Bible with Travel Fish – ways to live out what we learn in the Bible (*Denise Weingart*)

<u>Junior High</u>: Meets with Scoop Troop to tackle questions like "How can I make a difference?" (Lauren Arnold)

<u>Senior High</u>: Life questions using book of Matthew - Does God really have a plan for my life? (Ken Double; Beth Schallick starting December 6)



# Advent Workshop

during Sunday School Hour

Kids and families preparing our hearts for our Savior's Birth

Nov 29 Prophets Tell of Promise
Dec 6 - A Special Gift
Dec 13 - Jesus is the Light
Dec 20 - God is With Us

Paper bags (no plastic) are needed for the Advent Workshop. Please leave on the stage by December 13.

## Pres-Bees Youth Club

Pre-Kindergarten, age 4 - Grade 5 Wednesdays at 4:30 p.m.



#### November 18

Bowling Tournament with Adults

This is the last week of Bowling from 4:30-5:45 at Hunt Club Lanes. After Bowling, everyone is invited back to Fellowship Hall for supper.

We will also be wrapping the shoe boxes and filling them with donated items for the "Operation Christmas Child" project.

<u>Create-A-Smile</u> M & M tubes will be collected this week for this community Christmas project.

November 25 - No Pres-Bees



### Dec 2 - Regular Gathering

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#### Children's Choir Schedule

Cherub - December 20, January 24, February 14, March 14, April 25

**Praise** - December 20, January 31, February 21, March 21, April 25



Middle School, Grades 6-8 High School, Grades 7-12 Sundays at 4:30 p.m.

LOGOS kicked off on Sunday, November 15. We are looking forward to a fun year, getting to know each other better and growing in our faith.

We will be taking orders again this year for <u>Hard Tack</u>. It will be available for pick up on Sunday, December 13.

We will be making Hard Tack on the following days:

<u>Saturday</u>, <u>December 5</u> – 2 p.m. after Salem Christmas Parade

<u>Sunday</u>, <u>December 6</u> - during Sunday School and during LOGOS

I will begin teaching Senior High Sunday School on December 6.

No LOGOS on November 29, December 27, January 3.

We will continue to do many of the past activities, but also look forward to some exciting new things!

Beth Schallick

# JBM Camp Fundraisers



Taking Orders for **Buckeyes**now in Fellowship Hall
during Coffee Hour
Pick up - December 13



Put Our Youth to Work
Leaf Raking
Basement/Garage Cleaning
Taking Recycling Items
Labor (maybe, just time)
or Your suggestions
Please call Kim Double

Special thanks to those who have already had our youth working for the benefit of both of us!

Can you help??? We are looking for youth to ring the Salvation Army Bells during the Holidays. If interested, please contact Kim Double.

## The ROC of Salem

(ROC - Representatives of Christ)

The ROC of Salem is a non-denominational organization based out of a youth center in Salem, Ohio.

Our purpose is to give area teens 14-20 a safe, positive environment where they can socialize, be involved in recreational activities (pool, air hockey, games, basketball, etc.), enjoy music and movies and be exposed to positive messages on life.

Our target demographic is the unchurched teen. The ROC's vision is to impact youth by building relationships and providing a positive model for them to follow. Ultimately, we want to bring these teens to Christ.

The ROC is a ministry tool for the whole community to use. It is our goal to build partnerships with many area churches, regardless of denomination, in order to change lives. We believe that we all share a common goal: to witness for Christ. We want to bring teens to Christ and then start feeding your church's youth group with these new believers.

In order for this ministry to succeed, we need people. People who care about kids. The ROC is looking for adult volunteers who can invest just a few hours a month to help with our ministry. No amount of time, talent or contribution is too small.

Please consider how God can use you in this ministry opportunity. Contact Eric Hamilton at 330-427-0163 or <a href="mailto:eric.theroc@hotmail.com">eric.theroc@hotmail.com</a> with questions or to learn how you can help.

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