



Learning, Serving, Praying, and Playing

Thank you very much to everyone that purchased chili on Super Bowl Sunday. \$325 was donated to help the youth go on Mission Trips! We appreciate the help of Lorraine Hahn in the kitchen and the Mercy and Justice Team.

Saturday, March 3rd 12-5 pm in Lincoln at Nebraska Wesleyan: Confirmation Rally with Bishop Saenz and High School Leadership Training. Plan to leave St. Paul at 11 a.m. It'll be a great chance to spend time with our bishop and learn more about the Christian faith, the distinctiveness of United Methodism, and the opportunities young people have in our connection.

Deep Leadership Training: This is an opportunity for youth who are ready to be leaders in their churches and communities. DEEP is designed with high school students in mind and is appropriate for any youth ready and willing to develop their leadership skills. This year's theme, Deep Impressions, will help young leaders learn how to share their leadership skills and equip their peers to be leaders as well.

March 15th-**Winter Jam** at Mid-America Center in Council Bluffs. The entry fee is \$15 cash at the door. There are many big name Christian Rock bands featured. If you let her know ahead of time, Steph Rosenberger will save seats and we will all sit together.

Sunday, March 18th-Grades 7-12 youth group to plan the Easter Sunrise Service (April 1st at 7 am) and to practice parts for The Good Friday service. This is a very meaningful way to participate in Holy Week services at St. Paul.

Sunday, March 25th-

3:00 pm-all youth meet in the sanctuary with Rev. Jerry Brabec to rehearse the Good Friday worship service to be held on March 30th.

4:00-5:30 pm-Confirmation with Pastor Scott

Looking Ahead: The Confirmation Service will be held on Sunday, April 29th at the 10:30 service!

Plans are coming along for the two youth mission trips this summer. The Jr. High youth will be going to Kansas City from June 7-9th. The adult sponsors will be Pastor Scott, Pastor Marta, and Children's Ministry staff member Stephanie Rosenberger.

The Sr. High youth will be going to Chicago from July 8-14th. The adult sponsors will be Pastor Scott, Pastor Marta, and Kaitlyn Waszak.

If going on a mission trip has caught your eye, become involved in youth group so that we are prepared to work and be together as disciples of Jesus Christ. Let me know if you're interested!

The youth appreciate your prayerful and financial support!

We are very grateful for the help you provide!

Rev. Marta Wheeler