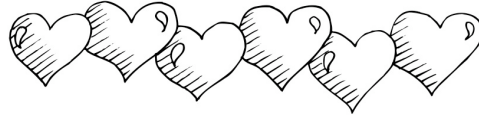


WHAT'S HAPPENING

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NAPA
FEBRUARY 2012



- Wed. FEB. 1:** **BIBLE BLAST:** 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders meet for 5 weeks of Bible Study & Fun!, 3:45-5 p.m., Fireside Rm.
- Fri. FEB. 3:** **FRIDAY MORNING WALK ON THE PATH,** 8:40-9 a.m., Preschool families meet for a short and sweet time of Bible story/activity, Fireside Rm.
- Sun. FEB. 5:** **THE PATH,** 9- 10 a.m., Meet in Trailhead (Chapel), then preschool (3yrs. old)-5th graders go to workshops: ART, GAMES, DRAMA, or CINEMA!
CELEBRATION SINGERS, Children's choir for those in K-5th grade, practice during 10:30 a.m. service.
- Wed. FEB. 8:** **BIBLE BLAST,** 3:45-5 p.m., Fireside Rm.
ESTHER CIRCLE, Presbyterian Women's Bible Study, childcare available upon request, 6:30-8 p.m., Room 6.
- Fri. FEB. 10:** **FRIDAY MORNING WALK ON THE PATH,** 8:40-9 a.m., Fireside Rm.
- Sun. FEB. 12:** **THE PATH,** 9-10 a.m.
CELEBRATION SINGERS practice during 10:30 a.m. service
CONGREGATIONAL MEETING, 12 noon, Fellowship Hall, childcare available.
- Wed. FEB. 15:** **BIBLE BLAST,** 3:45-5 p.m., Fireside Rm.
KNITTING CIRCLE, 6:30-8 p.m., Bride's Rm.
- Thurs. FEB. 16:** **CHILDREN'S MINISTRY MEETING,** 6:30-8 p.m. Room 6
- Fri. FEB. 17:** **FRIDAY MORNING WALK ON THE PATH,** 8:40-9 a.m., Fireside Rm.
- Sun. FEB. 19:** **THE PATH,** 9 a.m.
CELEBRATION SINGERS practice during 10:30 a.m. service
- Wed. FEB. 22:** **BIBLE BLAST CELEBRATION,** 3:45-5 p.m., Fireside Rm.
REST STOP BEGINS/ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE: Dinner in the gym at 6 p.m., service begins at 7 p.m.
- Fri. FEB. 24:** **FRIDAY MORNING WALK ON THE PATH,** 8:40-9 a.m.
- Sun. FEB. 26:** **THE PATH,** 9 a.m.
CELEBRATION SINGERS practice during 10:30 a.m. service
FAMILY FUN EVENT at the NAPA BOWL: 1-3 p.m.
All ages are welcome to join us at 494 Soscol for an afternoon of fun!
Please RSVP to Jane (children@fpcnapa.org) or Kevin (letters2kevin@gmail.com).
- Wed. FEB. 29:** **REST STOP:** Dinner in the gym at 6 p.m., classes for all ages from 7-8 p.m.
Check out www.fpcnapa.org for more info.

DISCOVERY BAY, our Sunday morning nursery located in Rm.1, is available for children birth-2 yrs. old during the 9 o'clock worship hour, and for children birth-5 yrs. old during the 10:30 worship hour.

Questions? Call 224-8693, or email children@fpcnapa.org

THIS MONTH AT THE PATH...



BIBLE STORY: THE GOOD SAMARITAN

BIBLE VERSE: LUKE 10:27

“...Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind; and, love your neighbor as yourself.”

What we will be doing this month in our workshops:

Noah's Art

How can you lend someone a hand today?

In this workshop, children will listen to the parable of the Good Samaritan, then draw ways that they can lend a hand, reach out, and offer help to those in need. They will then make “lend-a hand” gloves to remind them of Jesus’ charge to us to love God and one another.

Goliath Games

Are you avoiding doing something you know you should? Just do it!

Children will play games and do activities that will help them remember the Bible verse and the story, including using a stethoscope and walking on eggs!

Damascus Road Drama

Be bold in showing someone God’s love!

Children will think about language barriers among people as they translate the key points of the Bible verse. Then they’ll perform a dramatic presentation of the story by presenting an opera in three acts.

Parable Playhouse

Make it your business to reach out to someone who needs a friend!

Children will watch a video of the story of the Good Samaritan, and then make traveler’s “business” cards to give out as a way of reaching out in kindness.

FEBRUARY MISSION PROJECT: We are collecting small (no more than 6”) stuffed animals and small toys in new or gently used condition to send with Dr. Adrian Fenderson on his mission trip to South Africa later this year. Please bring donations on any Sunday in February to the Trailhead (Chapel) or to the church office during the week. Thanks!