

# CHRISTIAN EDUCATION & YOUTH NEWS

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## Help us kickoff registration for Cave Quest VBS on Sunday, May 1<sup>st</sup>!

Join us in the Memory Room after both services for yummy treats and registration information!



**Online Registration opens May 1<sup>st</sup>.** Go to [www.jordanlutheran.org](http://www.jordanlutheran.org) beginning May 1<sup>st</sup> and click on the Cave Quest logo on the VBS page (under Christian Education tab) to be directed to the registration page.

**Early Registration Bonus!** Register between May 1<sup>st</sup> - 31<sup>st</sup>, and you will receive a free Cave Quest Music CD!! (One free CD per family.)

**The Donation Station** for this year's VBS will be set up in the Memory Room beginning May 1<sup>st</sup>. If you want to contribute to VBS, but can't be here during the week of VBS, this is a great way to make an impact! The needed items will be hanging on the display - simply follow the instructions that will be on the table to sign out the donation tickets.

**VBS Volunteer Staff Needed:** Adults and teens are needed to staff this year's Vacation Bible School program. If you are interested in helping, please contact Amber Kerschner or Julie Boyer. Child care is provided for volunteers with children less than 3 years of age. **Due to changes in PA Law regarding volunteer screenings, it is important for all volunteers to be identified by June 1<sup>st</sup>.** Volunteers are needed for the following stations: Sing & Play, Spotlight VBS, Deep Bible Quests, Kid Vid Cinema, Imagination Station, Preschool Kid Vid Cinema, Preschool Craft & Play, Preschool Games.

**VBS Set Building Dates:** Building will begin the week of May 8<sup>th</sup>, in the Family Center. Watch the bulletin for more details. All are welcome to help! We have a lot of fun!

**VBS Volunteer Staff & Helper Training – Date TBA:** There will be a VBS training session to go over the theme and structure of this year's VBS program and changes that have been made from previous years. ***It is important that all staff members (station leaders, crew leaders & adult and youth helpers) attend this meeting.***



**Basket Social**

# Thank You!

*For making this year's event another great success!*

Thanks to everyone who.

- DONATED A BASKET
- DONATED EMPTY BASKETS
- DONATED COFFEE CANS
- MADE A MONETARY DONATION

**SPECIAL THANKS TO:**

**LOUISE STETTLER & KITCHEN CREW**  
(the food was awesome!)

**TRACY HEBERLING**  
(local donations help)

**KRIS BUSS**  
(basket wrapping help)

**MICHAEL BOSCIA**  
(Wednesday night help)

**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING JORDAN'S YOUTH!**




*I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers. Ephesians 1:16*

## Spring Cleaning Time!

### CLEAR YOUR CLUTTER AND SHARE WITH OTHERS!!

We will be scheduling a pickup date in late spring for our Clothing Drive. Fashion Republic, the company we do our clothing drive through, is **in great need of hard toys, soft toys, board games (complete sets), bicycles for kids in need and baby items (strollers, car seats, swings, highchairs).** Donations can be placed in the basket truck in the office foyer or social hall. Of course, we will also continue to collect clothing and fabric items.



Remember to put items in plastic bags and tie them shut. Please put shoes in a bag separate from clothing. We get paid a higher "per pound" rate for shoes, but only if they are bagged separately from other items.



## Community Service Opportunities for Confirmation Students:

Sun., May 22	12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Mentor Activity at the Sanctuary at Haafsville
Date TBD	Time TBD	Spring Clothing Drive Collection
M – F, July 11-15 <sup>th</sup>	8:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.	Volunteer at Vacation Bible School



## 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Jordan Event at the Iron Pigs!

Date: Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup>    Game Time: 1:35 p.m.

**Cost: \$10 per person (children under 2 do not need a ticket if they sit on an adult's lap).** Ticket includes field level seating along the 3<sup>rd</sup> base side and a \$2 concession credit, redeemable for food, drink or merchandise inside the park.

*Limited Number of Tickets Available – Sold on a First-Come, First-Served Basis*  
*Order Forms are available in the Memory Room and the Narthex*  
**Last Day to Order Tickets is May 8<sup>th</sup>.**