

# Youth Newsletter

November 2005

## Youth Preparing for Youth Sunday

Children and youth at Bethlehem have been working hard to get ready for Youth Sunday on November 6.

Each year, on the first Sunday in November, the youth of the church are responsible for teaching Sunday School classes, as well as leading the Morning Worship Service.

More than a dozen junior and senior high students are busy preparing their Sunday School lessons.

Special music for the Morning Worship Service is being prepared by the Children's Choir, the Youth Choir and Praise Team, and the Junior Handbell Choir.

Kristin Ranno and Nathan Neblett are busy preparing their messages, and over a dozen youth are getting ready for special roles during the morning service.

Immediately following the service, the children, youth, and their parents are invited to a special luncheon in Graham Hall, courtesy of the Women's Fellowship.

There will not be a Regular Meeting for any club that evening. The next Regular Meeting following Youth Sunday will be November 13.

Please be sure to come to Sunday School and Morning Worship on Youth Sunday, November 6, to support our youth and help us build the leaders of tomorrow!



## YOUTH GROUP SCHEDULES

### ALL CLUBS

November 6	Youth Sunday, 9:30am-12:00noon <i>Lunch immediately following Morning Worship</i> <b>No Regular Meeting</b>
November 13	Regular Meeting, 5:30pm-7:15pm
November 20	Regular Meeting, 5:30pm-7:15pm
November 27	Regular Meeting, 5:30pm-7:15pm
December 4	Children's Christmas Play <b>No Regular Meeting</b>

For more information about your club's schedule, including any special events planned for your individual club, please contact your club's leaders.

*Special thanks to all who supported the Omega Youth during their car wash at the Fall Bazaar on Saturday, October 22.*

*\$266 was raised to support the group's mission projects and other activities.*

*Thanks for your support!*



## Youth Director's Corner by David Salerno

Fall is usually a very busy time in the life of the church, and this year has been no exception.

The Car Wash fundraiser, Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF, our 3rd annual Community Harvest Festival, and preparations for Youth Sunday have made for quite a busy October, so please forgive me as this month's Youth Director's Corner will be quite brief and to-the-point.

I would like to personally encourage each and every one of you to attend Sunday School and Morning Worship on Youth Sunday, November 6.

All of the children, from the youngest 2-year-old all the way up to the oldest high school senior, have a part in this year's activities, and both Kristin Ranno and Nathan Neblett will be bringing our morning messages.

We have much to be thankful for here at Bethlehem. But we are especially blessed with an active group of young people who are excited about taking part in all aspects of church life. Thank you, parents, for the primary role you play in raising your children to be participants and leaders at church.

Until next month, God bless,



## Pioneer Clubs News & Notes



The Scouters club earned their "Jesus the Helper" badge, and is working to complete their "Growing Like Jesus" badge.



The Voyagers club learned about how children lived in Biblical times, and earned their "God Cares for Me", "Science", and "Outdoor Exploration" badges.



The Pathfinders club recently earned their "God Creates", "Fun and Games", and "Wilderness" badges, and will be participating once again this year in Military Mail Call.



All three Pioneer clubs made meal cards, decorated with an inspirational Bible verse and a Fall theme, for our local Meals on Wheels program.

**Good job, Pioneers!**

Bethlehem Christian Church's 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Community

# Harvest Festival

**Sunday, October 30, 2005 • 5:00pm-7:30pm**

**featuring Merry Heart the Clown**

with balloons & temporary tattoos, plus a special show for the kids at 6:00pm

**Hot Dogs • Drinks • Popcorn • Cotton Candy  
Games • Candy • Prizes**

**Hay Ride • Face Painting • Arts & Crafts  
Costume Contest for Children & Adults**

**Fun for the whole family!**