

For the mountains may depart and the hills be removed, but my steadfast love shall not depart from you, and my covenant of peace shall not be removed, says the Lord, who has compassion on you. Isaiah 54:10

To facilitate growth in commitment to Christ and in connection to people through the church

High School Stuff

Last Phunday Nite for the school year

Date: June 6

Time: 5:30

Where: Emmaus

Who: Incoming freshmen to outgoing seniors

Let's finish this school year with a bang. Come for fun and friends and fellowship and food.

You are invited to Central's Capture the Flag

Date: June 11

Time: 8:00 p.m.

Where: Alton Baker Park

Who: Incoming freshmen to outgoing seniors

Let me know if you can go. We can carpool from Emmaus if necessary.

Yard Sale

Date: June 19

Time: 9:00 to 3:00

Where: Emmaus

Who: All Emmaus Youth

This is a yearly event. Everyone who works gets credit in their fund raising account. We need people who can price and organize the items for sale anytime, Tuesday through Saturday. We need people who can pick up donations. We need cashiers and sales people on Saturday. It is especially important for those going to California this summer to help out at this yard sale.

Leadership Training School

Date: June 25, 26, 27

Time: 1:00 p.m. on Fri. to 11:30 a.m. on Sun.

Where: Camp Lutherwood

Who: Incoming freshmen to juniors

Let me know if you are interested in improving your leadership skills, especially in a Christian setting. I know you'll learn a lot that you can use in many places and ways if you attend LTS. (By the way, both Alex Golbek & Hayden Smothers will be there.)

Lutherwood Work Day

Want to help Lutherwood look great for the summer? Come out anytime after 9:00 a.m. on June 5. There will be lots of ways you can help get the camp ready. Don't worry about lunch and snacks-that is taken care of. Don't worry about supplies to do the job-that is taken care of. Just come, alone, or with your family, or with your friends. Be prepared to work and to have a great time

Hello & Goodbye

Welcome to high school:

Nick Florence (Willamette)

Cristin Gappa (Junction City)

Summer Johnson (I'm not sure)

Pam Mealy (Springfield)

Isaiah Stolp (South?)

Hailey Wiper (South?)

Welcome to life after high school

Christian Brantley (Churchill)

Carly Grabofsky (North)

Daniel Lindsey (North)

Middle School Stuff

Going to Camp: Here are options: July 4-9, Discovery 1; July 18 to 23, Discovery 2; July 25 to 30, All Nature Sings; August 8 to 13, Discovery 3. Pick your own week and get a friend to go with you! Remember, too, that the Emmaus Women will pay \$100 towards your camp registration. Just let me know when you sign up!!

I don't care if you've been at church every Sunday or if you haven't been at church at all this year—I want you to go to camp!! Please, please go on-line at www.lutherwood.org, find a week that fits your schedule, and register for camp. You will have the time of your life.

Congratulations

To ALEX GOLBEK: elected Communications Coordinator for Oregon Lutheran Youth Organization
To HAYDEN SMOTHERS: elected Secretary to Oregon Lutheran Youth Organization (OLYO)

You'll be hearing more about OLYO all next year.

Stuff from Me

One of the reasons, but not the only one, this newsletter is late is because I have had a special guest this week. My grandson, Caleb, spent the week with Bruce & me. You know, I learn a lot from watching him grow. But the most important thing I learn is, just as I love Caleb unconditionally, God loves me unconditionally. And God loves you, unconditionally. I can't tell you that fact often enough.

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