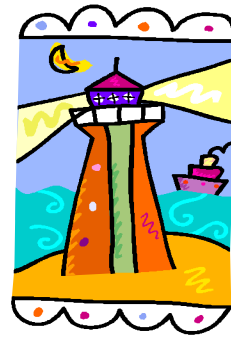


Guiding Light



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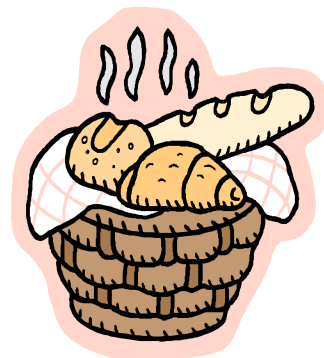
Come play with us at...

Parent's Afternoon out!
Sunday, June 6th from 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.



We'll go to the beach,

Eat some lunch,



And have a GREAT TIME!

From Mrs. Audrey

Living together in "community"

Do you have brothers or sisters? If so, you probably fight with them from time to time. I have a sister, and she's older than I am. She always tells the story of how I used to pick at her in the backseat, and then when she picked back, I'd cry and get her in trouble!! Eventually, my mom realized what was going on, and caught on to my game. So, my good times ended there!

We are constantly having to learn how to live with our brothers, sisters, mom, dad, or friends. Have you ever thought about how we live together at Sunrise? We worship together, we play together, we learn together, and we serve together. In essence, we are a community: A group of people gathered together for a specific reason, location, or job. In this community, we have to learn how to get along with one another. Where do we look?

The Bible is the best place to learn about living in community! The apostle Paul, who spread Christianity after Jesus was crucified and raised from the dead, taught early Christians what it meant to live in community with one another. This summer, we will be exploring some of those values. Can you think of some values we might need to use to live together without getting angry?

Paul taught the early Christians how to share. They shared money, food, clothes with the poor, and the Good News of Jesus Christ. What can you share with your siblings and friends this month?

He also taught the early Christians to respect one another. Respect is a big word that has a simple meaning: Treat others as you would want to be treated.

As we go through the month of June, we'll be learning more about how God teaches us to live together in peace and harmony. I pray that you find this month to be an exciting one, as we learn how to PRAISE God, at our PRAISE PARTY VBS, play with each other at Family Fun Days and Parent's Afternoon out, and share, respect, and love our Christian brothers and sisters. Have a wonderful summer!

Mrs. Audrey

Summer Fun in Sunday School!

We have LOTS of fun on Sundays at 10 am! In June, we'll start our summer Sunday school. Children younger elementary and older elementary will be learning about how we live together, worship together, and love one another! Don't miss it!



Family Fun Days

Saturday, June 5th will be our next Family Fun Day! We will be meeting at Blackbeard's Cove located on Highway 17 in Mount Pleasant (next to the KOA) from 3:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Family Fun Days were conceived by the Educational Ministry Team and are an opportunity for **everyone** in the family to have fun together as well as build our church community. Many exciting events are planned, and it is never too late to join in on the fun! For more information, contact Audrey Reese (883-3888) or Michelle Adams, our Nursery Coordinator.

Parent's Afternoon Out!

Sunday, June 6th from 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. Sunrise Youth will be hosting a Parent's Afternoon Out! Let the kids stay and play at church while you visit with friends during lunch after worship, run errands, or just spend some quiet time alone! We will provide lunch for the kids, as well as age appropriate activities and fun! All proceeds will go to the Youth to help with the cost of the summer trips! Sign ups will begin Sunday, May 23rd, look for the sign up sheet outside of Audrey's office, or you can sign up by calling the church office or emailing Audrey at sunrisedem@gmail.com.



Happy Birthday!

June 6th
Mrs. Diedre

June 16th
Piper Barnhart

June 13th
Ameline Stewart

June 18th
Sydney Towms

June 14th
Bonham Adams

Joys and Concerns

Mr. Tom and Mrs. Diedre are expecting a baby boy! Say a prayer of thanksgiving for this miracle!
Remember in your prayers all those who are sick in our church family, and all those who are hurting right now.