

FUN TIMES WITH GOD: *Vacation Bible School*

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish will be hosting a Vacation Bible School for any and all children ages 3 and up this July.

- TIME** Vacation Bible School takes place July 2 - 13. It will be held Monday to Friday from 9:30 AM until 12:00 PM during that time. Please note that there will *not* be class on July 4th.
- SCHEDULE** Each day our program begins with prayer. Then our children, who are broken into small groups, will rotate every 25 minutes through different activity stations that include games, arts and crafts, and Bible adventures. Each day around 11:00 AM we pause for snacks and a time to make music together. Each group will also have a tour of the Church during the course of the two weeks.
- STAFF** We have a staff of skilled and excited volunteers that includes a collection of adults, teenagers, and even some pre-teens.
- BUDDIES** Each younger child has a "BUDDY", and the two stay together throughout the entire day at Bible School. The buddy will assist if necessary in helping the child during arts and crafts, will cheer them on at games, will sit with them to enjoy a snack together, and will do whatever they can to provide a happy and safe learning experience.
- DROP OFF & PICK UP** An adult is asked to bring his or her child(ren) downstairs each morning, sign them in, and then to come down at the end of the day to sign them out and pick them up.
- SNACKS** Parents are asked to bring juice and a snack that we can serve to the group. For the safety of all of our children, we request no nut snacks be brought in.
- COST** \$20.00 per child or \$40.00 per family

ATTENTION TEENAGERS

Students in Grades 6 and up can volunteer to help the younger children. Middle and high school students will be in charge of snacks, games, arts and crafts, etc. If your older child would like to volunteer for all or some of Vacation Bible School, please contact Betsy Fitzsimons (olomcreled1@gmail.com or 203-287-9017).

TO REGISTER: Tear off the form below and return with payment to **Betsy Fitzsimons** in the Parish Office, email her at olomcreled1@gmail.com (and then pay on the first day), or sign up on our website: **olomc.org**. Make checks payable to **OLMC** or **Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church**.

REGISTRATION FORM

Name of Child: _____ Age: ____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Name(s) of Parent(s): _____

Email: _____ Phone (Home/Cell): _____

Anything we should know to help your child have a good time at Vacation Bible School?

