

# **Vacation Bible School**

Royal Oak First United Methodist Church
June 24-27, 2019
5:30 pm dinner
6:00- 8:00 pm program
3 year olds through completed 5th grade



# Registration

Register online at rofum.org/vbs. The cost for *To Mars and Beyond* Vacation Bible School is \$15 per child, but we want to make sure that money is never a barrier. If the cost is prohibitive, contact Assistant Director of Children, Youth, and Family Ministries, Danielle Moody, at dmoody@rofum.org.

#### <u>Volunteers</u>

It takes numerous adults and youth to create a fun, safe, and engaging vacation bible school experience. There are many opportunities for volunteers to provide their assistance.

## Ways you can volunteer:

- Group Guide help guide a small group to each activity area
- Craft helper help groups with their craft activities
- Science helper assists groups with science activities
- Recreation games helper engage groups of children with outdoor game activities
- Bible helper help teach the daily Bible lesson to groups of children
- Preparations beforehand prepare materials for activities
- Decorations beforehand help in preparing the group areas for themed activities
- Meals prepare and serve dinner meals

## **Donations**

In order to keep costs low for families to attend Vacation Bible School, we need supplies donated. Please check our list of items needed and bring them to the church and place them in the bin located in the gathering space.

## Mission Project

During Vacation Bible School we provide the opportunity to participate in a ministry that reaches out into our community. This year we have chosen to help stock our Free Pantry that is in front of the church. Below are some suggestions of items that could be brought into VBS to help those in our community experiencing hunger.

- granola bars
- fruit cups
- beef jerky
- small packets of snacks
- canned vegetables
- trail mix
- juice boxes
- water bottles

## **Extra Information**

How Vacation Bible School is set up

- 1. Preschool through 5th graders are grouped by grades into small groups.
- 2. Groups are led by adult guides and supported by youth assistants.
- 3. Gather at the beginning of the program in the chapel for opening.
- 4. Rotate through activity areas: Bible, craft, science, and recreation.
- 5. Come back to chapel for closing.

If you have any questions, contact Danielle Moody dmoody@rofum.org