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Woodbury United Methodist Church

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**Get ready for
Summer Adventures
and lots of fun!**



Summer Adventures

What does God have in store for you to discover this summer? Grab your tennis shoes and head out the door to Woodbury UMC.....where the excitement is building for some fun-filled days in the sun!

Summer Adventures 2008 offers something for every age, ability and interest. The summer starts off with another exciting learning opportunity for kids 1st-5th grade. Its **Drama Camp!** Come see what this new camp is all about!

Vacation Bible School week is for children 3 through 5th grade...Beach Party...Surfin' Through the Scriptures.

Evening VBS at Peaceful Grove UMC is for the entire family! The Theme is "Tasty Treats"!

Lake Elmo Day Camp gives kids 1st-4th grade the opportunity to really explore nature in the beautiful Lake Elmo Park Reserve, with swimming as a part of the fun!

United Methodist **Horse Camp at Decision Hills**, Spicer, MN for grades 4th-6th. Kids enjoy the great outdoors by horse at this overnight camp, July 20-25!

Preschool children can enjoy theme-related mornings through our Preschool program's, **PDO and Preschool Summer Camps.**

Registration: Please use the form at the back of this itinerary. Payment is due at the time of registration. Because we must guarantee numbers, refunds will be made only due to extreme emergencies.

Relax and enjoy your summer!

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Camp #1



**Drama & Arts
Camp**

“Parables...On Stage”

JUNE 9-12 (9am-12pm)
Grades 1st-5th (as of Fall, 2008)
Cost: \$40

Come for a week of adventure and learning!
If you enjoy acting or performing.....this camp is
for you!

We will be learning the Parables of Jesus,
playing theatre games, preparing foods for snack and
for the drama and exploring different arts as we
prepare props.

Meet Jesus through the following parables:

- Day 1: Great Supper
- Day 2: Lost Sheep
- Day 3: Hidden Treasure
- Day 4: Good Samaritan

This is a wonderful opportunity! Sign up now!

** Checks made out to Woodbury United Methodist Church.*

Camp #2

Beach Party! VBS

Surfin' Through the Scriptures!



JUNE 23–27

(9a–12p)

For Kids 3–11

Cost: \$50

Your high-flying adventure begins here at this year's Vacation Bible School! Fun, excitement, and creative Bible-based activities are a part of each day!

Kids will begin the day at Surf's Up Assembly, and then proceed with their Surfer Group to Beachcomber Crafts, Surf'n'Sand Science Lab, Rockin' Rec, the Scripture Scene and the Snack Shack.

Your Surfers will discover the importance of being all they can be for Jesus and developing five Be-attitudes to practice for a lifetime: be obedient, be kind, be forgiving, be bold in their faith, and believe in Jesus!

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Camp #3



Lake Elmo Day Camp

“Handle With Care”
(Taking Care of Our Planet)

JULY 14–18

(9:30a-3p)

Grades 1st–4th (as of Fall 2008)

Cost: \$120

(\$10 off if paid by May 15)

Spend a fun day at camp learning about Jesus, His teachings, and what it means to live life with Him! Take part in games, stories, nature walks, swimming, singing, and crafts.

Small groups of 4 to 5 children will be led by Junior Counselors to each of the adult led activities.

Kids will need to bring a sack lunch Monday-Thurs. Friday we will have a hot dog roast! Snacks and lots of cold water will be available.

(Bus Transportation from Woodbury UMC to Lake Elmo Park Reserve.)

Come! Be a part of the fun & adventure!

**Checks made out to Minnesota Annual Conference.*



VBS

A Family Event! At Peaceful Grove UMC

JULY 7-10 (6:30p-8:00p)

Ages 6-11 Cost: \$25

Join us for some “Tasty Treats”, where our souls are fed with the rich food of the Good News!

Nightly themes include:

Manna from Heaven

The Golden Calf

Mary and Martha

Jesus Cooks a Breakfast

Cooking, crafts, music, games, stories and more!

6-6:30p A Light supper

Including a “Live Cooking Show”

6:30-8p Activities for preschool-6th grade

(Teens & Adults have their own discussion)

**Checks made out to Peaceful Grove United Methodist Church.*

Camp #5



BEGINNING **HORSE CAMP**

JULY 20–25

6:30p–8:00p

Grades 4th–6th

Cost: \$427 for the Week

At Decision Hills, Spicer, MN

(Sponsored by the United Methodist Conference)

Enjoy the thrill of 3 hour lessons each day at Paffrath Paint Ranch, just a short drive from camp. Campers will share their skills with parents at a show on Friday afternoon before heading home. Plenty of time will be spent at the ranch as well as doing camp stuff, including Bible study, campfire, water activities, s'more, and more!

Woodbury UMC is encouraging kids of all ages to go to Decision Hills for this week! Contact Amy about opportunities for your 7th-9th Graders at "Race for Jesus" and 8th-12th Graders, "Studio Hills: Media for New Generation"!

Please contact Jan Slagter or Amy Fuller if interested in these camps. A separate registration form is needed.

**Checks made out to Minnesota Annual Conference.*



Woodbury Preschool Summer Camps
EXPLORING OUR WORLD

9-11:30a

For Preschool Children ages 4 or 5
(by Sept. 1, 2008)

Cost: \$75

Each week we will explore different aspects of our world through art, music, stories, games, and hands on experiences.



May 19-23

June 2-6

June 9-13

June 16-20

July 14-18

The Back Yard

The Pond

North Woods/Canada

Ocean/Mexico

Dinosaurs

Enroll your child now in one or more weeks of our exciting and fun summer program.

(As classes fill, we will keep a waiting list and you will be notified if a space becomes available.)



**Checks made out to WPPS.*

Camp #7

Woodbury Parents Day Out

SUMMERTIME



**Tuesdays & Thursdays
(9a–1p)**

MAY 20 & 22

MAY 27 & 29

JUNE 3 & 5

JUNE 17 & 19

For Children ages 6 weeks–Pre-Kindergarten

Cost: \$200 for 8 days

Daily class schedules include creative crafts, stories, games, play, large motor activities, and snack. Children need to bring a lunch from home.

The primary purpose of the program is to provide quality loving care for young children. Our program provides positive opportunities to enable children to grow physically, emotionally, intellectually and socially.

This program is a nonprofit organization and is licensed by the State of Minnesota. It is sponsored by Woodbury United Methodist Church to provide a service to Woodbury and surrounding communities.

\$200/for 8 days

\$100 due upon registration with remaining

\$100 due May 20

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