# Director of Children, Youth and Family Ministry Report - May 8, 2019

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## **Sunday School**

- The April rotation just finished up learning about the Lord's Prayer.
- May 12 is the last day of Sunday School for the year. Students will sing in worship that morning had have outdoor games if weather permits.
- We will begin using the Connect curriculum for 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> graders in the fall. I have a sample lesson plan in my office if anyone would like to take a look!

#### Confirmation

• We only have two more weeks of confirmation (May 8 and 15). The 8<sup>th</sup> will be a wrap-up of the catechism and the 15<sup>th</sup> will be a fellowship and service night. Their service project that night is helping make the meatballs for the Meatball Dinner on May 19<sup>th</sup>!

### **Trinity U**

- I have heard from around 15 Trinity members who are willing to be professors of Trinity U courses.
- My next steps are to reach out to those people again and start planning what their classes will look like and where they will add in their faith component!

### Indianapolis - Mission Trip 2019

- We have 9 youth and 2 adults planning to go to Indianapolis from July 27-August 2 for our Group Mission Trip.
- Our next meeting as a group will be Sunday, May 5, at which we will have some devotion time in preparation for our week of service in Indianapolis.

# **Fundraisers**

- We served the Easter Breakfast on April 21. We made about \$475 that morning.
- Jacque and I are busily working on the Syttende Mai Meatball Dinner. We have many youth signed up to help, but need more! I am working on calling people today (May 3)!

#### Middle School Game Night

- Once a month for the rest of the school year, I will be having a Middle School Game Night at my house for 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders.
- We had 6 youth show up on April 13. We had a really fun time! Our next (and last) Middle School Game Night will be May 10.
- Bonfires for this age of students will be held every Sunday in my backyard starting June 16 and will run through the summer.

#### Day Camp and VBS

- Trinity's Day Camp and VBS week will be June 24-27.
- Our program will be on Thursday, June 27 at 6:30 or 7 in Viking Memorial Park. I have reserved the Log Cabin to serve ice cream floats after the program!

#### **Personal**

• I am taking a vacation May 21-26 to visit my new nephew in Oregon!