

September Important Events

September 13

10:00am-Christian Education Program registration and tours-meet in Krueger Hall

September 20th

10:00 am-Meet with Shepherds in designated homerooms

3:00pm-Light Shine meeting and pizza party in Fun and Games Lab

September 27th

10:00am-Rotation Workshops begin- meet your Shepherd in your homeroom

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The New Approach

Starting September 13, 2009, St John's UCC will have a new approach to Christian Education. We will be doing workshop rotations. This will be a fun and an exciting way to learn about your faith, Jesus and the stories of the Bible.

What exactly are workshop rotations? Every week your class will meet in their "homeroom" for attendance and offering collection. Your Shepherd will then guide you to the assigned rotations for that week. Each workshop will have a different "Guide" (Teacher). We will be working on the same idea for a total of four weeks but you will see it from a whole different light!

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Homeroom and Shepherd Assignments

Meet with Shepherds on September 20th

3-4 yr old and Kindergarten-Meet in Creation Lab
Shepherd-Dawn Peterman

1st and 2nd Grade-Meet in Puppet Lab
Shepherd-Kris Gross

3rd, 4th and 5th Grade-Meet in Computer Lab
Shepherd-Keri Reineking

6th, 7th and 8th Grade-Meet in Fun and Games Lab
Shepherd-TBA

September 27th- 10:00am- Rotations begin-meet in your homeroom

Introducing Light Shine

"Light Shine" is our new youth group. The group is open to all middle and high school youth, not just church members so your friends are invited! It doesn't matter if you are strong in your faith or questioning your faith. The group will be based on love and acceptance as well as service through the power of ourselves and God.

We will be making plans for a mission trip in the summer of 2010 as well as other service projects for the year. Your input is needed!

We will be having an organizational pizza party meeting on Sunday September 20 at 3:00pm in the Fun and Games Lab.

Bring your friends! Rides provided!

Please RSVP to Laurie by September 15th at 452-8137 or by email at: SJYouthleader@yahoo.com if you plan to attend.

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