

Zion Lutheran Church
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Our Purpose: Zion matters to the community by showing the love of Jesus Christ.

Join us in God's BIG Backyard this year where we will be serving Jesus and having a blast! Zion's Vacation Bible Adventure is **June 24th – 28th from 9:00 am to 12:30 pm Monday through Thursday, and 9:00 am to 1:00 pm on Friday.** In God's BIG Backyard, your children will enjoy an interactive and Bible-based week full of service as they learn all about serving others and Jesus!

Our program is designed for children ages 4 through those who have completed 5th grade, and remains **FREE** to all participants because of your continued support. Registrations will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis with a maximum of 50 children. Activities will include Bible study, games, crafting, singing, outdoor activities and community service. Snacks will also be provided for the children Monday through Thursday, and we will provide pizza for lunch on Friday.

For your convenience, a registration form is included. Please return the completed form by **Thursday, June 20th** to help us plan for the appropriate class sizes and numbers. Registrations will be accepted during the week of VBA only if space is available.

Each child must be picked up by a parent or alternate person that you have designated on the registration form, regardless of the child's age. We also ask that your child wear tennis shoes, or shoes with enclosed toes every day for safety reasons.

God's BIG Backyard Highlights:

- ✠ **Monday, June 24th:** Our adventure begins in God's BIG Backyard! Quilt Square creation today!
- ✠ **Tuesday, June 25th:** Scavenger Hunt in God's BIG Backyard
- ✠ **Wednesday, June 26th:** Lydia Brooks from Habitat from Humanity will join us!
- ✠ **Thursday, June 27th:** God's BIG Backyard Water Fun Day (weather permitting) – swim suits & sunscreen and the Kona Ice Truck will be here at noon.
- ✠ **Friday, June 28th:** God's BIG Backyard Celebration – outdoor games & activities and our Music Program at 12:00 pm followed by pizza and ice cream.

Attached is a flyer about this year's community service projects. There will be special service projects throughout the week at Zion and for the kids to do at home.

Please feel free to call the church office at (330)499-3909 with any questions you might have. Thank you for sharing your child with us for a week of fun, friendship, learning, service and God's Love!

God's Blessings,
Debbie Fox, VBA Team Leader



God's BIG Backyard 2024 Service Projects

It's Your Serve!

Community service is an important part of Zion's VBA Program. It teaches the children love and compassion, and how they can put God's love into action! They will be doing God's work with their hands! Our hope is they realize that no matter how old you are, and no matter how big or small the act, you can truly make a difference in showing others that they are loved and cared for by God and others!

Donations are always optional and appreciated, if you are able. The following is a summary of this year's projects:

LOOSE CHANGE COLLECTION – We will have a collection jar out each morning for the kids to bring in loose change. We will keep track of our total each day and see how much we can collect from this small act of kindness. The money collected will be donated to several charities chosen during the week.

Food Pantry – We ask that each child bring a non-perishable food item each day if possible. This food will help stock Zion's food pantry, helping so many families in the community.

School Supplies - Here is a list of needed items by children in our community if you would like to donate to this project:

Crayons	Scissors	Glue – bottles & sticks
Scissors	Paper	Pencils & Erasers
Spiral Notebooks	School Boxes	Folders & Binders
Rulers	Backpacks	Antibacterial Wipes

Quilt Squares - The children will create quilt squares for Zion's Comfort Givers to sew quilts for Lutheran World Relief. We will raffle one quilt to be chosen Friday. Tickets will be available during the week - 1 for \$1 or 6 tickets for \$5. All proceeds from the Quilt Raffle will be donated to the charities chosen during the week.

Daily Projects - The children will work on several service projects throughout the week at Zion and at home.

Thank you for all of your support & donations!!!

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Please complete the permission and medical information section on the back of this form.

Child's Name _____

Address _____

Child's Age _____ Birthdate _____

School _____

Grade (completed) _____

T Shirt Size (specify youth or adult) _____

Allergies: _____

Special precautions or treatments: _____

Chronic physical problems: _____

Medication currently being administered: _____

Are there any special instructions that you want noted regarding your child? _____

Child's Name _____

Address _____

Child's Age _____ Birthdate _____

School _____

Grade (completed) _____

T Shirt Size (specify youth or adult) _____

Allergies: _____

Special precautions or treatments: _____

Chronic physical problems: _____

Medication currently being administered: _____

Are there any special instructions that you want noted regarding your child? _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Address _____

Email _____

Cell Phone _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Address _____

Email _____

Cell Phone _____

Church where your family belongs: *(if any)*

In case of emergency, list two people to contact if you are unavailable (9 a.m.-12:30 p.m.):

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Relationship _____

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Relationship _____

Please circle the days your child(ren) will be attending VBA:

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday

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EMERGENCY MEDICAL AUTHORIZATION

Student Names _____

Address _____ Telephone _____

Purpose: To enable parents and guardians to authorize the provision of emergency treatment for Children who become ill or injured while under Zion Lutheran Church Vacation Bible Adventure authority, when parents or guardians cannot be reached.

Part 1 or 2 must be completed

PART 1: TO GRANT CONSENT

In the event reasonable attempts to contact me at _____ (phone #) or _____
_____ (other parent or guardian) at _____ (phone #) have been unsuccessful,
I hereby give my consent for (1) the administration of any treatment deemed necessary by Dr. _____
_____ (preferred physician) or Dr. _____ (preferred dentist), or, in the event the
designated preferred practitioner is not available, by another licensed physician or dentist; and (2) the transfer of
the child to _____ (preferred hospital) or any hospital reasonably accessible.

This authorization does not cover major surgery unless the medical opinions of two other licensed physicians or
dentists, concurring in the necessity for such surgery, are obtained prior to the performance of such surgery.

Facts concerning the child's medical history including allergies, medications being taken, and any physical
impairments to which a physician should be alerted: _____

SIGNATURE OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN _____

ADDRESS _____ DATE _____

Do not complete Part 2 if you completed Part 1

PART 2: REFUSAL TO CONSENT

I do not give my consent for emergency medical treatment of my child. In the event of illness or injury or the
requirement of emergency treatment, I wish Zion Lutheran Vacation Bible Adventure authorities to take no
action or to: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____

Address _____ Date _____

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Student Name(s)

Parent/Family/Guardian Name (Printed)

Address

E-mail Address

Photo Release: Zion Lutheran Church in North Canton, Ohio has my permission to use my child's photograph publicly in VBA materials. I understand the images may be used in print publications, online publications, presentations, websites, and social media. I also understand that no royalty, fee or other compensation shall become payable to me by reason of such use.

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____

Date _____

Live Streaming Permission: Zion Lutheran Church in North Canton, Ohio has my permission to live stream Friday's Celebration Program and post the video link. I understand the video and link may be used in print publications, online publications, presentations, websites, and social media. I also understand that no royalty, fee or other compensation shall become payable to me by reason of such use.

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____

Date _____