

Christian Education Meeting

June 1, 2020

Present: Kathy Nornhold, Ann Pineda, Jason Haldeman, Herb & Joanne High, Brittany Hoeschele., Kendra Gottshall

Blue - Covid Plans

CHECK-INS

- NURSERY
 - Jo is looking for a replacement - Mandi Hileman? Donna McDonough?
 - Should not have volunteers in the nursery until we are in the green phase

- SHINE (preschool)
 - Karin has been doing weekly video since 4/26
 - Interactive videos with song and simple message has been successful
 - Should not have formal class until we are in the green phase

- BLAZE
 - Clean out Christian Ed Closet
 - A new divider needs to be placed in the current 2-5 class - We reached out to Resources and Amy Zimmerman
 - Kathy & Kendra weekly video since 4/26
 - Scavenger hunt Zoom - BLAZE special event
 - Send postcards to say hi and advertise Zoom event
 - 5th graders will move up June 14th
 - Should not have formal class until we are in the green phase

- Jr. High
 - Zoom meetings continue to go well
 - End of year Party is June 7 on Zoom to celebrate 8th graders.
 - We will have 5th graders and 8th graders move up on June 14
 - Speakers will be joining over the summer to lead S.S.

- Sr. High
 - Meeting over Zoom
 - Nurture is recognizing seniors
 - Senior “Sermons” are being recording

- Adult classes
 - Intersections class is meeting informally about every other week on Zoom
 - Sunday School Class at 9:15am each Sunday through Zoom
 - June 7 - Dan Ulrich - Bethany Theological Seminary
 - June 14 - Deb Drury - E-town library
 - COVID-19 Update - Kathryn H. Jacobsen
 - Bible Study - Thursdays at 1pm
 - Chris Bucher is going to provide leadership
 - Lititz Bible Study - People can connect with that bible study weekly
 - Sent out a recommended list of resources that adults could view/join

Other Business

5th Sunday Forum *New responsibility of Christian Ed.

- August 30 - (Immigration support team?)
- November 29 -
- Jan. 31 -

Teacher Recognition

- **Kids make a video to say thank you to teachers - BLAZE zoom**
- **Make a donation in their name - Give a Girl a Chance NCP**

Children’s Church

- Have an event to fill out clearances?

Leaders:

- Jason & Ashley
- Kathy & Kendra

- Brittany & Ann
- Cassie Mora & Lauren Ober-Miller (need clearances?)

Possibilities:

- Alyssa Cross - Maybe (Would like to observe first)
- Jacob & Allison (possibility for the future)
- Maura (need clearances)
- Karen Stoltzfus
- Paula Burke

VBS

- Has been postponed

Camp Day

- 1 day event hosted by Camp Swatara

Future Goals

- Increase our support of students that have special needs (one-on-one supports)
- Increase Children's Church
- Training for teachers

TO DO:

- **Brittany - Postcard for VBS**
- **Jason - reach out to Jo about nursery situation**
- **Jason - List of BLAZE names for postcards/set up penpals**
- **Jason - BLAZE special event for Zoom over the summer**
- **Jason - rosters (BLAZE)**
- **Jason - Update Clearances**
- **Jason - Give a Girl a Chance donation**
- **Kathy - reach out to Maura about children's church**
- **All - Nursery coordinator**
- **All - Clean Ch. Ed. closet**

Next Meeting: July 6 at 6:30 pm

For Board:

- We need a replacement for nursery coordinator
- S.S. being offered virtually in various ways
- VBS - cancelled - possible Camp Day is in the works