

Children and Youth Ministries 2011 - 2012

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The Rev. Walter G. Edmonds and Rev. Linda W. Motter, pastors

<u>Program</u>	<u>Membership</u>	<u>Times</u>	<u>Start Date</u>	<u>Director/Leader</u>
<u>CHRISTIAN EDUCATION</u>				
Sunday School	Children (2 yrs—5 th grade)	9:30 - 10:30 a.m. Sundays	Sept. 11	Crystal Rice Linda Motter
Youth Blend Café & Sunday School	Youth (6th—12th grades)	9:30 - 10:45 a.m. Sundays	Sept. 11	Crystal Rice Linda Motter
Confirmation	Youth (8th/9th grade—open to students through 12th grade)	during 6 - 9 p.m.	Sept. 12	Pastoral Staff
Vacation Bible School	Children and Youth Helpers	9 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.	July 30 - Aug. 3, 2012	Cathy Scarbrough
<u>CHOIRS</u>				
Cherubs	Children (4-1/2 yrs - 2nd grade)	4:00 - 4:45 pm Wednesdays	Sept. 7	Katherine Williams
Girl Choristers Boy Choristers	Children (3rd - 7th grades)	5:00 - 6:00 pm Wednesdays	Sept. 7	Katherine Williams Walt Edmonds
Charles Wesley Singers	Youth (6th grade - college)	5:00 - 6:00 pm Sundays	Aug. 28	Walt Edmonds
<u>PUPPETS</u>				
Colorful Hands of Jesus	Children (3rd - 6th grades)	4:00 - 5:00 pm Wednesdays	Sept. 7	Crystal Rice
Puppets, InC	Youth (7th grade and above)	5:00 - 6:00 p.m. Wednesdays	Sept. 7	Nancy Lacy, Team Leader

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<u>HANDBELLS</u>				
Inspiration Ringers	(5th– 8th grades)	6:30—7:20 p.m. Wednesdays	Sept. 7	TBD
Youth Bell Choir	(7th—12th grades)	4:00—5 p.m. Sundays	Sept. 18	Polly Edmonds Baldrige
<u>YOUTH MINISTRIES</u>				
Youth Group Gatherings	Youth (6th—12th grades)	6:00 — 8/9 p.m. Sundays — Dinner & Activities	Sept. 4	Walt Edmonds & others
Special Events	(6th—12th grades)	Includes Living Nativity, Progressive Dinners, Winter Retreat, etc.		
Habitat for Humanity	(6th grade—college)	July, 2012	TBD	Anita Duvall
Youth Mission Tour	(6th grade—college)	June 15 - 24, 2012	TBD	Walt Edmonds

PLEASANT PLAINS PRESCHOOL

Open enrollment: Cora Horst, Preschool Director (301) 253-9798.

3 -year old, 4-year old, and Pre-K classes		Morning sessions Monday—Friday	Sept. 6	Various
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THE ACADEMY OF ST. CECILIA YOUTH ORCHESTRA

By audition: Lerna May Frandsen, Orchestra Administrator (301) 821-1162.

Prep Orchestra	Beginners	6:30—7:15 p.m. Tuesdays	Sept. 6	Ken Webb
Chamber Orchestra	Intermediate players	7:30—9:00 p.m. Tuesdays	Sept. 6	Ken Webb
Youth Orchestra	Advanced players	7:00—9:00 p.m. Tuesdays	Sept. 6	Walt Edmonds
Concert Band	Mixed	6:00—7:20 p.m. Tuesdays	Sept. 6	Charlie Dougherty
Beginning Band	Mixed	7:30—9:00 p.m. Tuesdays	Sept. 21	Charlie Dougherty