

August 15, 2004

Dear Families,

In the midst of all our summer activities, we have been working hard here at church getting things ready for the fall. We are excited to start another year of Sunday School, Junior Choir, Child Education Plus, Qabats, Glorious Things and Carol Choir! We have wonderful volunteers and curriculum and are ready to go!

For those of you who may not have been involved in all of our programming in the past, there is a sheet enclosed that reviews what we have to offer children at Third Presbyterian Church. There are also registration forms for you to fill out and return on or before Rally Day and a calendar for the program year.

Some important dates to remember:

Sunday, September 12th—Rally Day

We will have a table where you can turn in your registration form (or register if you don't have your form on that day). We will also have an open house so that you can visit your child(ren)'s Church School classroom and meet our teachers. ***Please note that on Rally Day, we will still be on our summer schedule with one worship service at 10:00am.***

Junior Choir will have their first rehearsal at 9:00am (rehearsals will return to their usual time of 9:30am on September --19th)

Sunday, September 19th

- 9:30am--Qabats Parents meeting in the Celebration Center—This will be our only meeting this fall! It will be important for all parents to attend so that we can complete leadership sign-ups and registration.
- Jr. Choir Parents meeting will be at 10:15am, also in the Celebration Center
- Fall Worship schedule begins with worship at 8:30am & 10:45am.

Wednesday, October 6th

First evening of Qabats. In order to be able to plan our tables and volunteer needs, we would request that all participants turn in their registration forms no later than the Qabats parents meeting on September 19th.

We hope that you will take advantage of the many programs that we offer for children of all ages here at Third Presbyterian Church. If you have any questions about any of our programming or would like to discuss children's ministry opportunities further, please feel free to contact either of us at the church at 271-6537.

Thank you,

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