

JUST FOR KIDS

The Gospel Story by Colors

Black – stands for Sin. Roman 3:23

Red – is for the Blood Jesus shed on the cross. John 3:16

Blue – is for Baptism. Mark 16:16

White – tells us we are now Clean and Forgiven. Psalm 51:7

Green – is for Growing in the Lord. 2 Peter 3:18

Yellow – is for the Promise of Eternal Life. John 14:2

It's Summertime!



First Annual Passport to Safety Day

June 2 from 11-4

Promoting summer fun and safety for the kids. Child ID's, fire safety, pet adoption, red cross, balloons, food and fun.

Bring the family, admission is free. Hank 99.9 broadcasting live. Win wild adventure admission tickets call 576-5458 for details.

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Do you want Financial Freedom? Linda Bakker, offers the following financial services: 1) life insurance; 2) mortgage loans; 3) debt elimination loans; and 4) pre-paid legal services. For more information, please contact Linda @ 510-3147.

Church Activities

Sunday School Sundays—9:30-10:30 A.M.

Worship Service Sundays—10:45 A.M.-12:30 P.M.

Bible Study Wednesdays—7:00-8:15 P.M.

Council Meeting Second Wednesday of each month @ 6:00 P.M.

Communion First Sundays



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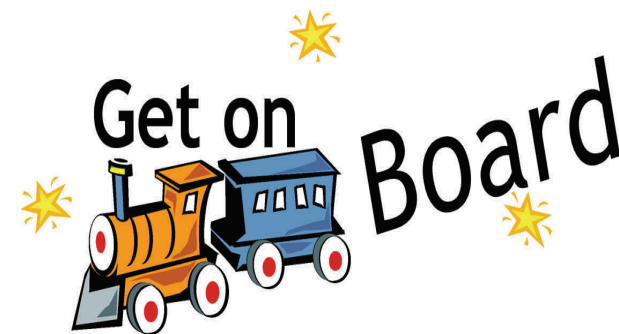
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We are planning an exciting VBS adventure for you! Plan to join us June 4-8, "Get on Board" and hear stories of Jesus, make cool crafts, sing catchy songs, play zany games, eat yummy snacks and make lots of new friends. All ages are invited to join.



June 17th

Thank you, Dad

The Pastor's Ponderings

What do the following things remind you of?

Kids are out of school; days are long and hot, and camps are in full swing. Right, you guessed it, it is Vacation Bible School (VBS) time. I know that you were probably thinking about summer but I wanted to focus on VBS. Our theme this year is "Get on Board". What a challenging theme. God has given all of us skills, abilities, talents and gifts that we should be using to build His kingdom. We are challenging every believer to "get on board", by using the skills, abilities, talents and gifts that God has given them in the ministries here at Unity Baptist Church.

God did not give you all of those gifts just to make you look God. Instead He gave them to you to help build His Kingdom. He has uniquely designed you for His purposes and our desire is for you to join us in VBS so that we can assist you in carrying out the ministry that God has equipped to perform. Are you ready to get on board with God or will you allow Satan to win and not reach your maximum potential? When the train leaves the station, will you be on board?

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Ministry Highlight

The music ministry provides leadership to the music offered during worship and for other ministry activities. It is composed of a group of people who are born again living in a right relationship with God that desire to serve and glorify a holy God through music. The Adult Choir, Children's Choir, Men's Choir, and musicians are a part of the music ministry which allows for ministering God's word primarily through music, as well as other art forms such as praise dance, mime worship, and gospel rap.

Ephesians 5:15-21 states, all music must be suitable for worship and scripturally accurate; causing all who hear to focus on God and His attributes. All songs fall into one of the following three categories: psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs.

Both the Adult and Children's Choirs practice on a weekly basis and sing every other Sunday. The Men's Choir generally sings on 5th Sundays. Membership requirements for Adults include but are not limited to the following:

- * Have a clear recollection of the time they accepted Christ.
- * Be a member of Unity (complete new member's orientation and sign the new member covenant).
- * Attend Bible Study, Sunday school and worship services on a weekly basis.

"Greg, if you jump off that sofa again, I'm going to tear your butt up!" These are the words of my father before I received the whipping of my life. After he said this, however, he immediately went to the back of the house to get something from his room. I, standing on the sofa when all of this happened, think that I have enough time for one last jump. I gracefully leapt from my position on the sofa when, while I was at the height of my jump, my father came right back from where he had been only a split second earlier. This was life for the longest time in the Hutchins' household. Thankfully, (and often to my dismay) there has always been an excellent disciplinarian. With three and a half sisters (Marissa isn't annoying yet) and a quick temper (me), that has always been necessary. I'm thankful that I have a father that does care about me (so he says) enough to discipline me, even if it hurts sometimes.

He has always been there to help me when I'm doing something wrong and he helps me remember what a man is (for more info, listen to the father's day message). To all the former, future, and current fathers, I would like to say thank you and I hope that you have a spectacular Father's Day.

*B Blessed B Safe B Christlike,
Greg Hutchins II*