



2016 Vacation Bible School
St. James's Episcopal Church
June 20 – June 24, 2016 from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon
Cost: \$50.00 for 1 child, \$75.00 for 2 children

Parent's Name(s): _____

Address: _____

E-Mail: _____ Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

PARTICIPANTS

St. James's VBS is for children age 3 (must be **potty-trained**) to rising 3rd graders.
T-Shirt: Please choose 3T, 4T, 5T Youth Small (6-8) or Youth medium (8-10)

Child's Name	Birthdate	Age	Grade (Fall '16)	T-shirt size
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Special Needs/Allergies which may limit/affect participation in VBS activities:

<u>Child's Name</u>	<u>Condition</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

If we are unable to reach you in case of emergency, please provide an emergency contact:

(Name - relationship to child) (Phone #)

Family physician name & telephone number: _____

By initialing here I give permission for St. James's to use images of my child(ren) _____

ADULT VOLUNTEERS

(Parents, Aunts, Uncles, Grandparents, Babysitters- all are Welcome!)

Vacation Bible School is a wonderful opportunity for kids *and* adults too. In one fun-filled week at St. James's your children will play, learn, pray, and grow. Come join the fun!

For VBS to run well, and safely, we require one adult to volunteer a minimum of 3 hours for every child registered. Your volunteer time is vital to the success of this ministry. Volunteers are especially needed to lead and assist in the workshops where you can enjoy time with the children and fellowship with other volunteers.

Please note choices below with a 1, 2, or 3

- ___ **Preschool Leaders:** Volunteers who will work with our 3 year old through rising Kindergarten groups. These volunteers remain with the students all morning, leading them in the bible story and crafts. They shepherd students to games, snack and story time. **(4 each day)**
- ___ **Preschool Game Players:** Lead preschool groups in games and supervise free play **(2 each day)**
- ___ **Preschool Story Readers:** Read to preschool groups each morning in Family Library **(1 each day)**
- ___ **Elementary Shepherds:** Volunteers who will guide our rising 1st – 3rd grade groups through their morning worship, workshops and closing. **(8 each day)**
- ___ **Bible Response:** Volunteers lead a discussion and activities on the daily bible story **(1 each day)**
- ___ **Crafts:** Volunteers assist students in crafts that reflect the scripture of the day **(2 each day)**
- ___ **Music:** Volunteers teach students songs and movements from the VBS CD **(1-2 each day)**
- ___ **Games:** Volunteers organize and lead games and free-play time for students **(2 each day)**
- ___ **All Group Snacks:** Volunteers organize and serve snacks to all students **(3 each day)**
- ___ **Nursery:** Care for infants and toddlers of volunteers in our St. James's nursery **(2 each day)**

These are areas that help support of VBS, but do not require daily attendance. These are reserved for parents who are unable to be here during the morning.

- ___ **Supplies:** Purchase and organize supplies and snack prior to and during the week
- ___ **Decorations:** Decorate the classrooms prior to VBS week
 - ___ Saturday, 6/17 9:00-12:00 noon
 - ___ Sunday, 6/19 11:00 -1:00 p.m.
- ___ **Clean-up:** Break down decorations and classroom set-ups (6/24, 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.)

If you are available a specific day and are flexible to help as needed please circle day(s) here: M T W TH F

Please indicate special considerations, talents, or time limitations you might like to share at VBS:

The final day of VBS (June 24) will be a carnival day. We need as many volunteers as possible to insure a fun and safe day for everyone.

- ___ Please check here if you will able to attend our final day on June 24.

NURSERY REGISTRATION

A nursery is available for children younger than age 3 on the days you volunteer. If you will need nursery care, please register your child(ren) below:

Child's Full Name

Birthdate

Registration deadline is May 1, **2016**. Please complete and return these forms with a check **made payable to St. James's Episcopal Church** with marked "VBS" in the memo line. The cost for VBS is \$50.00 for 1st child per family and \$75 for 2 children.

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