

FUMC Education Committee Meeting
May 25, 2011

1. Opening Prayer

2. Old Business

VBS

- VBS committee met on May 18, 2011. Present -- Pastor Ernie, Mary, Cyndy, Kelly.
- Discussed whether we would still have a Pre-School class since the Clovis Youth cannot come as our VBS is the same week as their Band Camp and the majority of the Youth are in Band. It was decided we would still offer a Pre-School class with Kelly and Jo Kruger as the teachers. Pre-requisites to attend will be the same as Little Lambs.
- We will look into if we will need a Nursery for any of our workers. Nursery will be available to VBS workers only.
- Mary and Cyndy will set up the crafts for each day of VBS. Good news is we have all the supplies we need as we have been ordering since January a little at a time.
- We will still need to put up a wish list for some items for decorations, Bible Point Posters, and food for the light meals we will be providing.
- Pastor Ernie will speak to the Methodist Men to see if they will provide the meal on the last night of VBS. We want to make an impact for our closing night finale.
- VBS committee will meet more often as VBS draws nearer.

3. New Business

Safe Sanctuary Policy:

Education committee has been asked to review this and come up with a policy that will be appropriate for our church. Ernie to write up changes we discussed and email to us.

Nothing But Nets:

Jennifer's and Cyndy's classes made mosquitoes at Claire's request to help with the campaign on Bread Basket Sunday.

Cyndy's class made get well cards for the *Sammy Rides* group.

Cyndy's class will be "traveling" to Jerusalem this summer. The previous two summers they have traveled to Egypt and Rome. This is like a mini VBS on Sundays for the summer. Every week is different and it doesn't matter if a child doesn't come each Sunday. They will not feel "lost" and will fit right in. We are trying to be known as "the church that 'travels' somewhere each summer."

4. Closing Prayer

Next meeting will be at 5 pm on July 27, 2011.