



Get ready to move to the beat at
Vacation Bible School, July 28th – 30th!

Dive into a wet and wild weekend!

Living Waters is a weekend program put on jointly by First Presbyterian, Grace Falls, and New Day Lutheran. Through Bible Stories, fun science experiments, crafts, food, and games, we will build relationships and explore the many ways in which God uses water to "Refresh, Renew, and Restore" us and His creation.

This is a weekend VBS program. It will be **Friday, July 28th (4:00pm – 8:00pm)**, **Saturday, July 29th (9:00am – 2:30pm)**, and **Sunday, July 30th (9:00am – 1:30pm)** – see attached schedule for more details. **It will be held at Sunnyside Park.**

- ❖ The program is designed for **kids who are potty-trained through 4th graders.**

NOTE: Children 4 yrs. old and under must have an adult over 18 on site at all times.

- ❖ **Anyone 5th grade and up can volunteer!**

Volunteering:

- We need both parent and youth volunteers in order to make this happen. See opportunities for volunteering on the next page and make sure to fill out a "Covenant of Conduct" form and the "Background Check" or "Declination of Background Check" form attached.
- Youth volunteers (5th grade – 12th grade) need to fill out the separate "Volunteer Registration" form, which also includes a Medical form and a "Covenant of Conduct" form.

Outreach:

- This year our outreach project will be making "**Refresh, Renew, Restore Baskets**" for the folks at **Good Samaritan Society** in Idaho Falls. Drives for the items needed will be held at New Day Lutheran, First Presbyterian, and Grace Falls beginning July 2nd. Contact Pr. Gina Herman at (208) 523-6333 for a list of items needed, as well as drop-off places and times.
- This year, as we are learning about water and caring for God's creation, we will also be doing a coin collection for **Life Water**, a Christian non-profit working to end the global water and sanitation crisis.

Registration Checklist:

- Volunteer Registration form
- Health form
- Volunteer Covenant of Conduct

YOUTH VOLUNTEER

Living Waters Vacation Bible School 2017

Friday, July 28th (4:00pm – 8:00pm), Saturday, July 29th (9:00am – 2:30pm), and
Sunday, July 30th (9:00am – 1:30pm)

Sunnyside Park

Hosted by First Presbyterian, Grace Falls, & New Day Lutheran

Youth Volunteer Name: _____

Gender: M / F Age: _____ Grade: _____ T-Shirt Size _____

Phone number: _____ E-mail (if you have one): _____

Best way to get a hold of me: _____ Church: _____

Street Address: _____ City/State: _____ Zip: _____

Parent(s) Name (s): _____

Parent Phone: _____ Parent E-mail: _____

| I would be interested in helping with: <i>(Please list your TOP 3 choices)</i> | I'm available to help: |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Crafts <input type="checkbox"/> Food <input type="checkbox"/> Games <input type="checkbox"/> Bible connections <input type="checkbox"/> Outreach Project <input type="checkbox"/> Set-up/Clean-up <input type="checkbox"/> Group Lead <input type="checkbox"/> Security/Fill-in where needed <input type="checkbox"/> Sing/play in the V.B.S. band <input type="checkbox"/> Other | <input type="checkbox"/> Prep before V.B.S. <i>(for crafts or gathering supplies)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Friday (3:30pm - 8:00 pm) <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday morning (8:30am - 12:30pm) <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday afternoon (12:30pm - 4:30pm) <input type="checkbox"/> Sunday Morning (8:30am - 1:00pm) |

Release Period: July 28th – 30th

Minor Medical Information, Consent, and Release of Liability

Church policy REQUIRES a completed form for EACH participating child under the age of 18 years.

Child's Full Legal Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Gender: Male | Female
Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____
Home Phone: _____
Parent(s) Name(s): _____ Work Phone: _____
Cell Phone: _____
Insurance Carrier _____ Phone Number: _____
Primary Insured Name: _____ Relationship: _____
Doctor's Name: _____ Phone Number: _____
Hospital of Choice: _____
Emergency Contact: _____ Relationship: _____
Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____
Known Allergies: _____
Current Medication(s): _____
Physical / Mental / Developmental Needs: _____
Special Dietary Needs/Concerns: _____
Date of Last Tetanus Shot: _____

Medical Consent and Release: I, the Parent or Guardian, give permission for my child to attend off-site events, sponsored by First Presbyterian Church, Grace Falls, and New Day Lutheran Church on and between the dates mentioned. I also understand that every effort will be made to contact me if my child needs medical treatment. If it is impossible to do so, I give my permission to medical personnel selected by the adult leadership to secure proper treatment; to transport, to hospitalize, order injections, anesthetize, x-ray or do surgery for my child. I do hereby release and forever discharge First Presbyterian Church, Grace Falls, and New Day Lutheran Church from any claim whatsoever that arises or may hereafter arise on account of any first aid, treatment or service rendered in connection with the Participant's involvement during Vacation Bible School or with the decision by any representative of First Presbyterian Church, Grace Falls, and New Day Lutheran Church to exercise the power to consent to medical or dental treatment as such power may be granted and authorized in the Parental Authorization for Treatment of a Minor Child.

Liability Release: I, the Parent or Guardian, will hold harmless First Presbyterian Church, Grace Falls, and New Day Lutheran Church and its assigns from any and all liability, claims, and demands of whatever kind or nature, either in law or in equity, which arise or may hereafter arise from the above named participant's involvement in any First Presbyterian Church, Grace Falls, and New Day Lutheran Church activity. This discharges First Presbyterian Church, Grace Falls, and New Day Lutheran Church from liability or claim with respect to any bodily injury, personal injury, illness, death or property damage that may result from the Participant's activity with First Presbyterian Church, Grace Falls, and New Day Lutheran Church whether caused by the negligence of First Presbyterian Church, Grace Falls, and New Day Lutheran Church or its leaders, teachers, staff or committee members of otherwise. First Presbyterian Church, Grace Falls, and New Day Lutheran Church does not assume any responsibility for or obligation to provide financial assistance or other assistance, including but not limited to medical or disability insurance, in the event of injury or illness.

Other: The Parent or Guardian expressly agrees that this Release is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the laws of the State of Idaho and that this Release shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of Idaho. The Parent or Guardian agrees that in the event that any clause or provision of this Release shall be held to be invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity of such clause or provision shall not otherwise affect the remaining provision of the Release which shall continue to be enforceable.

Photo Release (Optional): I hereby authorize First Presbyterian Church, Grace Falls, and New Day Lutheran Church to use, reproduce, assign, publish and/or distribute photographs or videos of myself/my child for use in materials they may create for the purpose of promoting First Presbyterian Church, Grace Falls, and New Day Lutheran Church and its programs.

Parent/Guardian: _____
(print name clearly)

Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____
(signature)

Ministry Leader Covenant of Conduct

In participating in this Vacation Bible School program, I understand that I am a representative of the Christian community and I am responsible for my actions. I know God loves me. I will live a life in response to that love. I understand the guidelines below are ways of being responsible and loving.

1. I will respect the property of the facility and personal property of others. I will not be destructive.
2. I will not use drugs, alcohol or tobacco while participating in a church function, nor will I be in possession of them.
3. I will respect the ministry participants and prayerfully consider their insights and ideas.
4. I will respect the rights of others and not verbally or physically abuse or harm anyone.
5. I will participate to my fullest ability.

I, _____, **have read this covenant and**
(print name)
understand it. To the best of my ability I agree to abide by it.

Participant: _____ Date: _____
(signature)

V.B.S. Weekend Schedule

- Friday, July 28th
 - 4:00 pm – Open Registration & meet with your child’s group leaders
 - 4:30 pm – Opening Worship & Session 1 (Parents encouraged to stay for the evening)
 - 5:00 pm – BBQ for kids and parents
 - 5:45 pm – Group time at stations (Bible, Science, Craft, Games)
 - 7:45 pm – Closing worship
 - 8:00 pm – Families go home for the evening
- Saturday, July 29th
 - 9:00 am – Kids arrive & meet up with groups
 - 9:15 am – Opening Worship & Session 2
 - 9:45 am – Group time at stations (Snack/Bible, Science, Craft, Games)
 - 11:45 am – Lunch
 - 12:30 pm – “Big Picture”
 - 1:00 pm – Outreach project/Game time
 - 2:00 pm – Closing Worship
 - 2:30 pm – Families go home
- Sunday, July 30th
 - 9:00 am – Kids arrive & meet up with groups
 - 9:15 am – Opening Worship & Session 3
 - 9:45 am – Group time at stations (Snack/Bible, Science, Craft, Games)
 - 11:30 am – Closing Joint Worship for All (Including host churches)
 - 12:30 pm – Joint potluck picnic provided by all churches.
 - 1:30 pm – Everyone goes home