



ST. MATTHEW U.M.C. CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

KINGDOM KIDS

PUPPET PERFORMANCE

Bring the family out on Sunday, **May 5** at 6:30 pm for An Evening with the Puppets! All ages will enjoy this puppet show full of our good ole' favorite songs plus some great new ones. Desserts will be served in the Vine Café following the puppet show. You'll leave laughing!

THE KINGDOM CONNECTION

On Wednesday, **May 8** at 6:30 pm, our kid's choir will present their spring musical "The Kingdom Connection" in the Sanctuary. Join us as we go back 2,000 years to meet the kings from the Bible. The kids will not disappoint you in this exciting interactive experience!

WE'D LOVE YOUR HELP!

Vacation Bible School is such a fantastic outreach opportunity and we would love your help! We have plenty of volunteer opportunities with different grades, locations and options. VBS Volunteer sign-up is available at the ROAR table in the foyer. We have spots available as helpers, decorators, snack area, greeters and many more options. Join us this summer for the MANE event!



An Evening with the Puppets: May 5
Kingdom Connection Musical: May 8
VBS Work Week: June 3 - 6 (12 - 4 pm)
Roar VBS: June 10 - 14
Beulah Bible Camp: June 24 - 27
Beulah Beginning Camp: June 28 & 29
Promotion Sunday: August 11
Back to School Movie Night: August 23

BEULAH CAMP

Beulah Camp is an outstanding, Christ centered camp, where kids learning about Jesus is our priority. We'll have a ton of fun through hands on Bible stories, captivating recreation, awesome music, delicious food and really amazing fellowship time with our cabin friends! Camp forms are available at the Welcome Center in the main foyer and church website. Sign up before the bunkbeds are all taken!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Online sign up for ROAR Vacation Bible School is now available vbspro.events/p/roaratstmatthew Make sure it's on the calendar for **June 10- 14** from 9:00 am - 12:00 pm and is free for all 3 year olds through finishing 6th graders. This epic African adventure engages the whole herd. At Roar, kids explore God's goodness and celebrate a ferocious faith that powers them through this wild life.

SHRINER'S PARADE PROMOTION

We invite your family to walk with us on Friday, May 31 in the evening to promote Vacation Bible School. This is always a fun, family time to get out in our community and invite our neighbors to VBS. The bus travels with us for bathrooms, water & air, when we need it!

Questions or interested in helping, contact:

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MAY

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

			1. Last week of Kids Club 5:30 - 7:30 pm	2. Tutoring at Ellis 8:00 am; National Day of Prayer	3.	4.
5. Sunday Schedule; Puppet Show 6:30 pm	6. Kingdom Connection set construction	7. Kingdom Connection dress rehearsal 6:00 - 7:30 pm	8. Kingdom Connection 6:30 pm	9. Tutoring at Ellis 8:00 am	10.	11.
12. Sunday Schedule; Happy Mother's Day!	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.
19. Sunday Schedule	20.	21.	22. VBS Volunteer Training 6 - 7 pm	23.	24.	25.
26. Sunday Schedule	27. Church office closed	28.	29.	30.	31. Shriner's Parade (to promote VBS)	

JUNE

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

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2. Sunday Schedule; VBS Volunteer Training 4 - 5 pm	3. V.B.S. Work Week 12:00 - 4:00 pm	4. V.B.S. Work Week 12:00 - 4:00 pm	5. V.B.S. Work Week 12:00 - 4:00 pm	6. V.B.S. Work Week 12:00 - 4:00 pm	7.	8. Pastor Andy Black's Ordination (Peoria, IL)
9. Sunday Schedule; VBS Final Decorating 3 - 6 pm	10. ROAR Vacation Bible School 9am - 12 pm	11. ROAR Vacation Bible School 9am - 12 pm	12. ROAR Vacation Bible School 9am - 12 pm	13. ROAR Vacation Bible School 9am - 12 pm	14. ROAR Vacation Bible School 9am - 12 pm; Closing Celebration 6:00 pm	15.
16. Sunday Schedule; Happy Father's Day! BYI	17. Beulah Youth Institute	18. Beulah Youth Institute	19. Beulah Youth Institute	20. Beulah Youth Institute	21. Beulah Youth Institute	22. Beulah Youth Institute
23/30. Sunday Schedule	24. Beulah Bible Camp (4th - 6th gr.)	25. Beulah Bible Camp (4th - 6th gr.)	26. Beulah Bible Camp (4th - 6th gr.)	27. Beulah Bible Camp (4th - 6th gr.)	28. Beulah Beginning Camp (1st - 3rd gr.)	29. Beulah Beginning Camp (1st - 3rd gr.)

SUNDAY SCHEDULE:

Worship Service: 8:00, 9:17, 10:45 am
 Children's Church 8:00 am (dismissed from church)
 Sunday School Opening: 9:15 am (Worship Center)
 Sunday School: 9:30 - 10:30 am (Kids' Town)
 Children's Church 10:45 am (dismissed from church)
 New Creation Puppets: 4:00 - 5:00 pm

Evening Service/Bible Study: 6:30 pm

(Nursery available from 8 am - 12 pm; 6 pm - 7:30 pm)



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