

**The Education Vision Team
May 3rd, 2010.**

Present: Brenda Moen, Bonnie Duerst and Karen Emerson
Excused: Connie Showalter and Diane Wells

To accommodate current members schedules and hopefully bring in new members future meetings will be held on the first Tuesday of each month instead of the first Monday of the month. The next meeting date will be June 1, 2010 at 6:30 room to be determined.

Letters had gone out inviting members to become part of the new Youth Board, however due to a conflict with Pastor Tews schedule the date will need to be changed and new notices will be going out. There is also an open invitation to anyone in the congregation who would like to be a part of this group to come to the first meeting.

Brenda stated she has ideas for the Ministry Fair under way. There will be a table for Vacation Bible School, The Youth Group, Sunday School, Pumpkin Fest, tours of the SS and Brenda will hold her class in the FLC to show what goes on in crafts. Set up will be done on Sat.

Brenda reported that the SS teachers had met the week before. There is a core group of teachers that have used the rotation schedule and are comfortable with it. New material is being looked at and ideas shared. Sara Schutt volunteered to put the class rotations in place. The group will keep certain events like Bibles to the 3 year olds and the 3rd graders and blessing of the backpacks on there calendar so these are not forgotten.

There will be an initial meeting Wednesday May 5, 2010 for people to come and volunteer as teachers, crew leaders, music leaders, decorating and food prep for VBS.

For the Keep It Simple stewardship presentation in August we will invite the VBS children to come and sing before the 9:15 service as our Temple Talk and than will have people and information in room 113 for the congregation to view and ask questions.

Bonnie announced that she will be going to half time as of the first of May. Youth are signing up for the Summer Festivals. Mentoring was completed the end of April with a talk from Captain Robert Blanchard and then the young people present filled packages and wrote notes to members of the congregation who are serving abroad. Bonnie is also planning to do a bulletin board for this year's graduates.

Respectfully Submitted
Karen Emerson