

PARISH EDUCATION MINISTRY

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MISSION: The Parish Education Ministry Team shall, by the power of the Holy Spirit, share the Gospel of Jesus Christ and make available opportunities for spiritual growth to the body of Christ at Calvary Lutheran Church.

ACTIVITIES AND CONTACTS:

- Adult bible classes:
 - Sunday Morning – Young Adult Class, Parents of School Age Children, 'Into the Word' for any congregational member, topical study
 - Annual Congregational Renewal Study - 6 week bible study held in small groups in member homes and at Calvary. The bible study is supported through the sermons, videos, and songs in the worship services.
 - Saturday evening bible study
 - Women's summer bible study – Kristen Schward and Jennifer Eisberg
 - Additional studies per individual groups
- Children's Ministry Director – Paula streib
- Children's Sunday School –
 - Preschool/Kindergarten – Ruth Deckard and Jennifer Oskins
 - Grades 1 & 2 – Ben/Brittani Langhammer and Sarah Miner
 - Grades 3 & 4 – Chuck/Beckie Hudson and Loretta Robinson
 - Grades 5 to 8 – Dennie Morrison
- Vacation Bible School Summery Program as well as a Christmas Program
- Nursery provided for ages 2 and under during both services and during the Sunday School hour with regular staff and volunteers as needed – Emily Fehlinger and Danielle Hendricks
- EPIC Center - Stocked with books that can be checked out – Dan and Sandy Kendall
- Intergenerational "Known and Loved" held monthly during the Sunday School hour for congregational and family interaction.
- FAME (Fun Adult Ministry Etc.) – Jill Fosler, jfosler@perryschools.org
 - Mission: To grow in our love of Christian faith through weekly Bible studies and to serve others with the gifts God has blessed us with.
 - Gathered weekly for bible studies
 - Visited girls at Lutheran Child and Family Services monthly
 - "Adopted" the girls at Lutheran Child and Family Services for Christmas
 - Made "blessing bags" to give to the homeless
 - Served breakfast at the Ronald McDonald house
 - Witnessed God's love to others
 - Began Saturday Men's study

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:

- Teachers for adult classes
- Class members
- Nursery assistance
- Various children's Sunday School opportunities
- EPIC assistance as necessary