

To Mars and Beyond



HIGH STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

*Welcome to High Street United Methodist Church's 2019 Vacation Bible School! We are glad you joined us as we journey "To Mars and Beyond". Please invite your friends to join us tomorrow evening.
Sunday, July 14, 2019 – Volume 1 – Edition 1*

Go Beyond with Faith!

Today's color: Orange

Today's Bible Lesson – Daniel 6
Daniel Trusts God in the Lion's Den

Vector Verse: With God's help, we can do anything!

Mission Commander Annie – Anne Hager
Outpost of Mars – Hello Voyagers! Welcome to our space station! EP3-20, Penny and I are excited to have you join us on this exploration. Today we learned, "With God's help, we can do anything!" Our power launcher today is "Go beyond with Faith!" Blast off to Mars and Beyond.

Bible Stories-Drama – Kathy Worrell
People around the world face challenges to their faith every day – some small, some large, and some even life-threatening. In today's Bible story, we explored and observed the example Daniel provides of faithfulness in the midst of such a challenge. Daniel's story has a happy ending and ours will too... because we know that God is with us and He will help... at VBS and BEYOND!

Craft Guide – Marie Smith
Voyagers enjoyed making lion masks from our Bible story, "Daniel in the Lion's Den."

Music Guide – Lisa Strozier
Our voyagers learned a new VBS song today, "Music for my Lord."

Mission Guide – Ruthie Ponder
Sunday night - \$91.00

This year's VBS Mission Project is Heifer International. Each night we bring our offering money to raise money to help some people who are poor and hungry. Helping others near and far is what God wants us to do. He wants us to live the by the Golden Rule – "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you." The Heifer Project International has been in existence for 75 years, working very hard to end world hunger and poverty. They provide animals and also tree seedlings and irrigation systems to poor families all around the world, even here in the USA to stop the cycle of poverty and hunger. They also provide training to the families for how to manage the animals to provide the most for the families.

Our goal for the week is to collect at least \$800 to be able to send animals to some families. The children will get to vote at the end of the week on which animals we can purchase. Chickens, cows, fish, goats, pigs, rabbits, sheep, water buffalo, honey bees, ducks and geese are some of the animals we can choose from.

If we reach our goal or go over it, Pastor Nathan has agreed to let us shave his head! So let's reach our goal to be able to buy lots of animals to help those in poverty.

For more information about this project you can go to www.heifer.org.

Recreation Guide – Sybil and Pat Newman
Today we used the parachute for a lot of fun activities. Working together as a team was important, and we laughed and giggled a lot. Next, we ran the ice cream cone relay – balancing a yarn ball on a "cone" as we raced along. What a fun time together on this first day of Vacation Bible School!

Colors for the day:

Sunday – Orange
Monday – Yellow
Tuesday – Blue
Wednesday – Green
Thursday – Red

Today's Attendance:

Staff –	39
Youth Assts -	16
Total	55
Pre-K - Comets –	7
Stars –	8
Moon Beans -	9
Kindergarten -	8
Grade 1 -	9
Grade 2 & 3 -	9
Grades 4 & 5 -	11
Total -	60
GRAND TOTAL -	115

Mars Cafe Menu:

Sunday: Spaghetti, bread, vegetables & dip and brownies (Billy Ray's crew)
Monday: Chicken nuggets, macaroni and cheese, fruit cups, and Rice Krispy Treats (United Methodist Women)
Tuesday: Corn dogs, beans, chips, watermelon, and cookies (HSUMC Church Council)
Wednesday: Sloppy Joes, Tater tots, corn, dirt cups (United Methodist Men)
Thursday: Pizza, veggie sticks, ranch dip, ice cream, Moon Pies (Choir)

Voyagers

Classes and Station Leaders:

PreK – **Comets** - Don Spengeman, Carolyn Pollard, Jada Brittle (YA), Tate Litton (YA)
Stars - Glenda Jervey, Lori Vasser, Erika Shaffer (YA), Ann Spanagel
Moon Beams - Alison Frohlich, Linda Maya, Katrina Draughn (YA)

Kindergarten– **Mercury**
Taylor Crane, Cara Butler, Daelyn Rose (YA), Dutchess Rose (YA)

1st Grade – **Venus**
Angela Draughn, Kerri Frohlich, Mira Barnes (YA)

2nd & 3rd Grade – **Saturn**
Rebecca Harper, Debbie Story, Mike Pollard, Carolyn Blythe (YA)

4th & 5th Grade – **Jupiter**
Sarah Reed, Stephanie Blythe

VBS 2019 Staff

Mission Commander (Director): Anne Hager

Pastor: Nathan Decker

Registration: Alice Shaffer, Greta Hall, Judy Smith, Troy Dongarra

Kitchen Commander: Donna Dudley

Bible Stories and Drama Guides: Kathy Worrell, Maxine Hollowell, Diane Bracey

Craft Guides Pre-K: Jamie Boyer, Neva Hall (YA) Elijah Decker (YA)

Craft Guides K-5: Marie Smith, Beth Luck, Cara Butler, Evan Ponder, Hannah Hasty (YA), Christine Frohlich (YA)

Mission Guide: Ruthie Ponder

Music Guides Pre-K: Lizzie Teague

Music Guides K-5: Lisa Strozier, Ruthie Ponder, assistants: Emily Wrenn, Salena Johnson

Newsletter Commander: Margaret Lewis

Photography Commander: Meredith Wrenn

Recreation: Sybil Newman, Pat Newman, Knox Butler (YA), Madison Cooley (YA)

Stage/Design and Audio Visual Commanders at Mars

Outpost: Ray and Linda Maya, Sonya Allen

(Staff members are reminded to please clean your space on Thursday evening or during the day on Friday.)

