VENICE FREE METHODIST CHURCH WEEKLY

May 10, 2024

FRIDAY, May 10

AWANA 7-8:30p

SATURDAY, May 11

AWANA Grand Prix 9:30a-11:30a

C2B Crochet 10a-12p

Youth PULSE 7-9:30p

SUNDAY, May 12

ACTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT w/PASTOR CLIFF 8:45-9:45a – MPR - Our Lord Jesus announced the kingdom of God during his life on earth. His resurrection opened the kingdom to all who believe. Explore how the Holy Spirit has extended the kingdom around the world. Today: Holy Spirit prepares Paul for Rome; Acts 21-24

PARKING FOR SERVICE: The Church Lot is for Seniors and those with Handicap placards. For those able, please go to the VJCC Lot at 12448 Braddock Dr. and park along the wall on the Left. Each service has a dedicated parking area. Please pull forward in the tandem spots to make room for everyone. If parking behind someone, please leave a name/number card in case you need to be called. Thank you!

INFANT/TODDLER CHILDCARE:

Littles 2 yrs and younger can be dropped off starting at 10:15am. (Across the church lot).

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Kingdom Kids' classes available for 2nd service at 10:30am. *Preschool* in The Ark (Across the alleyway) *Kinder & 1st* in Room 7/10 2nd & 3rd in Room 8/9 4th & 5th in Room 11/12 For questions contact kids@venicechurch.org

WORSHIP SERVICE: 9a & 10:30am

We continue our "Been There" sermon series. 2nd Service is livestreamed: *youtube.com/c/venicefreemethodistchurch*

UPCOMING EVENTS

ADOPT A MISSIONARY (AaM) LUNCH: Sun, Jun 2 after 2nd service – Sanctuary Hear about what our AaM groups are doing! RSVP by May 20 to Gary at <u>gtaka@aol.com</u>.

CREATE TO BLESS (C2B) CROCHET 2nd Sats & 3rd Thurs thru June – Well House Crochet small blessings for hospitals and nonprofit orgs! Bethany will be available to teach any newbies! Email questions to themounts5@gmail.com.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT CONNECT GROUP thru Jun 5 – 6-7:25p – Sanctuary - A fun way of discussing the "Been There" sermon series. Childcare available for PreK-5th. This week's dinner is provided! Signup: https://bit.ly/3PGCB6B

ALPHA w/PASTOR JIMMY – Wednesdays thru Jun 19 - 6-8p – MPR - For those who do not yet believe in Christ as Savior. A nonjudgmental space where all questions are welcome. Invite those in your life you've been trying to reach! Dinner provided. People can email <u>PastorJimmy@venicechurch.org</u> to RSVP.

VENICEMANIA VOLUNTEER MEETING Sun, May 19 – 12:30PM – MPR

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for the big Youth Game Day on 6/1. If you'd like to help out, email Dan at <u>DanielPhai@gmail.com</u>

YOUTH PULSE VENICE MANIA Sat, Jun 1 - 11a-4p – Lunch provided!

YOUTH PULSE END OF YEAR PARTY Sat, Jun 8 – 5-8p

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COUPLES WORKSHOP – Fri, Jun 28 - 7-9p

"Establishing a Healthy Financial Foundation," led by Brian Lee. For couples seriously dating or married. Email Amber to sign up: <u>aroseholyfield@yahoo.com</u>

VBS KICKOFF – Sun, Jul 7 – 12-2:30p

All hands on deck as we prepare to impact kids for Christ! Lunch provided. You don't have to volunteer for the week to help setup!

VBS – Mon, Jul 8 thru Fri, Jul 12 – 6:30-8:30p For kids ages 3 (and potty-trained) thru 6th grade. Volunteers needed! **Register here!** https://vbspro.events/p/events/venice2024

YOUTH SUMMER RETREAT Mon, Jul 22 thru Fri, Jul 26 – Oak Glen Camp Registration now open: <u>bit.ly/pcjccamp2024</u>. Incoming 6th Graders invited to attend!

FAMILY CAMP – Fri, Nov 8 to Mon, Nov 11 Forest Home Forest Center – Forest Falls, CA Registration info coming soon... Email office@venicechurch.org if you have questions.

CHURCH WIDE BULLETINS

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for YOUTH EVENT on Sat, Jun 1 from 11a-4p – Lunch Provided If you'd like to help at VeniceMania, please email Dan at <u>danielphai@gmail.com</u>. Volunteer Info Meeting is Sun, May 19 at 12:30pm.

SEEKING PRAYER AT VFMC IN 2024?

There are many opportunities to receive prayer! **IN PERSON**: Every Wed from 7:30- 8:30pm, in the sanctuary. The 2nd, 4th, and 5th Saturday of each month, 9:00-10:30am, in the sanctuary. After 2nd service on the 1st, 3rd, & 5th Sunday of each month in Rm 1. **OVER EMAIL**: Request prayer through our prayer chain of volunteers! Email the Prayer Ministry Director at <u>regariyasu@gmail.com</u>. If you'd like to join the Prayer Team, email <u>regariyasu@gmail.com</u>.

SEEKING WOMEN'S MINISTRY LEADERS

This one's for the ladies! Wouldn't it be nice to gather together with your sisters in Christ for fun and fellowship at a few meaningful events throughout the year? You're in luck! We're reigniting our Women's Ministry and Fellowship for 2024 and we're looking for a few wonderful ladies to help lead and plan! If you'd like to help or have questions, contact Dawn Dohrmann at <u>dkagihara@aol.com</u>

SUNDAY VISUALS TEAM OPENINGS

Calling all those comfortable with a computer & looking to serve on Sundays! The Visuals Team needs your help! Contact Matt (<u>matthewtrit@venicechurch.org</u>) or J.J. Uyeda (<u>julianna.uyeda@gmail.com</u>) for info!