

## Vacation Bible School Ministry

The Vacation Bible School Ministry is an Education Ministry of the Circle of Care.

The Education Ministries Mission Statement:

*Educate God's people with God's Word to increase faith  
and equip the saints for works of service.*

Each summer West Olive conducts Vacation Bible School (VBS) for its children and children in the community. While the VBS Ministry is also an outreach ministry, its primary function is education. You can support the Vacation Bible School Ministry in the following ways:

- Help set up the facility for VBS. Lots of preparation is required the week prior to VBS to prepare the rooms for the classes and activities
- Teaching material preparation - gathering and preparing craft material which will be used during the week to help drive home the lessons being taught
- Teachers are needed in each classroom. In the past couple of years, we've conducted VBS in the same fashion as our Sunday morning Journey Land where groups of children are led among different learning centers.
- VBS directors - take the children to the learning centers and maintain crowd control
- Servers - what is VBS without cookies and refreshments? Serving cookies and other goodies each day.
- Provide Kitchen help and clean up
- Remove the VBS decorations after VBS is over