



# September

Thank you for all the effort behind the scenes and in the day to day of VBS. We learned so much about being creative and using our gifts that God has given to make a difference in this world! We had over 35 children and youth, 25 adults on the scene for five days. Seven children and youth had conversations with me about what it means to be a Christ follower and we gave away nine Bibles. Wow! What a God.

VBS 2026 will be June 9-11 from 5-8 and all day on August 5! Stay tuned for more details.

This Summer's Sunday school we have explored Galatians 5:22-23 in Children's Literature. We read over 12 books and discovered how the treasure of love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, gentleness, faithfulness, and self-control can be mined. The children have treasure boxes with trinkets to remind them of how to walk the world with Jesus' love.

Our monthly children's Friday night specials will return on September 25 with a Frog and Toad picnic! Watch our Facebook page for more information. ~Tami



## RALLY DAY SUNDAY, SEPT. 7

Everyone come to worship on Sept. 7! Let's celebrate our community and our families with a picnic/potluck. CE will provide beverages and hamburgers and hotdogs. Multigenerational games are planned. Who's ready for a 3-legged race? Games will begin after the 9am service. Lunch is served at 11. There is plenty of food and fun for all!

Special challenge...Grandparents bring your grandchildren.

It is Grandparents' Day after all. What a special way to celebrate our generations.



Proverbs 17:17, "A friend loves at all times,  
and a brother is born for a time of adversity."

## **Friendship Picnic**

Join us Sept. 25 5:30-8

Dinner included

What can two amphibians teach us about friendship?  
Come and see! We will explore God's Creation, talk  
about creation care, play in nature, and learn about the  
special amphibians in Ohio! Grades K-6