

the Pit Stop

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The Big Screen presents "Ant Bully"

Saturday, October 3 @ 7pm
Fellowship Hall

Come join us on the first Saturday of October for a fun movie night in the Fellowship Hall. This month we'll be watching the movie "Ant Bully" the story of a ten-year-old boy named Lucas, who is the target for the local bully and because he cannot fight back, he takes out his anger on an anthill in his front yard. One wizard ant, known as Zoc devises a magic potion that will shrink Lucas down to their size, forcing him to live like an ant within the colony. Lucas learns the value of friendship and teamwork, and obtains the things he wants most: friends, companionship, acceptance and the courage to stand up for himself. So bring your friends and family as we shrink down to size and watch "Ant Bully" on The Big Screen with us!



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- 3 - The Big Screen - "Ant Bully"
- 4 - Movies & Theology - Bedazzled
B.L.A.S.T. / Confirmation
CROP Walk
- 10 - Confirmation Retreat
- 11 - Movies & Theology - Casablanca
B.L.A.S.T. / No Confirmation
- 14 - Refuel / PYC
- 16 - High School Retreat
- 18 - Movies & Theology: The Truman Show
- 21 - Refuel / PYC
- 28 - Refuel / PYC
- 29 - Triennium Informational Meeting
- 31 - Halloween

CROP Walk

Sunday, October 4 @ 2:00pm
Community Kitchen

We're looking for walkers!
Come join us on this Sunday afternoon at Community Kitchen and be a part of standing against hunger in our world. We'll be raising awareness and funds for international relief and development, as well as local hunger-fighting. Let's get walking!



Movies & Theology

Sundays @ 9:00am
The Meeting Place

We're halfway through our six-week series on Movies and Theology. If you haven't made it don't worry, we have 3 more shows left for you @ 9am on Sunday mornings. You may want to view the movie prior to coming. We'll discuss the themes in these movies and how movies can shape our faith.
FRESH POPCORN FOR ALL!

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

October 4 - Bedazzled

October 11 - Casablanca

October 18 - The Truman Show



Confirmation Retreat

Saturday, October 10 - Sunday, October 11
Presbyterian Camp on Okoboji - Cost \$25

Calling all 8th graders! It is time once again for our Confirmation Retreat up at the Presbyterian Camp on Okoboji. The activities for the weekend will include keynote sessions followed by small groups to help you get thinking about your personal faith and your role as a member of the church. There will be time to hang out and participate in camp activities with others going through Confirmation. So mark your calendars and find your sleeping bag as we head out for a great weekend!

High School Fall Retreat

Friday, October 16 - Saturday, October 17
Presbyterian Camp on Okoboji

Come join us as we head up to the Presbyterian Camp on Okoboji for a weekend to get away from it all. We'll head out after school on Friday afternoon and be back on Saturday evening.

There will be campfires, games, fun and friends.
Cost is \$25



Registration Forms can be picked up in the Church Office or by contacting Nate.

Do you want to go to TRIENNIUM?

Informational Meeting
Thursday, October 29 @ 7pm

Do you want to go to Triennium next summer? Then this is the meeting for you! Come get the inside scoop on what is being planned for an amazing week!

Triennium is held at Purdue University where 3,000 Presbyterian Youth will takeover and experience something truly special together.

We will look at possible fundraising ideas and answer as many questions as we can. So please come and get yourself prepared for a great time. Parents are encouraged to attend with you.



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