

# September 1st & 2nd

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## Calvary & Rock of Salvation

If you have any items that you would like to donate to the sale please bring to the Church by August 31st.

You may put them in the supply closet by the bathrooms in the Gym.



Money raised will go to Mennonite Central Committee to help with providing food to South Sudan during their famine (see back of insert for more information) and to a mission in India that reaches Muslim Teens.

#### Vacation Bible School

We would like to Thank everyone who helped at VBS this year. We had a great time with the children. There were 46 children registered and 40 helpers. We were able to raise \$1,936.00. The money will be used to buy supplies for 350 school kits for MCC.

### Youth Mentoring Program

The mentoring program is designed to allow wisdom and vitality flow between generations. Our Jr. High and High School youth are paired with an adult to encourage them in the way of the Lord. Mentors are encouraged to pray daily for your youth as well as meet with them at least once a month, e.g., the combined service Sunday, for prayer.

We have a few new youth that are coming into the group that need Mentors. If you would like to volunteer to be a Mentor there is a sign up sheet on the Welcome Center.

#### Mennonite Men Retreat at Drift Creek

Men of all ages are invited to gather for a weekend dedicated to MAKING PEACE with CONFLICT at Drift Creek Camp in Lincoln City, OR September 29 through October 1. Guest speaker, Steve Thomas, Coordinator of Mennonite Men USA, brings more than 30 years of experience studying conflict. He has served as a Mennonite pastor, a martial arts instructor, a peace educator and an adjunct professor at Goshen College. He will guide participants through exercises that will help us look at conflict as opportunities for growth and building more healthy, stronger relationships. Not only is early fall is one of the prettiest seasons to enjoy Drift Creek, but this is a wonderful opportunity to invest TIME in the relationships you care about most. If you are a grandfather, uncle, father, brother, teacher or mentor, think about inviting the special young men in your life to spend the weekend at camp together. All ages are welcome! Online registration is available <u>www.driftcreek.org</u>. Please phone <u>971-600-1244</u> for questions.