

Precious Blood Catholic Church

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Dear Vacation Bible School Volunteer,

First of all, I want to thank you again for the great gift of time and talent that you gave to our Vacation Bible School program in the summer of 2023. It was a wonderful Wilderness Adventure Through the Sacraments!

This summer, I invite you to dive into friendship with God with us in SCUBA! Precious Blood's Vacation Bible School is scheduled for **June 3-6, 2024**.



This Totally Catholic VBS from Our Sunday Visitor introduces a new station format that reinforces the daily Bible Point in creative and memorable ways. I am truly excited to see this all come together in a way that teaches our kids about God—a friend who is real, loving, and trustworthy forever.

I'd like to introduce you to the new station format and ask you to consider leading a station or helping in some way. We need many hands to make VBS a success – even those who help for just a day are so appreciated!

- Deep Bible Adventures Lead the kids in acting out the daily Bible story. Use props and interactive skits to teach.
- Imagination Station Lead the kids in a science experiment with a teaching point that relates to the theme of the day. All science experiments are explained in the station manual, along with how the experiment shows the Bible Point for the day.
- Sticky Scripture Lead the kids in exploring the Bible and the daily memory verse. The kids will have their own copies of the Gospel of John to use as they look up the memory verse and learn what Jesus wants to tell them. Show the daily video, which introduces a Bible buddy to teach the kids.

And of course, we will have:

- Reef Recreation P.E.-style games
- Tidal Treats Snack

Before VBS starts, we need a large crew to help with the decorating! The decorations truly are what make the week come alive for the kids. Any help is welcomed to create backdrops and props (many workdays will be scheduled) and to set up on the Friday before we begin.

If you are interested in helping with Vacation Bible School this year, please fill out the enclosed form and return it to me in the office by April 22. You may mail it back, drop it off to the office, or put it in the collection basket.

Thank you, and I hope you'll dive in with us!

Emily Ketzner Faith Formation Coordinator

"you were ransomed . . . with the precious blood of Christ"

1 Peter 1:18,19

Yes! I want to help with Vacation Bible School this year!

Name:

Parent Name (if youth):

(Parent) Email Address:

(Parent) Phone Number:

Days Available to Help: (circle)

Monday, June 3 Tuesday, June 4 Wednesday, June 5 Thursday, June 6

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Sign me up to help with (circle leader or helper for your preferred station):

<u>Deep Bible Adventures</u> — Station Leader Station Helper

<u>Imagination Station</u> — Station Leader Station Helper

<u>Sticky Scripture</u> — Station Leader Station Helper

Reef Recreation — Station Leader Station Helper

<u>Tidal Treats</u> — Station Leader Station Helper

-OR-

<u>Grade-Level Group Guide</u> — Group Leader Group Helper

(circle preferred grade)

PreK Kindergarten Grade 1 Grade 2 Grade 3 Grades 4 & 5

Nursery – babysitting for children of volunteers

Decorations: (circle)

Making backdrops and props – days and times to be announced Setting up on Friday, May 31 – time to be announced

Please return to Emily in the Precious Blood office by April 22.