



Precious Blood Catholic Church

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Dear Vacation Bible School Volunteer,

First of all, I want to thank you for your interest in offering your time and talent to such a wonderful cause. I am so proud of our parish's tradition of providing a fun week for our youngest members, and people like you make it possible!

This summer, I invite you to trust Jesus in a wild world as we explore the Alaskan wilderness with True North! Precious Blood's Vacation Bible School is scheduled for **June 9-12, 2025**.

This Totally Catholic VBS from Our Sunday Visitor will have the same station format introduced last year. The goal is to reinforce the daily Bible Point in creative and memorable ways. This year the kids will learn that we can trust Jesus when we wonder, feel alone, feel powerless, or need hope.

Here's an overview of the station format. I ask that you prayerfully 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!

- Wild 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 Matthew 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:

- Glacier Games – P.E.-style games
- Tundra 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 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 email it back, drop it off to the office, or put it in the collection basket.

Thank you, and I hope you'll come explore 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:

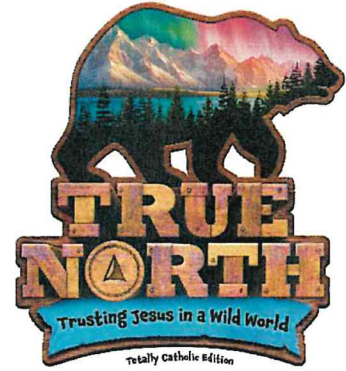
Parent Name (if youth):

(Parent) Email Address:

(Parent) Phone Number:

(If over 18) Have you completed safe environment training? (Could be through any parish or HTCS)

YES NO UNSURE



Days Available to Help: (circle)

Mon, June 9 Tues, June 10 Wed, June 11 Thurs, June 12

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

Wild Bible Adventures — Station Leader Station Helper

Imagination Station — Station Leader Station Helper

Sticky Scripture — Station Leader Station Helper

Glacier Games — Station Leader Station Helper

Tundra Treats — Station Leader Station Helper

-OR-

Grade-Level Group Guide — Group Leader Group Helper

(circle preferred grade)

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

Nursery – babysitting for children of volunteers

Decorations: (circle)

Making backdrops and props

Setting up on Friday, June 6, 9am - Noon

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