

# Vacation Bible School, 2009



Redeemer's 2009 Vacation Bible School, "Tending God's Garden," will be a week of music, drama, art, laughter, friendship, stories, and worship—participants of all ages will experience a week of life in a faith community. Caring for the earth is a primary theme of this year's program; we will celebrate the joy of sharing God's love through working together to care for our world.

Each day will revolve around a Bible story. Our music, art projects, snacks, and special activities will be designed to connect with the story. We will spend part of each day in our 1<sup>st</sup> century village, experiencing what we can of life when our faith was beginning—making clay pots, weaving, beading, baking, playing games, tasting foods, and gardening. On Friday we will celebrate the Eucharist in our own replica of the Catacombs (the site for secret worship in the early church). The oldest "campers" will design the liturgy as the week progresses and, in costume, act as 1<sup>st</sup> century Christians, to guide us to the sacred space and lead the prayers, music and worship as we close our week together.

Children ages 5-11 are invited to attend this week of spiritual enrichment, service, friendship and fun. Teens, and adults of all ages, are urged to help (**child care for children under 5 is FREE on days when a relative is helping**). All will emerge feeling more a part of the body of Christ, touched by the Holy Spirit.

The 2009 dates are August 3-7 (Monday-Friday), from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.  
The cost is \$60 per child (\$130 max per family)

✂ detach; return to the church (5603 N. Charles St., Baltimore, 21210), attn: The Rev. Sandra Etemad ✂

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION, 2009

parents: \_\_\_\_\_ phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
address(es) \_\_\_\_\_ cell phone(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
e-mail(s) \_\_\_\_\_

child's name: _____ _____ _____	birth date: _____ _____ _____	school AND grade, fall, 2009 _____ _____ _____
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\*\* please list any special needs or requests: \_\_\_\_\_

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WE NEED ADULT AND TEEN HELP. *How will YOU help?*

Can you come EVERY DAY? (service hours for teen staff; <b>free child care</b> for children under 5, WHEN A RELATIVE IS WORKING)					
group counselor	art	village (crafts)	serving snacks	other? _____	
Can you come SOME DAYS? Monday _____ Tuesday _____ Wednesday _____ Thursday _____ Friday _____					
registration (Monday only)	art or village	serving snacks	other? _____		
Will you prepare a snack at home and send it in on a designated day (instructions will be provided)? _____					