



# YOUTH & FAMILY UPDATE

Happy 1<sup>st</sup> day of school! We are praying for your children, teachers, and coaches that everyone has a safe and productive school year. May we be aware of God's presence in

our lives as we go off to school, work, and our extra-curricular activities.

## IT TAKES A VILLAGE

Thank you to all who participated, volunteered, and or donated to help make the summer activities a success!

Your commitment to the youth of our community is evident and appreciated.

This year we are doing this a little differently. There won't be Sunday school. Instead, we will have classes and activities for children in K-6<sup>th</sup> grade Wednesday directly after school.

**Kindergarten-6th graders will be meeting at Gethsemane from 3:30pm-5:30pm beginning Wednesday, September 21.** There will be snacks, activities & Christian Education. Dinner for students & their families from 5:30-6:30pm. 7-9th grade students & families are welcome to come for the meal. **7-10th graders will be meeting from 6:30-8PM for Confirmation large group and small groups.**

All parents are asked to attend **Parent Orientation September 14<sup>th</sup> at 6pm**. We will have a meal and then go over information and expectations for Gethsemane ROCKS.

There is a sign-up in the Narthex if you would be willing to help with one of the stations or help prepare a meal on Wednesday nights.

Please click on this link and fill out the registration form to help us in our planning. This is for K-6 and confirmation students. [Gethsemane ROCKS](#)

Peace and Blessings,

Chris Halstead