

Welcome to St. Jude's Children and Youth Ministry, 2018-19!

St. Jude's is glad your family is joining us **this program year, beginning 9 September 2018** –

- **Nursery care (birth-preK)** will continue to be offered each Sunday.
- **Godly Play (preK-6th grade)** will be offered most Sundays (details forthcoming).
- **Youth Group (6th-12 grade)** will meet on 1st Sundays during 10:30am worship, enjoy outings on 3rd Sundays, and have lock-ins periodically (details forthcoming).

To help us create a safe, respectful, loving environment for children, youth, and ministry volunteers, the Diocese of El Camino Real and St. Jude's asks parents/guardians annually to ...

1. **Attend Registration Day on 12 Aug 2018** or meet with clergy prior to 9 Sept 2018. We also encourage you to talk with your child/youth about how important it is to have everyone's commitment to making the year safe, full of learning, and fun!
2. **Complete a Registration packet(s) for each of your children/youth no later than 9 Sept 2018** — fill in the following forms (either online at <http://saintjudes.org/sj-forms> or attached), then print and return to Sarah's mailbox in the Farmhouse –
 - 2.1 Registration Form, including dietary needs (2-sided);
 - 2.2 Parent/Guardian: Media and Electronic Communications (2-sided); and
 - 2.3 Child/Youth: Code of Conduct (1-side).
3. **Read "Safe Churches: Policy to Protect Children"** located at <http://www.realepiscopal.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/11/Admin-PolicyProtectChildren-20120621.pdf>.

Hard copies of any of the above are available upon request. 2018-19 Program dates and details will be forthcoming from each of the ministries. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact one of the Children/Youth leaders or me!

Faithfully,
The Rev. Sarah Lapenta-H

