



The Scoop

The Ultimate Expert

This morning as my family and I were hanging out in the living room after breakfast, Gracie began singing a song that she was making up as she went. She mentioned something about a horse wearing pants. Aly Ann interjected that horses did not wear pants. I asked her why horses wore shoes and not pants. She quickly, and very sassily, told me that she was not a farmer and did not know. She then told me that I needed to ask a farmer that question. She said that farmers know everything about horses. In most things, we are quick to seek out an expert's help. If we have sink issues, we call a plumber. If our air conditioning isn't working, we call an HVAC guy. That is the only intelligent thing to do. Most of the time, if we try to take care of things we have no background in taking care of ourselves, we end up with more problems than we started with. One thing I have noticed in working with teenagers and young adults is that the issues that cause them the most stress, depression, and anxiety in their lives stem from personal relationships. This usually holds true for adults, as well. The funny thing is, we are so reluctant to seek out the expert on relationships: God. We tend to think we can figure it out ourselves when what we need to do is turn to God. Another thing that stands out to me is that these teens and young adults usually aren't completely aware of God's expectations for personal relationships. God has guidelines for all relationships, not just dating and marriage. We must begin showing our kids that God has a specific design, purpose, and intention for all personal relationships. If we begin showing them His ways now, they will be better prepared when the difficult days come.

Event & Activity Spotlight- Vacation Bible School- Shipwrecked

Dates: August 3-5

We will have classes for everyone grades Pre-K through 8th grade. Mark your calendars now. It will be a great time!

Fri.-6-8pm Sat.-10am-2:30pm Sun.-5-7pm

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Upcoming Events

July 12:

Battle Zone Park
6:30pm-8:30pm

August 3-5:

VBS

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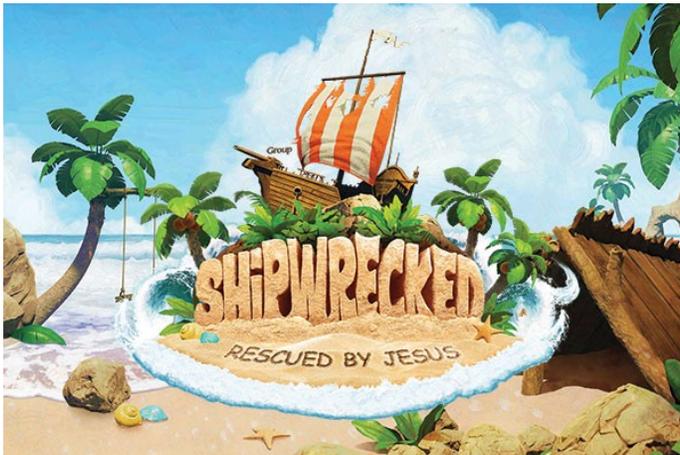
K-5th Graders

\$20 per player

Sign up sheet posted on bulletin board.
Sign up by July 1st.



VBS



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Friday Aug. 3rd:
6pm-8pm

Saturday Aug. 4th:
10am-2:30pm
(Lunch served.)

Sunday Aug. 5th:
5pm-7pm

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Invite a friend....or 4!
