

Dear Youth,

As you know, summer is coming soon. It's time to think about being an LIT. What is an LIT? It stands for Leader in Training and it is a program for youth, 7th through 12th grade, to work in the church and earn funds to use toward youth events, such as choir tour, District Camp or events that come up through the year. There are several opportunities to work this summer as a Leader in Training and earn extra hours toward your LIT account.

Enclosed is an application that needs to be filled out by **ALL** youth participating in the LIT program (even if you're already working). If you are already involved in a certain area, please check that area (such as Sunday Morning Extended Session). If there are extra things you would like to do, please check those as well.

Return the application no later than May 3rd. It **MUST** be signed by either Debbie or Audra and by one of your parents. **We must have a form on file for you to be able to work and get credit.** So, even if you're only going to do an occasional work projects, please fill out an application.

Training for the nursery workers will be on Sunday, May 17th after the 11:00 worship service. This training will last about an hour. **ALL youth (who want to work in the nursery must attend the yearly training event.** If you are already working as an LIT, you must still attend the training – no exceptions. Parents are invited to attend the training event as well. If you cannot make this date, a make up training date will happen in the fall or by special arrangement. It is a good idea to take a babysitting course through the Red Cross and a CPR for infants and children course.

Summer events that LIT's are eligible to work include:

Night Owl Camp – June 15th – 18th, 2:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Helping young campers have fun in the woods, working with nature arts and crafts, creek hikes, and more.

Vacation Bible School – June 29th – July 1st, 8:30 – 12:00 noon

Helping teachers by being shepherds to younger children.

Mission On the Move – June 29th – July 1st, 8:30 – 12:00

Helping 5th and 6th graders with mission projects. (Must be in senior high to work)

Sports Camp – July 27th – 29th, 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Helping children participate in sports and study.

During the year there are other ongoing opportunities to be involved:

Extended Session – Sundays, 10:50 – 12:15

Working in a classroom in the nursery, playing and helping with young children.

Children's Choir and Worship Leaders – Sundays, 10:50 – 12:15

Helping the choir directors keep the children focused.

You must be a member of Chapel Choir.

Respite Care – 2nd and 4th Friday of the month, 6:30 – 9:00 p.m.

Working with handicapped children and their siblings.

Parent Child Center of Tulsa – Thursdays, 6:30 – 9:00 p.m.

Nursery care for children.

We hope you will take advantage of this program for youth. It is a chance to learn and grow and have fun and earn some money toward your youth account, all at the same time. If you have any questions about LIT, feel free to contact any of the following people:

Rev. Mary Ann Emmons
Minister to Young Children
699-0121

Debbie Peterson
Mid-High Youth Director
699-0124

Audra Fogle
Senior High Youth Director
699-0130

**LIT Application Form
2009 - 2010**

NAME _____ Grade (09-10) _____

E-Mail Address _____

Phone Number (s) _____

I would like to work in the following areas:

Vacation Bible School Mission On the Move

Night Owl Camp Sports Camp

PCCT (Thursday evening) Respite Care (Friday evening)

Sunday Morning Nursery Extended Session

Room:

Babies # 106

Toddlers # 102

2 year olds # 104

3 year olds # 110

4 year olds #114

Kindergarten #115

Elementary age children (2nd floor)

I understand that filling out this application does not guarantee me an assignment. I will be assigned according to my abilities, experience and accountability. I agree to attend and participate in the training. I understand that during the training I will be expected to read and sign a covenant for working as a Leader In Training.

Signature

Date

Debbie Peterson or Audra Fogle Co-Signature

Date

THIS FORM MUST BE ON FILE FOR THE 2009 – 2010 YEAR (MAY 2009 TO MAY 2010) IN ORDER FOR YOU TO BE ASSIGNED TO ANY POSITION AS A LIT.

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