Memorial Methodist Church 105 East E Street McCook, NE 69001

Dear Parents/Guardians and Friends,

Sunday, August 17th – Blessing of Backpacks will be during both worship services 8:45 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. (You don't have to attend both, just one.) The children can bring their backpacks and the leadership team will pray a special blessing over them as we prepare our hearts and minds for the school year!

The following third graders will also be receiving Bibles that morning: Abigail Clausen, Oliver Cuellar, Kenna Dixon, Kaitlyn Fulkerson, Landon Hagemann, Judd Jensen, Henry Kollmorgen,

Camden Loper, Lola Pianalto, Micah Priebe, Londyn Reichert, Sawyer Sutton, Claire Thompson, and Cliff Uerling. If you know of a child not on this list, that will be in 3rd grade or a child that is older that hasn't received a Bible from the church, please contact the church office.

Wednesday, August 27th – Family Fun Kickoff! Join us from 5:30-7:30 pm in the parking lot for fun, food, fellowship, and register your child(ren) for the upcoming semester.

WOW – Worship on Wednesday will resume Sept. 3^{th} 6:00-7:30 pm. We will gather in the chapel and then disperse; a meal is served each week. There are classes for preschool up to 8^{th} grade.

Sunday School – will resume September 7^{th} . Preschool thru 5^{th} graders will meet upstairs in the Youth Center between services. 6^{th} - 12^{th} will be meeting in the Library.

Parenting Bible Study – More information to come but we are making plans to offer a parenting Bible study again this year, October 15 through November 12th. We hope you'll join us!

Registration –Forms need completed before classes begin so we have contact/emergency contact information. Registration can be found on the homepage of our website: mccookmmc.com

Volunteering – We need you! We are very blessed with a supportive church community; many of our teachers/volunteers don't even have children that attend children's classes. They are here to serve Jesus and guide your children to Christ; as parents/guardians we want you to join us.

If you can volunteer in a classroom, help in the kitchen, and/or monitor hallways please make sure to check all that applies to you and your family on the registration form. Extra help adds safety and security of the children each week while in our care. Schedules and rotations will be compiled and sent out once forms are complete. Be sure to contact Julie with any questions!

We are looking forward to a great school year of learning and growing in Christ!

-Julie

Children's Ministry Director - Email: julie@mccookmmc.com

DATES TO REMEMBER

Aug 17: Blessing of Backpacks & 3rd grade Bibles

Aug 27: Kickoff Party

Sept 3: WOW begins

Sept 7: Sunday School begins

Oct 15: Parent Study begins

Oct 31: Trunk or Treat