

Christian Education Minutes
Sunday, Oct. 22 - 11 a.m.

Next Meeting: Sunday, Nov. 15, 2009 - noon

Attending: Carolyn Douglas, Donna Robinett, Jim Janovick

Attendance: Our student numbers are currently between 5 and 10.

Donna still needs to fine if we have chosen a **mission** for Sunday School offering.

Christmas Program: Because of the small number of students, we would like to have the Christmas program during Sunday morning service on Sunday, Dec. 13, IF it works out for Pastor Linda and Diaconate. We will contact those and get the information in the Nov.-Dec. newsletter on Oct. 25.

If that time frame doesn't work, we will have the program at 3 p.m. on that Sunday, followed by refreshments. We will also have refreshments following the program if it is held on Sunday morning, followed with a visit from Santa at either time.

We have tentatively chosen a play called "Is It Really Christmas?" This will involve the Confirmands and High School students. We need to start immediately to work on Christmas music.

New Sunday School Material: Jim Janovick will pick up the next Sunday School material from Cokesbury in the near future.

Classes on Sun., Dec. 27 and Sun., Jan. 3: We have decided that we WILL hold classes on those days and probably have a movie and a craft for the students who attend. Carl Duling has indicated he will follow our lead. Confirmation would meet on Dec. 27 and the regular Sunday School class for confirmands would meet on Jan. 3.

Advent Calendar: We will be following an Advent program which Carolyn found on line, beginning Sunday, Nov. 29.

Decorating Party: There will be an Advent Decorating Party following church on Sunday, Nov. 22 following a potluck dinner. We have provided crafts for the young people in the past and will undoubtedly do the same this year.

Confirmation: We have not had a chance to talk to Pastor Linda or anyone attending Confirmation Camp. There were three students who attended: Seth and Kesia, and Truen Olson. Elle Olson participated on Saturday of the weekend.

submitted by Donna Robinett