

Christian Education Commission Meeting
November 11, 2024

Present: Tom Campbell, Jo Hershey, Pastor Jason, David Leiter, Lynne Hockley, Craig Coble

CLASS LIST

Jason will revise a current class list for the various age groups. The people on this list will be those who have attended in the past year.

FAITH FORMATION CHECK-INS:

Nursery (0-2, first and second hour)

It's hit and miss, the babies come when they come. Deb Z. has adequate help lined up.

Shine (2-5, first and second hour)

Matt Heinz is a helper. Nancy Sheaf is involved. There are approx. five regular kids for the second hour and 1-3 for the first hour.

Blaze (K-5th, first hour only)

Kid's Club (K-3rd, second hour only)

Middler (Grade 5-8)

The teachers will meet with Jason on Nov. 24. They include: Ashley H., Ann ZP, the DeGoedes, and the Wiles. Discussion topics will be curriculum and where they will meet. The class will begin to meet at the beginning of 2025.

Youth

There are no real changes with the Youth class. There are about 3-4 who attend on a Sunday.

Post-High Class

At this time of year the class contains students from the college. When they go home for holiday breaks, students from the church who are out of town show up.

Adult Classes

The Bible Exploration Class is going well. It is using a small speaker call-in device to bring in a class member who cannot attend.

As far as future technology, **Jason is working on the following system for Room 106 and the Parlor Room:** Screen, sound bar, tablet or laptop that is connected to the internet.

The Discovery Class is going well with scheduled presenters from week to week.

The Chalkboard Chat forum definitely provides a need for those who desire a less structured format. This past Sunday, it provided a safe place for people to talk about the recent national election.

OTHER BUSINESS:

- This commission is now in charge of presenting the faith markers. We will give out Bibles to Katelyn Glass and Mia Hoeschele on December 15, 2024. Jason will facilitate this.
- Jason is talking with Pastor Liz about offering a teacher training event.
- Carol Nolt will join the committee in January, 2025.

TO DO: Items highlighted above.

NEXT MEETING: Monday December 2, 2025

Submitted by David Leiter