

Grandparents and Grandchildren 1

August 11 – 13, 2019



Dear Grandparents and Grandchildren,

We warmly welcome you to a joyful and fun-filled 46 hours at one of the most beautiful places in God's creation. We will be swimming, boating, crafting, singing, rocking on the porch, eating, making new friends, catching up with old friends and, of course, worshipping in our beautiful chapel. We are blessed in our lives and one of God's loveliest blessings is grandchildren. Pilgrim Lodge is a perfect place to share time and faith with these precious children.

Registration is Sunday, August 11, at 1:30

The **camp theme** this year is **Peace Works**. We will explore the theme mostly during chapel times. We would love **help with chapel and vespers**. There are 3 opportunities to do this: Monday morning, Monday evening and Tuesday morning.

Each Chapel time lasts 15-20 minutes. We will provide curriculum materials and resources upon request. Please email Bob or Carol if you would like to help. Our emails are at the end of the letter. Thank you for your prayerful consideration.

The **mission project** this summer is about **Preserving our Environment**. We will have a special program about this on Monday in the afternoon.

We will also be making **cabin posters** as we have in the past. Please share with us your favorite things by drawing pictures or bringing photos from home. We will provide the poster board, markers and glue, and will display the final products around the lodge on Sunday night and then you may take them with you to display on your cabin porch screen or door for the rest of your time at P.L.

Do you have a hobby, favorite craft or outdoor activity that you would like to share during **Interest Group Time**? Please bring your own supplies. We will provide the space and time for these fun activities. There is no need to let us know what fun activity you will be leading.

This year for our Monday evening activity we will be have a Contra-dance. We will be having fiddle music and a caller who will instruct and lead us all in this joyful form of dance. It's great fun to watch grandparents and grandchildren sharing together! Don't be shy!

Last but not least, we encourage you to bring a reusable water bottle marked with your name. We are always trying to care for God's world. It would be wonderful to go plastic cup free for our time together.

Be sure to remember sleeping bags, towels, personal items, etc. For a comprehensive list of what to bring and other information we have not included here, check out the camp guide on the Pilgrim Lodge website.

We can't wait to meet you and get to know you during this special time and at this sacred space called Pilgrim Lodge.

Peace and Blessings,

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