

# 2008 CAMP OMEGA DAY CAMP AND VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL AT REDEEMER



What a great week at Day Camp and Vacation Bible School! We were blessed with 14 preschoolers and 28 youth who attended our VBS and Day Camp.

## *Camp Omega Day Camp*

The four counselors from Camp Omega who led the Day Camp this year were Andrea Berven who will be a sophomore majoring in nursing at Luther College; Michael Mueller who will be a Senior at Concordia U., St. Paul studying to be a DCE; Shannon Holliday will be a sophomore biology major at the U. of Wisconsin, LaCrosse; and Kristy Singletad who will be a sophomore at Concordia College, Moorhead, MN majoring in Food/Nutrition/Dietetics. The theme for this year's Day Camp was "Crosswalk." The youth enjoyed songs, Bible studies, skits and activities and had great fun during "beach day" playing water games.



## *Preschool VBS: "Friendship Trek"*

Teachers Cindy Wiederhoeft and Betty Haus helped kids experience Jesus' friendship and learn how to care for each other as friends. The children learned Bible stories, sang songs, and made crafts during the week. Thank you to helpers Kiersten Koehler, Ellen Wiederhoeft, Jenessa Rothmeier, and special helper Chantel Lewis.



## *Sparklers Mission Projects:*

This year we collected \$88 in offerings. These offerings will be sent to LCMS World Mission to be used for building schools in India, providing Bibles and Sunday school materials for children in Russia, and caring for the children of Cambodia, China, and Thailand by providing food and supplies for them to attend school.



## THANK YOU'S TO:

- \*Greg and Mary Kay Mages and Tom and Mary Schwarz who provided meals and housing for Camp Omega counselors.
- \*Elaine Poulson, Liz Gruenhagen, and Jean Scheman for preparing and serving snacks and drinks.
- \*Toni Laffrenzen, Mary Sievert, Jean Scheman, and Carol Hoffmann for providing lunches for the counselors.
- \*Lettie Paulson for supplying delicious homemade cookies and pickles.
- \*Shirley Nelson and LaVonne Dahltorp for helping with registration.
- \*Jim and Jan Krapf for cleanup.
- \*Those who attended the closing program on Thursday evening and to those who helped serve ice cream.
- \*Those who donated money and snacks---it was much appreciated and we would not be able to offer these programs without your support!
- \*Those who invited other children to attend: we had 20 members and 22 visitors---what a great outreach to the children in our community!

