

To register for camps & retreats:

One registration form per camper, per camp.

All four pages must be completed and a deposit of \$50 must accompany the registration form.

Early Bird Rate must be paid in full by May 15th. After that time the price of camp increases \$25.

"Help-A-Camper" All money collected beyond the camper fee will go to our Campership Fund.

Camperships are available for campers that need financial assistance. A campership may be requested by a camp director, a pastor, an Outdoor Ministries Committee member, or the Merom Director.

Cancellation Policy:

8 days prior to camp = full refund

4-7 days prior to camp = 50% refund

1-3 days prior to camp = no refund

Call Merom if you have questions or need more forms. Forms can be downloaded from the website.

T-Shirt Design Contest

Submit your one-color design with the theme: "branching out" to tshirt@merom.org no later than May 1st. Be sure to include your name and the camp you are attending. The winner will receive a campership for 50% off the camper fee.

Susie Larson, Merom Director
Linda Land, Camp Registrar

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Send your camper an email at:
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Retreats	Dates	Ages	Price	Plan Ahead ... 2018 Summer Camp Dates	
Alumni Camp	May 19-21, 2017 Check In: Fri 5-6 pm Depart: Sun 10 am	18 and up	\$60	 www.Merom.org	Alumni Camp May 18-20 Faith Journeys June 11-16 Getting Started June 17-19 AMP'd Up June 17-23 Backstage Pass June 20-24 Creative Spirit June 24-June 30 Tri-Level July 1-July 7 All Ages July 8-14 Just You & Me, Kid July 18-21 Family Camp September 1-3 Alumni Camp October 12-14
Alumni Camp	Oct 20-22, 2017 Check In: Fri 5-6 pm Depart: Sun 10 am	18 and up	\$60		

Summer Camp Listed by calendar date	Dates	Age/Grade (determined by grade in fall)	"Early Bird" BEFORE May 15 th	Price AFTER May 15 th	Help-A- Camper Rate \$50 funds camperships
Faith Journeys	June 12-17, 2017 Check In: Mon 10-11 am Pick Up: Sat 10 am	Genesis: 3 rd -6 th Jr High: 7 th -9 th Sr High: 10 th -current year grads	\$320	\$345	\$370
Getting Started Parent Optional	June 18-20, 2017 Check In: Sun 5-6 pm Pick Up: Tues 10 am	1 st -3 rd	\$100 \$150 w/parent	\$125 \$175 w/parent	\$150
AMP'd Up	Returning in 2018	7 th – current year grads			
Backstage Pass	June 21-25, 2017 Check In: Wed 2-3 pm Pick Up: Sun 10 am	9 th – current year grads	\$320	\$345	\$370
Creative Spirit	June 25-July 1, 2017 Check In: Sun 3-4 pm Pick Up: Sat 11 am	6 th – current year grads	\$392	\$417	\$442
Tri-Level	July 2-8, 2017 Check In: Sun 4-5 pm Pick Up: Sat 10 am	Juniors: 4 th -6 th Mid high: 7 th -9 th Seniors: 10 th -current year grads	\$368	\$393	\$418
All Ages	July 9-15, 2017 Check In: Sun 4-5 pm Pick Up: Sat 10 am	3 rd – current year grads	\$368	\$393	\$418
Just You & Me, Kid	July 19-22, 2017 Check In: Wed 10-11 am Pick Up: Sat 10 am	4 years old and up	\$400 for 2 \$190/additional	\$425 for 2 \$215/additional	\$450 for 2
Family Camp	September 2-4, 2017 Check In: Sat 10-11 am Pick Up: Mon 1:30 pm	Open to all ages	--	\$140 each up to 4 \$125 after 4 people	

Summer Camp 2017



All Ages

The All Ages camp offers a unique experience where campers spend the week in multi-age cabins and Family Groups while still having time with kids their own age. The camp embraces learning to appreciate the gifts each person brings regardless of age, and actively teaching Christian values in a family setting. The philosophy of the camp is built on mutual respect – respect for God, others, the world and place where we live, and ourselves. At the heart of the camp is the development of a personal faith in Christ, practiced in community.

Leadership: Doug Bolin; Chaplin: Rev Bev Kahle

Alumni Camp

This weekend retreat is for graduates of all Merom summer camps to get together with old friends to share their journeys since leaving camp for the last time. Explore how camp impacted your transition into becoming a young adult.

Leadership: Kari Anderson, Samantha Barrett, Luke Lawson

Family Camp

This camp is designed with the younger campers in mind. Activities are intergenerational and geared towards campers of all ages – children, parents, grandparents, or other significant adult. Activities include Bible studies, crafts, games, campfires, movies, and fellowship. We'll work together to bring campers closer to God and each other.

Leadership: Rev. Jamie Kent

Backstage Pass

Backstage Pass is a camp that designs and constructs the set, and technical aspects of Creative Spirit's large production. If you like to build, paint, or draw, this camp is for you.

Leadership: Laura Prange

Creative Spirit

Creative Spirit is a music, arts, drama, dance camp. Everyone who attends will be on stage in some capacity. The camp is about embracing the talents God gave us and using them to the best of our abilities in performance. In addition to rehearsal, we also join together every day in times of worship and reflection. The camp will be split by age to provide more opportunities to be on stage in larger roles. Campers are encouraged to support both performances.

Friday: 7 pm – older youth perform in the auditorium.

Saturday: 10 am – younger youth perform in the chapel.

Leadership: Laura Prange

Faith Journeys

Faith Journeys is a multi-age camp that emphasizes Christ's living presence both at camp and back home. The camp offers a place where we can share our own stories as we explore and share the stories from the Bible. Knowing that God's Spirit is already working in each youth and adult, there is an atmosphere of mutual respect that encourages personal worth and Christian responsibility. This week includes age-group and all-camp activities to strengthen Christian community, camper maturity, and intergenerational learning.

Leadership:

Genesis: Emily Cotner & Isaac Field

Jr High: Adam Beyl & Melinda Sterrett

Sr High: Samantha Barrett & Rev. John Heckman



Check this Out!

"Retreats for Adults!"

Bible Study
Camp Alumni
Quilting & Scrapping
And, in 2018
Healthy Living

The Outdoor Ministries Committee is always looking for new ideas!

Currently, we're looking for:

- Leadership for new events.
- Leadership for a retreat in the northern area. (Will also help with retreats in other areas.)

Contact: Kay Pepmeier, committee chair:
kpepmeier@tds.net
or call the camp office: 812-356-4511

Getting Started

This half-week camp is designed for younger campers who are experiencing camp for the first time alone. Campers will participate in creative Bible studies, swim, sing, do crafts and join together for fun and fellowship.

Parent Retreat Option: For a small fee, one parent may stay on campus during this time to ease any apprehensions that your child may have about being away from home. Parents may, but are not obligated to participate in the youth programming.

Leadership: Amber Arend-Voelker



Just You & Me, Kid

This camp is designed with the younger campers in mind. Activities are intergenerational and geared towards campers 4-10 years of age and their parent, grandparent, or other significant adult. Engaging Bible verses in creative ways, crafts, games, swimming, and fellowship work together to bring campers closer to God and each other.

Leadership:

Nancy Menke & Rev. Katie Tabler-Kone



Tri-Level

Tri-Level camp is devoted to strengthening relationships within your own age groups as well as interacting with all three age levels combined for a welcoming family-like atmosphere. A focus of all the camps is helping campers develop a sustainable, relevant relationship with Christ and a deeper understanding of the Bible. During the week campers will participate in service projects, high ropes and low ropes courses, and canoeing, as well as small group and whole group activities and competitions. Other camp traditions include singing after meals, a talent show, 4th of July carnival, water Olympics, and many more! We hope you will join us for a week of camp!

Leadership:

Juniors: Carrie Rich

Mid-High: Rachel Wheaton

Seniors: Kari Anderson