## **Summer 2015: Maspeth Bible Church Newsletter**

Dear Friends and families of MBC,

We're looking forward to a summer full of activity, bible learning and fun. We hope you can join us.

**Summer Picnics** - at Juniper Valley Park on July 19<sup>th</sup>, August 16<sup>th</sup>, check our Facebook group - Maspeth Bible Church or website (Maspethbiblechurch.com) in case of inclement weather.

**Summer kids' zone** - If you are in elementary school, join us on Sundays from 10:30 am till noon. We'll have some COOL stuff including crafts, games, and awesome bible teaching going on. FREE. **Sunday School is cancelled on July 5<sup>th</sup> and church service is on a modified schedule.** 

**Summer camp** - In July, we are looking forward to our summer program, "Walk His Way." This year's **open gym**\_activities will include skits, fun, games, crafts, and great bible teaching for kids. The program runs on Wednesdays in July(except July 8th) and into August on the 5th & 12th. We will have a variety of summer activities from 1 pm to 4 pm for kids that have completed Kindergarten up to age 12. It's free, air conditioned. You must preregister by mailing the accompanying form or call 917-584-5650. There will be fun for all.

Prep days –Teens entering High school and college students are invited to help with some of the prep work that needs to be done for our summer activities. Times listed. Service credit is available. Volunteers that help out on summer camp (see above dates) days, with the kids MUST attend a training session on June 30<sup>th</sup>.(Time TBA) Priority for those helping with camp will be given first to current open gym staff & grade 8 graduate and those who've helped out for past summer camps. TENTATIVE SCHEDULE AS FOLLOWS: Dates for prep are Wednesdays, June 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, (10am to 6pm) & 30<sup>th</sup> (!/2 day) and cleanup August 7<sup>th</sup>(1/2 day) Let me know if you can come from all or part of the day. Training session is on June 30<sup>th</sup>. (Time TBA)

**PLEASE NOTE:** We do NOT let you know when your child is not at Open gym or Summer camp. so, if you want to check if your child is attending, feel free to contact Dorothy.

## SAVE THE DATE/MARK YOUR CALENDER:

**June 12th** - Last open gym of the year, join us for our annual ice cream sundae celebration, see pictures and videos from this year's open gym

**September 2015** – We're not sure what the plans for open gym are yet – we'll let you know at the beginning of the school year.

As always if you have any questions, call Dorothy 917-584-5650 or email (<u>info@maspethbiblechurch.com</u>) or see Maspethbiblechurch.com