

Vacation Bible School Waiver

As parent/legal guardian for my child, I desire that my child participate in Trinity United Methodist Church's Vacation Bible School Program and its affiliated activities and programs during Vacation Bible School Week and throughout the year, including activities and programs occurring both on and off the premises of the church. In that regard:

Waiver and Release: I understand that Trinity United Methodist Church is a non-profit organization and that it is not profiting from its youth and family ministries, programs and activities. I further understand that there are risks and hazards involved in participating in church programs and activities both on and off the church's premises, including transportation to and from any such activities. I have carefully considered the risks and benefits of my child's participation in such activities, and hereby agree to waive and release all potential claims against Trinity United Methodist Church, Trinity Outreach Program, Spotted Horse Ministries, the Shelby County Fairgrounds, their members, Boards of Trustees/Directors, ministry leaders, agents, officers, employees, and volunteers (hereinafter collectively referred to as "The Church") from any claim that I may have myself or that I could bring on my child's behalf with regard to any damages, demands or actions whatsoever, including those based on negligence, in any manner arising out of my child's participation in Trinity United Methodist Church's Vacation Bible School Program and its affiliated programs and activities throughout the year, that may result in injury or death. Such risks may include, but are not limited to, claims related to: sports-related injuries, motor vehicle accidents and associated transportation risks, and/or death incurred during participation in activities or programs conducted on or off the church's premises, including transportation to and from any such activities or programs.

Indemnification: I agree to indemnify and hold The Church harmless from any and all costs and damages, including medical expenses and attorney's fees, as a result of the assertion of any claim referenced herein. I hereby attest and verify that I have been advised of the potential risks, that I have full knowledge of the risks involved in these activities, and that I assume any expenses that may be incurred in the event of an accident, illness, or other incapacity, regardless of whether I have authorized such expenses.

Permission to Use Photograph/Video/Likeness: I grant to the Church the right and permission to take photographs or videos of me, my family and minor children of which I am the parent/guardian of, and of my property. I authorize The Church, its assigns and transferees to copyright, use and publish the same in print and/or electronically.

I agree that The Church may use such photographs, videos, likeness, or testimony of me, my family and minor children with or without my/our name(s) and for any lawful purpose, including for example such purposes as publicity, illustration, advertising and Web content, including use on Social Media sites.

Transportation: I give permission for my child to be transported in a motor vehicle driven by an assigned volunteer by The Church to and from ministry programs and activities. I understand that my child is expected to follow all applicable laws regarding riding in a motor vehicle and is expected to follow the directions provided by the driver and/or other adult volunteers. I recognize that as with any activity involving motor vehicle transportation, my child may risk personal injury or permanent loss.

**If at any time, you wish to contact one of our pastors, please text or call:
Pastor Seth Taylor at 317-512-1914**