

Can't wait to see you back at school!



## August 2017 Newsletter

Greetings! ,

It's that time again....**only 5 weeks until the first day of school on September 5!** Our staff and I are excited to see you and your children again soon. **If you haven't reserved your child's spot, please do so soon!** *Some classes are full and waiting lists have been begun.* Please read on to learn about all the great things happening at FMS!

-Erika Hemphill, Director



### Back to School Orientation Bash! Saturday, 8/26/17

#### New Family Orientation

9:30 - 10:00 am - Aldersgate Building  
Learn about the upcoming school year, discuss the 2017-2018 Handbook and other important documents. [Campus Map Here](#)

**Meet the Teacher - All Families**  
10:00 - 11:00 am - Come & go in the classrooms

Say hello to your teacher, explore your new class, pick up your 2017-2018 Handbook and other important papers

#### Back to School Bash

10:00 - 11:00 am - On the church lawn

After you visit your class, enjoy a Kona Ioe Snow Cone, play with old friends, and make new ones. Enrolled students get a free Snow Cone!

See you there!





# Now Enrolling!

## 2017-2018

### Now Enrolling for the 2017-2018 School Year

First Methodist School is in its **49th** year of serving the families of the Best Southwest area and we are excited about what the new school year holds!

To enroll for the upcoming school year, please stop by the office or click [here](#).

We appreciate your referrals and welcome new friends - please click [here](#) for information regarding our **REFERRAL DISCOUNT!**

FMS will continue to offer the finest in academic programs, Christian enrichment, and social/emotional growth for our students. Thank you for sharing your children with us!

### Extended Hours Available

For our families who need an earlier start and later end to the school day, we offer **Stay & Play hours**. Early drop off starts at **7:00 am** and afternoon Stay & Play hours are offered from **2:00 pm - 4:30 pm**. Please stop by or call the school office for more information.



### Receive text message alerts from FMS

Keep in touch with FMS via text message alerts through Remind. Remind is a one way messaging service that helps schools keep in touch with parents. We will use occasional text messages to remind you of upcoming events and in case of school wide emergency. Sign up is

simple and your number will not be given to third parties! Click [here](#) for sign up instructions.

### First United Methodist Church Duncanville

FMS is a ministry of First United Methodist Church Duncanville. See the church website to learn more!

## Parent's Night Out

Fri. Sept. 8, 2017, 6:00-10:00 PM  
Pizza dinner and fun!  
Cost is \$10 each/\$25 max per family  
RSVP to [Bridget@fumcd.com](mailto:Bridget@fumcd.com)



## Open Table

Open Table is an opportunity for a free meal and fellowship held every 2nd & 4th Saturday night of each month at 5:00 p.m. in Alexander Gym. To learn more, click [here](#).



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