



All children ages 4-10 welcome to Join Godly Play each Sunday, 9:30 - 10:30 in room #219 (upstairs)

A HUGE THANKS to **Youth Director Maryah Tucker** AND all the **youth** for a **fabulous Easter Egg Hunt!** Huge smiles could be seen on all the kids faces as they searched for eggs, and then discovered the hidden goodies inside the eggs! We are SO grateful to the youth for all the help, love, and generosity that they showed to our children. Thanks to **William Milwee** for bringing his bunny to church to add a soft, furry, and precious touch to the morning!

Thank you **Teacher Kara** for leading the **Godly Play Choir** in a **performance on Palm Sunday** at the 9:30 and 11:00 worship services! The waving palm branches in the children's hands

brought much excitement and energy to the morning! Thanks you to **Will Stevens** for accompanying us on the guitar! Thank you to the **Keystone Class** for so graciously supporting our music program!

Upcoming Godly Play Lessons: "**Knowing Jesus in a New Way**" is a series of lessons that focuses on the stories of Jesus after the Resurrection and before the ascension. This reminds us that Easter is not over but continues as the disciples were learning to "know Jesus in a new way" (and as we are learning to know Jesus).



A huge thanks to the **Atkinson Foundation** for funding the **Godly Play training** for adults on Saturday April 21st. It was greatly energizing and informative for the Godly Play teachers and adults working with children. Led by a trainer from the Godly Play Foundation, it enabled the attendees to more fully understand the philosophy of the program, as well as the nuts-and-bolts of executing the program in the Godly Play classroom. It will involve new and exciting changes to our program, which the excellent training allowed us to already smoothly start implementing. Stay tuned! If you see any of the class attendees



(Kennon States, Deanna Penn, Nancy Miller, Stephanie Suggs, Bonnie Bertolet, Maryah Tucker, Donna Carpenter, Maggie Shinoki, Sue & Steve Milwee, Ruth Kavanagh, Denise Ritch), ask them "**What's exciting about Godly Play?**" **A personal thanks to each of you for spending a large portion of your Saturday at this training!**

