

CONFIRMATION MINISTRY - "SETTLING IN"

Each fall there is a time of transition. Confirmation youth who have been involved for two years have departed. New youth are on board, but they are still just getting to know everyone. And often there are new parents and adults helping. This year there are eight new students, a large and wonderful addition, along with five second year students. Our adult teaching assisting team on Wednesday nights consist of Barbara Melvin, Lisa Rosenblatt, Kristi Kaufman, Joan Reeder, and Pastor Melton. On the second and fourth Wednesday nights, most everyone arrives at 6:00pm for a class meal, pizza or hoagies, etc. Then there is a time for games and fellowship activities. At 7:00pm we begin our class. On the first and third Wednesdays, class just begins at 7:00. Usually there are four adults at each class. That makes breaking into smaller prayer and discussion groups possible. It also conveys this wonderful sense of several adults who come to care and grow together with our youth.

The class is presently working its way through the Old Testament. Half of this year will be that journey, with the other half the New Testament. In November, we'll help fill up some of the Thanksgiving baskets for Hilltop families and deliver them.

All is well. We ask for your prayers and support.