

Yup. We're open Sundays, too.



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YLY Upcoming Events

6/13-19/10

YLY at Habitat/Volunteer
Camp

8/22/10

Church Picnic at Somonauk
Community Park

8/22/10

Lost and Found Concert in
Elmhurst

(Other church events you'll love)

**YLY Wednesday returns
September 15**

Confirmation News

*Confirmation is for all interested 7th
and 8th graders!*

**Confirmation 2010-2011
returns with our
parent/student
orientation meeting on
August 15 at 11:30 am.**

**Fall Confirmation classes
begin September 19.**

Summer Camps

There's still time to sign up for a camp and all late fees have been waived. Head to il-odm.org to download the catalog and registration forms!

Lost and Found Concert August 22

We're planning a trip to Elmhurst College to see Lost and Found (The duo that sings Lions, Baby, Have Love, and the UCC Tribute Song!) in concert. Tickets are just \$10. We plan to leave Somonauk at about 2:30 pm and we'll return at about 9 pm. Watch for a sign up soon!

YLY Wednesday!

We've wrapped things up for the season – no regular YLY meetings on Wednesdays until we return September 15.

Habitat/Volunteer Camp June 13-19, 2010

At press time we hadn't left, but when you're reading this, we've returned! Ask **Cory Ledesma, Jessica Mayer, Karli Ledesma, Colin Stahl, Steven Ripppo, Lori Stahl, Dealas Wiley, Heather Morton, Michael Heinrich, and Kirk Moore** how things were!

Waterpark Fun!

We don't have a group trip planned to Raging Waves in Yorkville, but you can get discounted tickets through our church's ticket webstore! Head to tinyurl.com/uccwaterparktix for great discounts this summer!

Devotion Spot

Steadfast love and faithfulness will meet; righteousness and peace will kiss each other. Psalm 85:10

When things are going . . . poorly, it is really tough to see any light ahead. It is very difficult to see any hope for the future. The Psalms are filled with messages of despair, anguish and sadness. But woven into so many of the Psalms is a message of hope. In Psalm 85, a people who have lost their homes and their livelihood look forward to a time when things will be better. What a wonderful image of hope – 'Righteousness and peace will kiss each other.' Keep that hope alive!