

March 20, 2018

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

John 3:16

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Greetings in the Precious Name of Jesus, from the staff of the Mountain Top Bible Camp. Again this year it is snowing as we write this letter, but it is time to once again plan for this year's Bible Camp in June.

Our opening verse above is known as one of the most memorized verses of the whole Bible. It is also announcing the greatest gift of all times. God, in His great love to you and I, gave His Son Jesus to die on the Cross and pay the debt we owed to God because of our sins. It goes out to all people, and will change one's life and eternal destiny when received by faith.

In our Bible lessons this year, the Gospel of John will be our focus. In this book, Jesus is introduced to us as the Son of God. We will especially be emphasizing the fact that Jesus is God in the Flesh. He will be seen as that Lamb of God, which has come to take away the sin of the world.

We are glad you are considering sending your child to MTBC this year. We take this as both a privilege and a great responsibility. We are so glad to let you know that camp is FREE of cost. We are thankful that the brothers and sisters in Christ at Claysburg Bible Church provide so that camp is possible each year. Let me say it again "CAMP IS FREE"!!!!

However there are other things that we ask of you as you prepare to send your child to camp. Following you will find what these things are....

Now for the details: One thing we really need to impress upon you as a parent/guardian is to **FOLLOW ALL DEADLINES!!** We must have applications sent into us by the date stated (**MAY 13, 2018**) so we, as staff, can make all the necessary preparations in order for your child to have a full and enjoyable week. **NOTE:** the medical forms can be brought to Camp on registration day. **DO NOT** neglect to send the application in because the medical page has not been filled out. **PLEASE** pay attention to the deadlines.

We would also ask you to take time to read all the correspondence we send you and share that information with your child/children. For instance, when you receive a Camp handbook, take time to go over all the rules and regulations, etc. We find that those who do are much better prepared and thus they fit in and have a better week. (No surprises when they get there!)

If you have any questions or your child has a friend(s) who would like to come, please call and we will send the necessary forms so they may be included in MTBC as well.

We are excited about Camp and we hope to pass this excitement around to all the Staff, campers and to you, the parents!!

In Christ's Service,  
Joe & Brenda Helsel

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# MOUNTAIN TOP BIBLE CAMP

JUNE 9-14, 2018

## CAMPER'S APPLICATION

For children who have **finished** 2<sup>nd</sup> grade through 8<sup>th</sup> grade

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NAME PARENT/GUARDIAN

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T-SHIRT SIZE (please circle correct size) ADDRESS

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DATE OF BIRTH CITY STATE ZIP

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GRADE CURRENTLY IN SCHOOL HOME PHONE/WORK PHONE

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E-MAIL ADDRESS (optional) CELL PHONE

I consent to the attendance of my child \_\_\_\_\_ at the Mountain Top Bible camp to be held on June 9-14, 2018 at the Blue Knob State Park in Pennsylvania. In accordance with the laws of Pennsylvania, and intending to be legally bound, I surrender, waive, relinquish, and release any and all legal claims I or the child may have or will have against Claysburg Bible Church and all individuals assisting in the oversight and running of the said Camp, for personal injuries or other claims for damages of my above-named child arising from his/her attendance at and participation in the activities of the said Camp.

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS-MAY 13, 2018**

**MAIL APPLICATIONS TO:**

MOUNTAIN TOP BIBLE CAMP

JOE & BRENDA HELSEL

178 PAW PAW RD

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PARENT/GUARDIAN

**ANY QUESTIONS-CALL**

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