

UNITE '09

July 19th - 25th



Jesus prayed that His followers would be united as one. Our youth today seek to find unity in a variety of places including the peer groups that surround them. Every day they are making choices that affect the rest of their lives and some of the decisions are based on peer pressures, not all of which are positive. Unite seeks to help the local church youth ministry create a positive peer group that is led by God. Youth have an opportunity to bond with one another and their leaders, and then bring that sense of unity home to the local church.

At Unite!, youth leaders from First Baptist Agawam perform as counselors leading the youth through the week and experiencing camp along side them. Oceanwood's summer curriculum is provided to the youth leaders well in advance so they can fully engage the youth with the theme. Oceanwood provides a staff Unit Leader to guide the group to the camp resources, provide music and worship leading, and lend a helping hand. The Oceanwood worship team will work with our leaders to make each chapel service come together and be effective

The Camp Experience

Youth and leaders will spend 7 days & 6 nights in the Ataloo cabins at Camp Oceanwood in Ocean Park Maine. While at Oceanwood they will have the opportunity to take advantage of these great activities: Horseback Riding, Swimming in pool or ocean, shuffleboard, Rock Climbing, Canoeing, Nature Walks, Field Games, Archery, Eating Great Camp Food, Wagon Rides, Campfires, Evening Programs and maybe a visit to Old Orchard Beach Pier.

Who Can Go?

All youth age 10 and older are invited to join us. The cost, per child is \$325 and some campership funds are available for member of First Baptist Agawam. We are also looking for another female adult to join us, especially if we get more youth to go.

Got Questions?

If you have any questions or would like more information please contact Phil Magovern via either phone – 413.386.6120 or email – phil@magovern.com.

Hungry for a Fundraiser?

The final Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser will be held Sunday, May 31st following worship. All proceeds for this breakfast will help deffer the cost of camp for the youth that participate in the breakfast. Hope to see you there!

