

2023 Summer Course Schedule:

June 12-16 Multi-Course Week (one course per student only)
Parent drop off: 8:30 a.m./parent pick up: 1:00 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church of the Covenant – 250 West 7th Street
Student Showcase: Friday, June 16 from 1 – 2 PM at First Presbyterian Church of the Covenant.

Creative Writing: This is my Story

Develop a passion for creative writing, expressive language, and the art of words through fun activities and imaginative techniques. Students and mentors will create a collaborative work of life lesson narratives that will be published to encourage and inspire readers. **\$30 registration fee**

Culinary & Hospitality Services

Student chefs will learn hands-on kitchen and hospitality management as they daily prepare, cook, and serve lunch in a professional kitchen. It will be fast-paced and require students to be stretched in congeniality, focus, initiative, work ethic, the ability to multi-tasking, and teamwork. **\$30 registration fee**

Sewing & Denim Designs

Beginner and advanced students will have the opportunity to learn and enhance their sewing machine skills as they design and create a quilt or pillow from repurposed denim material. **\$30 registration fee**

Wood Art

Create and customize a table by learning tool safety, joinery techniques, veneer application, and finishing processes. Gain knowledge from professionals and amateurs who specialize in this art and design process. **\$30 registration fee**

June 19-23 Multi-Course Week (one course per student only)

Physics 101

Take science to another level with Mercyhurst University's Zurn College of Natural Sciences professors. Through lab experiments and activities, explore physics – the study of everything in the universe, and how and why it works. **\$30 registration fee**

Parent drop-off: 8:30 a.m./parent pick-up: 1:00 p.m. at Mercyhurst University, 501 E 38th St

Student Showcase: Friday, June 24 from 1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m. at Mercyhurst University

The Art of Color

Experiment how colors mix to create exciting designs through a variety of unpredictable techniques such as tie dyeing, paper marbling and "alcohol ink" art. **\$30 registration fee**

Parent drop-off: 8:30 a.m./parent pick-up: 1:00 p.m. at Erie City Mission – 1017 French Street

June 26-30 Junior Police Academy & CSI

With PA State Police, learn different aspects of law enforcement such as Patrol, SWAT Team, Drug Enforcement, Forensics, K-9, Investigation, Simulation Training, and in-depth Crime Scene Investigation. (Transportation to both Iroquois and Meadville Stations provided by the Erie City Mission). **\$30 registration fee**

Parent drop-off: 8:30 a.m./parent pick-up: 1:00 p.m. at Erie City Mission – 1017 French Street

Course Prerequisite: Must take at least one other FULL summer course to be considered.

July 10-14 Multi-Course Week

Documentary & Filmmaking

Collaboratively create a short film or documentary with focused instruction in the areas of film production, lighting, storytelling, script writing, time management, and postproduction. **\$30 registration fee**

Parent drop-off: 8:30 a.m./parent pick-up: 1:00 p.m. at Community Access Media – 142 West 12th Street

FITNESS 101: CIRCUIT TRAINING - \$15

A great way to get in shape because it can be modified or intensified to get the best possible results regardless of fitness level. Rotate through a circuit of timed exercises targeting different muscle groups to strengthen the entire body, which also can be continued at home. **\$15 registration fee**

Parent drop-off: 3:20 p.m./parent pick-up: 5:00 p.m. at Trinity Karate Organization – 421 West 12th Street

July 21-29 Mission trip to serve the youth community at Kingswood Home for Children, Bean Station, TN

For more information, contact Director of Youth Ministries at Erie City Mission.

August 7-11 Multi-Course Week (one course per student only)

Media Editing & Production

Discover the process of how a video goes from idea to release and learn basic and advanced video, photo and audio editing, plus graphic design and media marketing. **\$30 registration fee**

Parent drop-off: 8:30 a.m./parent pick-up: 1:00 p.m. at Community Access Media – 142 West 12th Street

American Sign Language

An introduction to ASL in an immersive environment where students will learn through a variety of creative activities, basic conversation, and deaf culture. **\$30 registration fee**

Parent drop-off: 8:30 a.m./parent pick-up: 1:00 p.m. at Erie City Mission – 1017 French Street

August 12 End of Summer Family Celebration

Bon fire, drum circle, salsa competition and more – details TBA

Semester Details

- Scholarships and transportation needs are considered upon request.
- Each course accepts between 6-12 students and includes a nutritious meal.
- Questions, call Director of Youth Ministries at 814-572-2365.