## Our Father's Family Keeper Ministries Newsletter

### 99 students and counting . . .

We are days away from starting *OFFKM's Summer Academic & Enrichment Program* and are pleased to announce that we already have 99 students enrolled!

Hallelujah!

We still have space for some more young people; call immediately to enroll your student in this free, day-long, Monday through Friday program that is guaranteed to be the foundation of their summer! The morning sessions will be

led by Michigan 'highly qualified' teachers; the afternoon part of the day features various enrichment and service-learning opportunities for older students.

For more information, contact Bro. or Sis. May at 269.476.1257 or via email at: ourfathersfamily@ymail.com.



Our *Father's Family Keeper Ministries'* transitional house is opening a fourth bedroom on the premises. This fourth bedroom will allow another person — and her family — who is currently without a "home" to secure safe quarters temporarily for themselves.

Our contractors are doing an awesome job of expanding the reach of this previous two-bedroom home. OFFKM's transitional home currently serves three families ~ three adult women and two children.



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[Photo caption]

#### **Important Dates:**

06/15 Summer Program starts
07/2-3 No school for break
for Independence Day

OFFKM program ends



# You've been Challenged: Can you make it 34?

As OFFKM steps into the beginning of its new Summer Academic and Enrichment Program, we are again asking for volunteers from the community and throughout the region.

We have estimated that this summer's program can flow seamlessly with committed volunteers  $-\!-\!$  34 a day. Do you or your company have what it takes?

Here's the challenge, which we are calling our *Community Volunteer Challenge*.

Sign up to volunteer with us, and clock in your hours. The individual or business with the most filed volunteer hours wins our 'challenge.' For winning, OFFKM will highlight you or your group on our website and Facebook pages and prepare and distribute a press release acknowledging your contributions. In addition to all that, OFFKM will make a \$500 donation to the charity of your choice!

To learn more, Call us at 269.476.1257; visit us on <u>Facebook</u> page; or email: ourfathersfamily@ymail.com.



"The family is the nucleus of civilization."

### We're so excited about the summer . . .

We are so excited about the upcoming weeks!

Our state-certified, highly-qualified teaching staff has been hired, and we are continuing to recruit volunteers to help us make this the best experience possible for our students and their families.

We are also continuing to put the finishing touches on our Enrichment component, which includes planned trips to Kalamazoo Valley Museum, Andrews University Dairy, Horne Museum & Aviation Department, Berrien Springs History Center, Niles Archeological dig site, Niles History Center, Elkhart, IN Ruthmere Museum, Wellfield Botanical Garden and other sites in the Michiana area. We are also continuing to develop our Service Learning Component for our older students.

