



St. Michael Lutheran Church  
2131 Getz Road, Fort Wayne, Indiana

**June 24 – 28, 2024**

**Imagine!**

**We are uniquely designed in  
God's image to be creative!  
Together we will:**

- explore God's Word
- make music & worship
- meet new friends
- explore multiple art forms
- have fun
- share a closing celebration

### What is Fine Arts Camp (FAC)?

FAC is a week-long summer day camp (9 am-3:30 pm) that provides an opportunity for youth to connect faith, creativity, and community. The week culminates in a Friday evening celebration where students will share their talents and art work with family/friends!

### Who can attend?

FAA is open to all youth who have completed Kindergarten through 8th grade.

### What will campers experience?

Campers will participate in a wide variety of visual and performing arts, like dance, drama, cooking, painting, sewing, wood-working, music, and have lots of fun, too!

### Who are the teachers?

Our faculty are talented, experienced teachers with a passion to praise God with art. Most are actively teaching in private, church, or public schools. They are deeply committed to sharing their talents and their faith. A list will be available soon.

### Who are the teen volunteers?

Our amazing student volunteers are youth who have completed 9th-12th grade and serve as servant leaders during the FAC. Interested youth please email St. Michael's Director of Youth, Emma Deines, at [emma@stmfw.org](mailto:emma@stmfw.org) to secure a volunteer spot.

### When is registration?

**March 1 through May 1**

Read the FAC brochure carefully before you register and register early to secure a spot. Email any questions to: [fineartscamp@stmfw.org](mailto:fineartscamp@stmfw.org).

### AGE DIVISIONS

The Fine Arts Camp is divided into three divisions to provide age-appropriate instruction.

#### PRIMARY DIVISION

(2 Classes with maximum 15 Students/Class)

- For students who completed Kindergarten or 1st grade
- Enrollment limited to 30 students
- Primary campers participate in a set program of scheduled activities throughout the day including a theme class, music, art, movement and hand chimes

#### INTERMEDIATE and JR HIGH DIVISIONS

(some electives are open to Jr. High only)

- Intermediate: For students who completed grades 2-4
- Jr High: For students who completed grades 5-8
- Students participate in 2 core classes (theme, music) and 3 electives (student will choose 3 and one alternate).

### DAILY PROGRAM

SCHEDULE	PRIMARY	INTERMEDIATE & JR HIGH
7:30a	Before Care Hours	
9:00a	Theme	Elective #1
10:00a	Music	Theme
11:00a	Movement	Elective #2
11:30a	** Lunch **	
12:00p	Recreation	Recreation
12:30p		** Lunch **
1:00p	Art	Music
2:00p	Chimes	Elective #3
3:00p	Chapel	
3:30p	After Care Hours	
Friday 7:00p	Closing Celebration	

\*\* Students must bring a sack lunch. \*\*

## CORE CLASSES

All students who attend Fine Arts Camp attend the following core classes. These classes do NOT count toward your electives.

### THEME

Using a wide variety of interactive experiences, campers will explore and learn what it means to be created in the image of God.

### MUSIC

Fundamental choral and music skills will be explored through singing and playing percussion instruments. All music learned during the week will be shared at the closing program on Friday evening, June 28.

## ELECTIVES

(^Classes requiring a \$10 supply fee)

### Creative Writing

Words can be powerful, funny, confusing, mysterious, and sad, expressing deep feelings. Discover different ways to express your creativity with words.

### ^Culinary

Come prepared to create and try new foods as we learn how to prepare delicious and nutritious food.

### Dance - Jazz

Get your creative juices flowing as you praise God through moving your body. New and experienced dancers are welcome.

### Dance - Ballet

Fundamental ballet techniques will be explored as we express our creativity through flowing, graceful movement.

### Drama

Learn basic acting techniques while preparing for a short dramatic presentation. Bring your creativity and imagination to the stage while learning basic stage direction, vocal inflection, and audience engagement techniques.

### Drums

Imagine what a drum would look like if you made it yourself? Use your creativity to construct your own drum to be used as a part of a percussion ensemble.

### Handbells and Chimes

Handbell music is beautiful to hear and to see! Come learn basic handbell skills, and techniques. A basic knowledge of reading music is helpful for this class.

### Fiber Arts

Enjoy the art of felting using wool and natural fibers to create works of art.

### Tangles

Do you like to doodle and draw? Take it to the next level as you create unique artistic designs using patterns.

### Mixed Media

Using a wide variety of media techniques, express yourself in a personal work of art. Drawing, painting, printmaking and experimental collage techniques will be used in your creation. Students are encouraged to bring an art smock to class each day.

### Murals

Be creative in a big way! Join your class in constructing murals and express your artistry in exploring graffiti.

### Painting and Drawing

So many things to draw! So many things to paint! Where will your creativity lead you as we explore the exciting possibilities of two-dimensional art?

### Painting Advanced [Jr High Only]

Take your skills to the next level as you creatively explore painting techniques and the use of color.

### Puppets

Are you a 'behind the scenes' kind of person who loves to be creative? Learn how to express that creativity with your new puppet friends.

### Sewing

Have "sew" much fun as you learn how to operate a sewing machine and complete a sewing project reflecting your own unique creativity. No previous experience is necessary.

### Weaving

Using simple looms, create and explore colors and patterns for your own woven project.

### ^Woodworking [Jr High Only]

Learn about different kinds of wood and develop skills using a scroll saw and wood lathe to complete several projects. All work will be done under close adult supervision.

## CLOSING CELEBRATION

FAC students will share what they have learned and created at camp at a closing ceremony on Friday, June 28 at 7 pm. Family and friends are invited to attend. Come early to stroll through the FAC art gallery and celebrate with us!

## ENROLLMENT AND FEES

\$50 Registration Fee (per student) is applied to tuition fees and is non-refundable after May 1, 2024.

### Tuition:

1 child.....	\$225
2 children (same family).....	\$400
3+ children (same family).....	\$525

^Some electives have an added \$10 material fee.

Financial assistance scholarships may be available. Contact [fineartscamp@stmfw.org](mailto:fineartscamp@stmfw.org) for details.

### Before/After Care Hours (up to \$20/day):

Before: 7:30am to 9:00am.....	\$10/day
After: 3:30pm to 5:00pm.....	\$10/day

## REGISTRATION DEADLINE: May 1st!

Register now to secure a spot.



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