



## Children's Music Camp Information

Each Wednesday during the summer students will arrive at Trinity Lutheran Church (300 S. Ardmore Ave Villa Park, IL 60181) and participate in various interactive activities and games focused on expanding their knowledge of instrumental and vocal music. Each class will involve a different aspect of music, ultimately providing them with a wide variety of educational opportunities.

### Class Schedule:

Wednesday Mornings	
9:30- 10AM	Stretch/Warm Ups/Musical Activity
10- 10:45 AM	Craft/Music Lesson
10:45- 11AM	Music Sing/Play Along

### Information about Children and Music Education:

*“Early musical training helps develop brain areas involved in language and reasoning. It is thought that brain development continues for many years after birth. Recent studies have clearly indicated that musical training physically develops the part of the left side of the brain known to be involved with processing language, and can actually wire the brain's circuits in specific ways. Linking familiar songs to new information can also help imprint information on young minds.”*

*“A study of the arts provides children with an internal glimpse of other cultures and teaches them to be empathetic towards the people of these cultures. This development of compassion and empathy, as opposed to development of greed and a "me first" attitude, provides a bridge across cultural chasms that leads to respect of other races at an early age.”*

For more information on the benefits of Music Education, visit [www.childrensmusicworkshop.com](http://www.childrensmusicworkshop.com)

**Instructors:**

All of our instructors are board certified music educators in the state of Illinois. Furthermore, each of our instructors undergoes extensive fingerprint/ background checks to ensure the safety of your child and our students. Feel free to visit our website to learn more about each of our instructors! If at any time you have any questions or concerns regarding one of our instructors, please feel free to contact Taylor Okey, Director of Education.

**Class Dates:**

**\*\*THERE WILL BE NO CLASSES HELD ON JUNE 26<sup>TH</sup> OR JULY 10<sup>TH</sup> \*\***

May 22 <sup>nd</sup>	June 12 <sup>th</sup>	July 10 <sup>th</sup>	July 31 <sup>st</sup>
May 29 <sup>th</sup>	June 19 <sup>th</sup>	July 17 <sup>th</sup>	
June 5 <sup>th</sup>	July 3 <sup>rd</sup>	July 24 <sup>th</sup>	

**Children’s Music Camp Policies/Procedures**

**Drop Off/Pick Up:**

Camp will begin each Wednesday morning promptly at 9 AM. Trinity Lutheran Church is located at **300 S. Ardmore Ave Villa Park, IL 60181**. Students are to enter through the School rd. entrance and will be met by the Trinity Music Center staff each morning. Parents will need to pick up their students at this same entrance at 11:30 AM. For safety purposes parents must enter the building to pick up their students.

**Attendance:**

Please call or email Taylor Okey at (260) 273- 9695/ [TrinityMusicCenter@gmail.com](mailto:TrinityMusicCenter@gmail.com) in the event of an absence due to illness or family emergency.

\*\*Note: If your student is unable to attend a scheduled class, you will **NOT** receive a refund for the missed class. During registration, if you know your child will **NOT** attend a particular class, please let us know, and you will **NOT** be required to pay for the missed class.

**Behavior Expectations:**

Students are expected to show respect towards our instructors and facilities at all times. Behavior deemed inappropriate and/or destructive during camp could result in dismissal from the program altogether without refund.

**Payment:**

Student tuition payment must be received at the time of registration in order for your student’s spot to be reserved. All checks can be made out to Trinity Music Center.