August 27, 2017

Dear Families,

Welcome! My name is Summer Hartley and I am the Activity Time director at the United Church of Gainesville. I am from Gainesville and a graduate of the University of Florida. I am also a teacher at a local middle school. I joined UCG in 2003.

What is Activity Time?

Activity Time is childcare for children in Kindergarten through 5th grade. This is available for children when there is no United Tribes class scheduled. Child care aids walk the children from the sanctuary after Story Time, to United Tribes or to the playground if there is no United Tribe activity scheduled. The child care aids are a constant that are with your children every week. They will assist in United Tribes with the guides and teachers. Children will come to Activity Time (the playground and Room 9) after United Tribes to play and have fun. Childcare for elementary students is available until 12:30.

The safety of our children is our number one priority. Please communicate with our staff if you would like your child to be checked out by another family member or friend. Our playground is restricted to our elementary students and no outside food is allowed due to life-threatening allergies. We will provide snacks.

Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions! I am happy to answer brief questions in person, or you can email me at summerh@ucgainesville.org. I will not be able to have extended conferences during Activity Time as I am supervising children at that time. Please contact me through email to schedule a meeting if you need a conference.

I am looking forward to working with your kids this year!

Sincerely,

Summer K. Hartley