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our 2025 camp theme

# ALL ABOUT ME!



Reading Camp Harford is a program of the Episcopal Diocese of Maryland (EDoM) Outreach. Reading Camp does not provide religious instruction; our books and teaching materials are not faith based.

All of our adult volunteers are background checked and certified in child safety best practices through the Episcopal Church USA.

## Reading Camp Harford Committee

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## READING CAMP HARFORD

is a **FREE** week-long full day camp for children entering second through fifth grades. It is held at the community center at St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Abingdon.

## OUR MISSION

is to provide a safe, fun summer camp setting for elementary school age children who are *reluctant readers*. They may be struggling with some basics of comprehension or phonics, or searching for a genre that sparks their desire to read for pleasure. Campers explore new ideas and ways to express themselves through engaging learning sessions, indoor and outdoor games, crafts, and—especially!—the chance to relax and have fun with new friends

### Each morning at camp...

- campers are served a tasty, healthy breakfast and a mid-morning snack
- certified teachers lead small group learning session for skills refreshment and practice in reading comprehension, phonics, and writing, plus a creative discovery activity.

### Each afternoon at camp...

- campers are served a filling lunch and a mid-afternoon snack
- activities are on the schedule such as exciting guest speakers and performers, a fun field trip, crafts and games, cooking, team-building challenges and lots more.
- offers plenty of free time to relax make new friends.
- includes special Book Breaks where campers explore our book collection to find just the right story to spark their imagination and interest.

**For details about camp and registration forms for campers, adult volunteers, and teen counselors, send Bonnie a message at the address above.**

**Reading Camp 2025 is scheduled for  
July 28th – August 1st  
Registration ends June 1st**