



# THE DIVERS' DISPATCH



MONDAY

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF VBS-2015

JUNE 15, 2015



## And we're under way!

### CRUISE ITINERARY DAILY

- 8:45 Promenade Deck Opens
- 9:00 Opening Cruise Activities
- 9:30 Tropical Island Time
- 10:00 Snack Time
- 11:40 Closing Cruise Activities
- 12:00 Sailors Depart

### MONDAY

Official VBS T-shirts handed out

### TUESDAY

Wear your VBS T-shirt today  
Individual sailor pictures taken

### THURSDAY

Wear your VBS T-shirt today  
Island group pictures taken

### MONDAY-THURSDAY

Recreation time at Barracuda Bay

### TUESDAY-THURSDAY

Craftaway Cove open to sailors

### FRIDAY

Water Play Day at Barracuda Bay  
Closing Activities and Bon Voyage  
Party on the Promenade Deck  
beginning promptly at 6:30 PM.  
Don't miss the big finish to  
VBS 2015!

### Faith Fellowship Church

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Our sailors gathered on the Promenade Deck Monday morning to open up VBS 2015 with songs, stories and even a friendly pirate.

Photos by Bernard Powell



## DIVE INTO OBEDIENCE



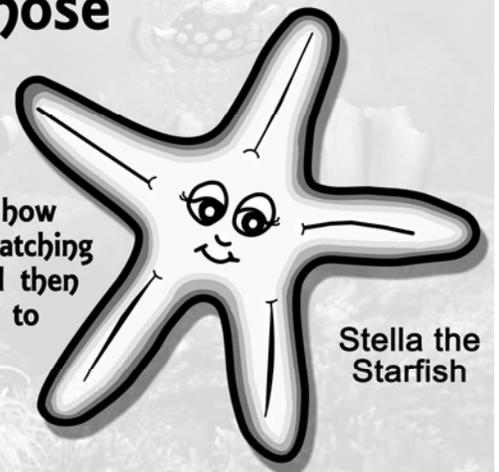
Jesus blesses those who obey him.



Today's Bible story was about how Jesus performed a miracle in catching fish on the Sea of Galilee, and then asked the first of His disciples to join Him in fishing for people.



Then Jesus said to Peter, "Don't be afraid; from now on you will fish for people."  
Luke 5:10



Stella the Starfish



## GO FISH! Or the view from DOWN UNDER

After more than a year of planning, and just like that the first day of this year's VBS is over. As we type this it hardly seems real. But so far so good!

Before we get too far into all the fun of diving deep into God's word, we want to be sure and give a special shout out to the team of young adults who acted as "talent" in the production of this year's videos, which accompany are fun VBS songs. (Each family should have received a CD today with all the songs on them so you can learn them and practice at home.)

Helping out this year were Ashley Anderson, Lauren Novak, Kara O'Brien, Makayla Peterson, Christopher Pino, Stephanie Pino and Sara Santora.



Don't forget, if you hear a fun story about VBS from your child, share it with us! We may even include it in the newsletter. Text your news tips to 321-698-0591 or send an e-mail directly to us at vbs2015@aol.com. Be sure to include all the names and details you can. If we have any questions, we'll get in touch with you.

We'll see you real soon!

## Diving deep into your pockets

As sailors go diving deep into God's work this week, we're asking everyone to dive even deeper to help us share God's love here in port and throughout the seven seas.

First, canned food and dry goods are badly needed for our own FFC pantry, which helps serve those in need in our local community. Second, our youth will be headed to a homeless shelter next week, and to help them minister to those folks it would be great if our VBS sailors could donate new, unopened supply of all kinds of toiletries or socks for adults or kids.

Finally, we will be taking an



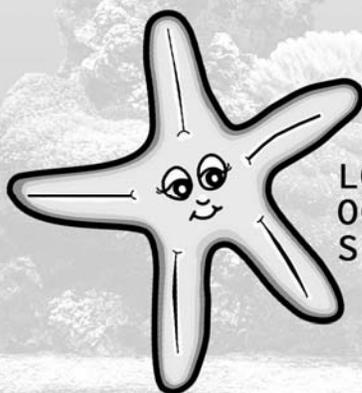
offering everyday to send to Guatemala, where missionary Mike Black will use the money to support their children's programs in that Central American nation.

And to make all of this more interesting, our sailors are

divided into the Blue Team and the Gold Team. Each day we will collect the offering, give it a quick count, and see which side is ahead as we compete with each other to make a huge difference together in the lives of God's children around the world.

## THE DAILY PUZZLE

Find these words  
of things found  
under the sea.



CORAL  
CRAB  
EEL  
FISH  
LOBSTER  
OCTOPUS  
SEEWEED  
SHARK  
SHELL  
WHALE

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