CHILDREN'S COMMITTEE: REPORT TO SESSION

NO ACTION ITEMS for Session.

UPCOMING EXPERIENCES and EVENTS:

- ROOTS "Minute-to-Win-It" on Oct. 16
- Advent and Christmas plans continue
 - o Advent Workshop on December 4.
 - o Children's Pageant will part of the December 18 worship service.

OTHER BUSINESS:

- A few families responded who want to participate with a "Church Buddy." If Session members would like to be a "Church Buddy" to a child, let Ann Lacy or Nancy Owen know.
- Sunday School will add a stewardship component to the curriculum in the form of a weekly offering. Ideas of how best to approach this were discussed.
- Other ways of involving children in worship and of possibly engaging other adults with children are being explored. (Children learning new version of Lord's Prayer and other adults occasionally doing the Children's Moment)
- There's an *URGENT NEED* for additional reliable sitters for church events. We require 2 sitters for each event and it's becoming difficult to find them. IF you have ideas, let Rhonda know.

UPDATE: There were 13 participants at the Roots even this past Sunday – that's something to celebrate!