

# **CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES**

Beginning September 13, we will seek to serve families by offering a number of virtual ministries as well as limited onsite programs for children 5th grade and under. Families wishing to place their children in our onsite ministries should register for tickets each week at <u>faithlafayette.org/kidstickets</u>

## **CONNECTING VIRTUALLY**

#### Video Lessons

- We will continue to offer online Sunday School videos for preschool and K-5th grade students
- Weekly lessons videos can be viewed at <u>faithlafayette.org/kidsvids</u>

# **Sunday Livestreaming**

- For students unable to attend in person, we will offer livestreamed 1st-5th grade classes.
- Leaders will provide age-appropriate teaching designed to help students to develop a deeper understanding of God's Word and gain relevant ideas for applying its principles.
- To connect, please visit faithlafayette.org/fblive

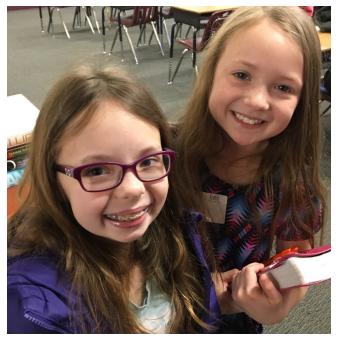
# Wednesday Connection Groups

- This fall, we plan to introduce Kids Connection Groups for 2nd-5th grade students.
- These groups will be offered virtually on Wednesday evenings over a videoconferencing platform.
- Kids Connection Groups will provide a forum for students to safely interact with adult leaders and other children who are seeking to grow in their love for God and His Word.
- Friendly discussions will give kids the chance to talk about their lives, share what is important to them, and discuss the questions or prayer requests they may have during this pandemic.
- Adult leaders will provide biblical guidance and practical suggestions for applying God's truth to their lives. Leaders will also help students to memorize Bible passages and will devote time to praying for each child's concerns.

## **Kids Connection Groups | Wednesdays | 6:30 PM**

2nd & 3rd Grade Boys 2nd & 3rd Grade Girls 4th & 5th Grade Boys 4th & 5th Grade Girls

Groups can be accessed by visiting <u>faithlafayette.org/streaming</u> and clicking on the desired



## **ONSITE CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES**

## What You Can Expect

- Children's spaces and supplies will be disinfected regularly.
- Sanitizer will be provided in each classroom.
- While all servants and children over the age of 2 are encouraged to wear masks, masks will be required for anyone to whom state and/or local orders apply.
- Servants will check in all families, providing parents and children with printed nametags.
- While in class, children will receive ageappropriate teaching designed to help them grow in their love for God and His Word.
- For specific details, please see the Faith East, Faith West, and Faith North sections of this plan.

#### **Before You Come**

- Families wishing to place their children in our onsite ministries should register for tickets each week at *faithlafayette.org/kidstickets* by Saturday at 3:00 p.m.
- To prevent the spread of COVID-19, we ask that you please perform a screening before you bring your child to church using the questions below:
  - Has your child been asked to self-isolate or quarantine by a medical professional or a local public health official?
  - Does your child currently have a temperature of 100.4° or higher without having taken any fever reducing medications?
  - Has your child had close contact (within 6 feet for at least 15 minutes) with a person confirmed to have COVID-19?
  - Does your child have a new uncontrolled cough that causes difficulty breathing? For children with a chronic allergic or asthmatic cough, has there been a change in their cough from baseline?
  - Does your child have diarrhea?
  - Has your child been vomiting?
  - Does your child have abdominal pain?
  - Has your child recently experienced the onset of a severe headache, especially with fever?
- If the answer to any these questions is yes, we ask that you do not bring your child to church.



## **Dropping Off Your Child**

- Before dropping off your child, please wash or sanitize your child's hands. Sanitizer will be provided.
- If your child is potty-trained, please ensure that your child has recently used the restroom. Restrooms are located near each of our Children's Ministry spaces.
- Please begin your visit by checking in your child.
  - Faith East Returning preschool and elementary school students should be checked in at their classrooms. Returning infants should be checked in at the nursery. Those participating in our Children's Ministry for the first time should register at the northeast corner of the church building. New families with children under 2 may also register in the Nursery, located near the canopy entrance on the east side of the church building.
  - Faith West Check-in for returning families and new family registration take place at the entrance to the Preschool.
  - Faith North Check-in for returning families and new family registration take place in front of the PlaySpace.
- When you arrive, markers on the floor will indicate where you should stand.
- A servant will check in your child using your phone number. They will also provide you with a label that you will use when you return to pick up your child.
- A corresponding label should be placed on your child's clothing.
- For younger children, an additional corresponding label should also be placed on your child's diaper bag, which will only be accessed if necessary. Families worshiping at Faith West, should hang diaper bags on the hooks outside the classroom, ensuring that the label bearing your child's name is visible. For infants that tend to drool, we ask that you please pack extra bibs.
- After checking in your child, you may depart to participate in the worship service or your Adult Bible Fellowship.

# **Picking Up Your Child**

- When you arrive to pick up your child, markers on the floor will indicate where you should stand.
- Please be ready to show your pickup label to one of our servants who will verify that the unique code on your tag matches the code on your child's label. It is not necessary to hand your pickup label to a servant.
- At Faith East and Faith North, a servant will return your child and his/her diaper bag (if applicable). Faith West families should retrieve diaper bags from the hooks outside the classroom.
- Before leaving, you will be asked to notify our church office if your child or a family member should test positive for COVID-19 within two weeks of your visit.



## CAMPUS-SPECIFIC ONSITE CHILDREN'S MINISTRY TIMES & LOCATIONS

## FAITH EAST | 8:00, 9:30, & 11:00 AM

0-23 months

Born November, 2016 – Today's Date in 2018\*

Born September, 2014 – October, 2016

1st–5th grade (This lesson will be livestreamed)

Church Nursery

Rooms 106/108

Room 115/117

Church Gym

### FAITH WEST | 9:30 & 11:00 AM

Born March, 2019 – Today

Born August, 2016 – February, 2019

Born September, 2014 – July, 2016

1st–5th grade (This lesson will be livestreamed)

Purple Room

Yellow Room

Small Multi-Purpose Room

#### FAITH NORTH | 11:00 AM

Born November, 2016 – Today (Care for this age is also available at 9:30)

Born September, 2014 – October, 2016

Bauer Room 2

1st–5th grade (This lesson will be livestreamed)

Vinton Room

<sup>\*</sup> Children promote into this class once they turn 2 years-old.

