

Jesus loves me, this I know.

First Friends



more than just a parent's day out...
it's a kid's day in!

Thursdays

10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

September 8, 2016 thru May 11, 2017

Half-day Options Available

A children's ministry provided by



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WHO CAN COME?



We accept little "friends" who are from ages 10 months to 6 years old. (must turn 1 by November 30)

WHAT IS OUR PURPOSE?

First Friends provides a safe and happy place for kids to spend the day so busy moms can have some time for running errands or taking a much needed rest.

We strive to provide a Christ-centered atmosphere which encourages children to respond to God's love. We embrace a developmental approach to our teaching.



WHO ARE WE?

Our teachers are here to love your child sincerely and unconditionally. They are experienced and well-trained in teaching, caring for, and interacting with babies, toddlers, and young children.

WHAT DO WE DO?

Our time at First Friends is full of fun and learning. We provide a variety of activities led by qualified teachers including **music, gym time, outdoor play, resting time, Bible stories, and crafts—all reinforcing the biblical theme.**

Children in older classes will be introduced to school readiness skills including social skills and developmentally appropriate skills like shape recognition, cutting practice, and early reading experiences.

Special event days are scheduled once per month and include things like holiday parties, pajama day and bike day.

The entire staff works together to provide more than a mom's day out. We do all we can to make it a **meaningful kid's day in!**



WHAT SHOULD YOU BRING?

Children bring a sack lunch to eat with their friends. **Lunches should be peanut/tree nut free, ready-to-eat, and we allow water only, no juice please.**



For the youngest classes, baby bottles for milk and formula are permitted.

A scheduled afternoon rest time is also an important part of this busy day. A special "lovey" and a blanket is all you need. A change of clothes is a good idea, too.

More details are provided in the parent handbook.

WHAT IS OUR SCHEDULE?

First Friends begins September 8, 2016 and runs through May 11, 2017 and will be in session a total of thirty Thursdays.

**Our day starts at 10:00 a.m.
and ends promptly at 3:00 p.m.**

**We also offer half-day options.
Please call the First Friends office for details,
681-0664, ext. 206.**

WHAT IS THE COST?

Registration Fee:

\$35.00 per child through June 1, 2016
\$45.00 per child after June 1, 2016

Tuition:

Full Day: \$70.00 per month for each child
Half Day: \$60.00 per month for each child

Annual tuition for the 2016-2017 session is divided by nine months (September through May). This makes it possible to pay the same fee each month regardless of the number of weeks.

Payment is due the first Thursday of each month, September through May, regardless of the number of sessions you attend.

A late fee of \$10.00 is charged after the 15th of the month.





Print this page. Complete the two columns of the **Registration Form** and bring it with you to enroll, along with your registration fee. ***If you would like to enroll after April 22, please call to see if we have an opening for your child before mailing in the registration.***

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

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2016-2017 Registration Form

_____/_____/_____
Child's First & Last Name Date of Birth BOY/GIRL

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I would like to enroll my child for:

- Full day Half day

Parents' Names:

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home phone: _____

Mother's contact info:

Email: _____

Cell phone: _____

Work phone: _____

Father's contact info:

Email: _____

Cell phone: _____

Work phone: _____

Do you have a church home? Yes No

Where? _____

I agree to pay my child's First Friends tuition by the 15th of each month, September through May.

Signature of Parent/Guardian Date

**REGISTRATION FEE IS
NONREFUNDABLE.**

*Spaces are limited and you will need to **enroll in person** for the best chance at securing a spot for your child.*

April 21, 2016

10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

**Enrollment for current
First Friends families.**

April 22, 2016

10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Enrollment open to the public.

We will continue to enroll children after this date as long as there is space available.

***Please make check payable
to First Free***

OFFICE USE:

Registration amount paid:

Date _____

Check # _____ OR Cash

Print and complete these two columns. Bring this and the registration fee to enroll.