



LEFC KIDS

Your weekly newsletter from LEFC Kids Ministry!

Dear Parents and Friends of LEFC Kids,

Welcome to Kaitlyn!

Meet our new Fall intern!



Hello everyone! My name is Kaitlyn Hawbaker, and I am so excited to serve with the KidMin team here at LEFC. I am a senior in the Children and Family Ministry Program at Lancaster Bible College. I am from Chambersburg, PA. I have a younger brother named Levi, and we have

a dog named Nestle (like the chocolate brand!) In addition to children's ministry, I love camp and have spent the past 7 summers at Rhodes Grove Camp in Chambersburg. I can't wait to meet you all and get to know you this year!

Worship for Kids at 11AM - Pre-K thru 4th Graders



This week in Kids Worship, the kids will be worshipping God with the following songs: I Have Decided to Follow Jesus, Love the Lord Your God, I Love You Lord

World Mobilization Moments



This week, Erin Shenk will be sharing updates and specific ways we can pray for the Yates family!

Global Partner of the Week



This week's global partner of the week is the Yates family serving in Southeast Asia! [You can pick up a global partner booklet so you can info to pray as a family for our global partner of the week!]

This week: What our kids are learning!



As a church family, we are partnering with families to help children know, love, and follow Jesus! Keeping you in the loop of what we're learning each week is part of our partnership with you!

One-year-olds

Our sweet one-year-olds are a delight! And this year, we will be introducing biblical themes for our one-year-olds in our nurseries. Board books, conversation, songs and prayer will be focused on a simple theme for each month. This month the theme is "God Gives Me Food." We will be helping the kiddos develop an awareness that God made food and we can express thankfulness for the good food He gives us.

Two's and Three's

This week, we are learning about the Tower of Babel. We will continue to focus on how God cares for us. Our Bible memory verse is from Luke 1:37, "For nothing is impossible with God."

Pre-K thru 4th Grade

This week we will introduce the children to Abram and how he obeyed God's call to leave his land, and how God promised to bless Abram and the whole world through one of his descendants. God kept his promise when He sent Jesus. We can always trust that God is faithful and true to His word.

Note: During the first service, children in K-3rd grade have a large group story time to engage with the Bible story of the day.

During the second service, children in Prek-4th have a large group time for Kids Worship and World Mobilization Moments each Sunday!

The Heart of our Ministry



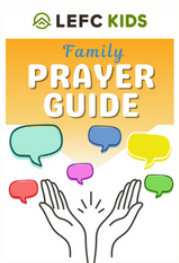
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Free Resources for Parents and Families

Pick up these resources on the table in the Kids Ministry Lounge on Sunday!

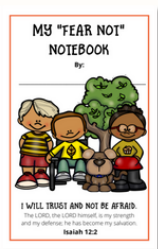
Kid-friendly Resources on Prayer

This fall we are focusing on prayer as a church family! Our Kids Ministry team has gathered kid-friendly resources on prayer for your family! You can pick up your copy of our new Prayer Resources booklet in the Kids Ministry lounge, or get your digital copy found on our website [HERE](#).



“Fear Not” Booklet

Sometimes the month before Halloween can feel scary for kids. Here is a great resource and kid-friendly guide to see what God’s Word says about what we can do when we feel scared/fearful and how we can bring our fears to Him!



Global Partner Booklet

Each week, we have a global partner of the week that we are praying for in Kids Ministry! Pick up a booklet so you can have info to pray as a family for our global partners!



Children’s Offering!

Wow! Can you believe we are just a few months away from Christmas? As we celebrate the birth of our Savior, we are also excited to bless our global partners’ children at this special time of year! The children’s offering from now through December will be used for our Christmas Blessing gifts for the global partner kids! Check out the wall display in the kids ministry hallway this week, near the offering box!



Important info on new church database system!



We have completed the church management system/directory conversion to our new secure platform called Amplify! Here are a few important things to note:

- You should now **remove the old Elexio app**. We will no longer be updating any information in Elexio, and it will soon be unavailable.
- We have postcards at the Family Check-In Desk and the Welcome Desk with information on how to obtain the new Amplify app, which is called **My Church Home** by Ministry Brands Amplify. [Click here to get the new app now!](#)
- In order for you to access the new app, ***you need to make sure that you are not sharing your email or cell phone number with another family member in the LEFC directory.*** Please let us know if you need help with this.
- **We are still working on fine-tuning Mobile Check-In.** After you install the new app, you can use it to check in your children, but the process is a little different than it was with Elexio. When you use the new app to check-in on Sunday mornings, it will generate a QR Code on your phone. You will scan this code at the Family Check-In Desk to print your child and parent tags. If you are not ready or need assistance, please feel free to stop by and we will help. We will make every effort to have an additional station available for check-in.

Thank you so much for your patience while we go through this transition! We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

Shepherds: Click [HERE](#) to see upcoming lessons for Sunday mornings!

Grateful for you,

Julia Brown

Minister to Children