



Our vision for 3rd-5th Grade class is that The Oaks Kids would enjoy a structured environment where they can hear and explore God's word and build community through learning about God together.

We realize this vision through reading God's Word, praying together, and memorizing scripture and a catechism. This class is unique in that we encourage this age group (along with Junior High) to sit with their families during worship, come to class during the sermon, and then return to the sanctuary after the sermon – sitting together as a class in their reserved row until a parent picks them up after the service. Kids may also sit with their class before the sermon if you prefer.

The 3rd-5th Grade class uses The Gospel Story Bible and studies the Northstar Catechism. These are great resources to use at home as well as The Oaks Kids take home sheet/email, which explains the main truth of our lesson each week and provides parents with discussion questions to go along with the story. Check out [this companion resource](#) for a 10-minute daily devotion.

Resources:

Here are a few of our recommended resources for your kids. While they might not fully comprehend what you are reading or singing, this is a wonderful place to start the rhythm in your family as primary disciple-makers. Plus, you will be hearing the truth of the gospel as you read and sing!

- [Gospel Story Bible](#) by Marty Machowski
- [Jesus Storybook Bible](#) by Sally Lloyd Jones
- [Student ESV Bible](#)
- [The Biggest Story](#) by Kevin DeYoung
- [Exploring the Bible: A Bible Reading Plan for Kids by David Murray](#)
- [Clap Your Hands](#), Stomp Your Feet, Album by Sojourn Music
- Northstar Catechism, [PDF](#) ([these are available to purchase in the check-in room](#))

We design our weekly emails with parents in mind, to give you a lay-up to train your kids at home. [Subscribe](#) to our weekly email for memory verses, important information about The Oaks Kids, and more.

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If you need anything, or have questions, please don't hesitate to contact us:

3rd-5th Grade Team Leader: We're still looking for a leader, but in the meantime, contact [Don Dudley](#) or Kristin (below).

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