



THE RIVER  
CHURCH OF THE SOUTH BAY



Dear River Church Family,

We are thrilled to announce to you that with God's help, Cathy Pluimer will join our pastoral staff team as our full-time Director of Children's Ministries. She will join April Thille and the rest of our amazing team of River Kids volunteers. Our Children's Ministries are growing by leaps and bounds and adding a full-time Director is both strategic and exciting. Cathy, her husband Kevin, and their five beautiful children are no strangers to The River. In fact, The River Church had its beginnings in the Pluimer backyard and Cathy invested many hours leading the ministry to our children in our earliest days. Cathy has a strong ministry background and many of you have known her from her days as the Area Director for Young Life South Bay. Most recently Cathy has worked with Cabi as a senior Field Operations Manager with proven ability with team and communication leadership. Cathy understands family, parenting, children, teenagers, team building, discipleship, and leading volunteers.

We are grateful to develop this partnership with Cathy, and thrilled that April will continue her part-time role as part of our River Kids leadership team and our pastoral staff team. With appreciation we thank April for the last three years of continuing to build our ministry to children and parents—and we are grateful to have April continuing to serve both children and parents. We look forward to the future fruit God will produce as Cathy takes the reins of leadership and through this new collaboration between Cathy and April and the whole team.

Welcome Cathy!

The River Leadership Team

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