



## Guests

We are so glad that you are taking a closer look at Judson Baptist! We hope you plan to visit soon. If possible, please print and fill out the registration form at the end of this PDF, and bring with you on your first visit!

### Directions for First Time Guests

Enter through the main Welcome Center entrance located on Franklin Pike. Look for the Children's Kiosk and our welcome team as you enter the foyer.

At the check-in kiosk, one of our volunteers will help get your children registered and signed in. From here, you will be escorted to your child's appropriate area.

If you have a preschooler (birth-PreK 4's), you will be escorted to our ground floor and to the preschool check-in desk. If you have a child in our children's area, you will be escorted to Soul Summit or to their Life Group class.

### Directions for Returning Guests

You do not need to stop at the Welcome Desk after your first initial visit. You can check in at any kiosk! Our kiosks are located in the church foyer, the 3rd floor near Soul Summit and 1st - 4th grade classrooms, and downstairs near the Welcome Desk. There will be someone at the kiosk in the lobby and at our preschool welcome desk to help you if you have any questions!

### More Information:

If you would like further information please feel free to contact the Minister to Preschool/Children, Jack Oliver at 833-6600 or [jack.oliver@judsonbaptist.com](mailto:jack.oliver@judsonbaptist.com)

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## Tips/Resources:

Consistent church participation helps children develop a sense of trust and security within their overall church experience. Talk to your child about coming to church and create the excitement for them.

Communicate with leaders any allergies that your child might have.

If your child becomes upset, remind them in a kind, firm voice that you are going to church and will be back soon. If your child remains inconsolable after 15 minutes, we will text you. (please leave your cell number for a text at the Welcome Desk.)

Help your child develop "church security" by picking them up promptly after each session. A child may become anxious when other children have departed.

Please check out the following resources that will help you in your journey of parenting:

### Websites:

[www.rethinkgroup.org](http://www.rethinkgroup.org)

A wonderful resource to find books, music, and other great leadership and parenting materials.

[www.visionaryparenting.com](http://www.visionaryparenting.com)

Visionary Parenting inspires and equips parents to impress the hearts of their children with a love for God.

### Music:

These music resources are filled with the music that your preschooler will come home singing. You might be wondering where they heard it, well, you can find those songs here:

[www.yancynotnancy.com](http://www.yancynotnancy.com)

Yancy is an incredible worship leader and has created music that any preschool can worship to.

[www.amberskyrecords.com](http://www.amberskyrecords.com)

Amber Sky is a resource where you can purchase and download AMAZING preschool and children's music.

[www.missgailmusic.com](http://www.missgailmusic.com)

A leader out of Atlanta, has created fun, silly, and great music for preschoolers.



## Tips/Resources:

### Books:

#### **“Hurried Child” by Dr. David Elkind**

Great kindle download. It is about 25 years old but very applicable for today. In the third edition, Dr. Elkind provided a detailed, up-to-the-minute look at the Internet, classroom culture, school violence, movies, television, and a growing societal incivility to show parents and teachers where hurrying occurs and why. And as before, he offered parents and teachers insight, advice, and hope for encouraging healthy development while protecting the joy and freedom of childhood.

#### **“The New Strong Willed Child” by Dr. James Dobson**

2005 Gold Medallion Award finalist!

Dr. James Dobson has completely rewritten, updated, and expanded this classic best seller for a new generation of parents and teachers. It offers practical how-to advice on raising difficult-to-handle children and incorporates the latest research with Dr. Dobson's legendary wit and wisdom.

#### **“Bringing up Boys” by Dr. James Dobson**

Here is a book with sensible advice and caring encouragement for raising boys. With so much confusion about the role of men in our society, it's no wonder so many parents and teachers are at a loss about how to bring up boys. This is a wonderful resource for parents.

#### **“Bringing up Girls” by Dr. James Dobson**

Practical Advice and Encouragement for Those Shaping the Next Generation of Women  
Based on extensive research, and handled with Dr. Dobson's trademark down-to-earth approach, Bringing Up Girls will equip parents like you to face the challenges of raising your daughters to become healthy, happy, and successful women who overcome challenges specific to girls and women today and who ultimately excel in life.

#### **“Grace Based Parenting” by Dr. Tim Kimmel**

Rejecting rigid rules and checklists that don't work, Dr. Kimmel recommends a parenting style that mirrors God's love, reflects His forgiveness, and displaces fear as a motivator for behavior. As we embrace the grace God offers, we begin to give it-creating a solid foundation for growing morally strong and spiritually motivated children.



## Sick Policy

We are unable to care for children who exhibit any of the following symptoms: (even if on medication)

- Any colored discharge from the nose
- Green or yellow runny nose
- Coughing/Sneezing
- Any discharge from the eyes
- A body rash (excluding diaper rash)
- Any childhood diseases

Or children who, within the past 24 hours, have had the following:

- Fever
- Vomiting
- Diarrhea
- Antibiotics within the past 48 hours

Please cover all scrapes and cuts with a bandage prior to dropping off your child. We have a first aid kits available if you need supplies.

### **ALLERGIES:**

Due to the number of children and child allergies, we ask that water be the only drink that is brought with the child (unless the child is under 12 months old, needing breast milk or formula). We are a peanut free ministry and will seek to protect the health of every child that is participating in any of our ministry programs.

We do provide snacks for children that may include: goldfish, or Fruit Loops (for those with milk allergies) and water.

Please notify your child's teacher or the Preschool Minister of any allergies that your child may have.



## Security/Behavior:

### **SECURITY POLICY:**

Judson Baptist seeks to give all children, preschoolers and their families the safest environment to learn about Jesus Christ. In order to keep the ministry safe there are a few procedures that we ask all parents to follow (not optional):

- All preschoolers need to be checked in at our check-in kiosks.
- When you print off your child's security tag at the kiosk, you will be given a security tag that matches your child.
- ALL parents must use the tag to pick up their preschooler. There are NO excuses.
- NO child will be released without the matching of the parent tag with the child's.
- Please remain on campus while your child is in Judson's care, unless you have been given approval by the Children's/Preschool Minister. The children are too young to not have a parent close by.

### **BEHAVIOR POLICY:**

Unacceptable behaviors include but are not limited to the following:

Throwing objects, kicking, hitting, pushing, biting, leaving the area without permission, name-calling or any language that shows disrespect to another person.

If a behavior problem should arise, this is how discipline will be handled:

- First, the child will be redirected from the situation.
- Secondly, the child will be spoken to by the child's leader in the classroom concerning the situation.
- Thirdly, the child will spend time in the Preschool Ministers office AND the parent will be asked to come and take their child.



## Visitor/New Member Registration Form

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  M  F

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Room #: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Needs or Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  M  F

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Room #: \_\_\_\_\_

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Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  M  F

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Room #: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Needs or Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' Names: \_\_\_\_\_

(First & Last)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Apt #: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Church Member?  No  Yes

\*If yes, where: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn of Judson? \_\_\_\_\_

One-time visit only

Looking for a church home

New to area

Visiting from out of town

Person bringing child: \_\_\_\_\_