

Dear Parents,

We are pleased that you have chosen to allow us to minister to your child. We understand that with children there is a great responsibility for both their Christian education and safety while in our care. We ask that you please fill out the attached forms for each of your children that you will be placing into our care for Christian Education (ages 3-18). The Usher Staff will introduce you and your children to a member of the Children's Educational Staff if possible prior to the beginning of service.

On Sunday mornings we offer a Toddler class that is for ages 3 and 4, we also have Sunday Morning Children's Church that is for ages 5 through 10. As a general rule the children are dismissed from the sanctuary on Sunday mornings during the receiving of tithes and offerings. The Children's Education Staff will stand and then usher the children to the appropriate classrooms.

On Wednesday evenings we offer Children's Educational classes. These classes are, Children's Church for children ages 5 through 10, Pre-teen class for children ages 10 through 12, and UPRDAR youth class for teens ages 13-18. The teachers for the Children's Church and Pre-teen classes are already in their classrooms awaiting the arrival of your child on Wednesday nights; however, if the teacher is not in the room we ask that you keep your child with you and out of the educational department until they do arrive (this includes all children up to the age of 13). UPRDAR youth dismiss for classes on Wednesday evening after the praise and worship portion of the service. We also offer a Young Adults class on Wednesday evening for ages 18-25, this class also dismisses following praise and worship.

We do ask that once church has finished that you promptly come to your child's classroom to collect your child and their projects. This is to ensure the safety of your child. No child will be allowed to leave the education department unless they are accompanied by either a member of the Children's Educational Staff or their parent/guardian (this includes all children up to the age of 13). In the event that your child is in need of early dismissal from the classroom, we will send you a text message to come and collect your child. We ask that you provide us with both an accurate and current cell phone number and that you be aware of any incoming messages.

All of the Children's Educational Staff are passionate about teaching your child about God. We hope to foster a loving environment and display to them the Love of God each and every time they are in our care.

Sincerely,

The Children's Educational Staff

Terry Arnold, Pastor