



Kids Kingdom

Second Semester Sunday School

Merry Christmas to everyone! I pray that God's peace pours into every part of you this season.

In preparation for our second semester of Sunday school I have laid out the teacher schedule. The rotation will be attached and available on our Sugar River website. You will notice that some

names are highlighted in gray—those are the designated large group leaders.

This semester is a little longer than first semester so we will each be taking 3-4 teaching slots.

Please let me know as soon as possible if there is a date conflict.

I will also be working on a sub list so you can call someone to switch with if you are unable to teach during this time.



Family Production Nite Dates

Mark your calendars for more family fun and fellowship!

Please note that some of them are NOT the first Sunday of the month!

January 3 ~ Joseph
February 14 ~ Peacemakers
March 7 ~ Mary Magdalene
April 11 ~ Seder Meal
May 2 ~ Ten Commandments

How can we Serve God, we are so little?

Each month the Children's Ministry team puts together a list of suggestions on how you can serve as a family. The list is just that, a suggestion! As part of the discipleship process, we want to instill the desire to serve others into each of the hearts of these children. There are countless ways to

serve and each of them is noble and important.

As we are developing the list, we look at what is going on in the life of our church and our community. Participating in service related events at Sugar River are a great way to get involved. Another very im-

portant part of service is praying for those serving when you can't serve yourself. It is always important for the recipients of our service to have your prayers as well.

Together, we will connect, grow, and serve as we become disciples of Christ.

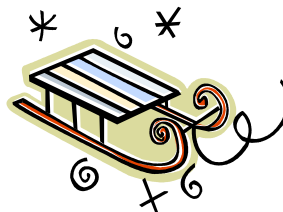
Call me by name...

As Sugar River's Kids Kingdom continues to grow we are finding that it is important for each child to wear their name tag each Sunday.

If you do not have one for your child, let the office know and we will make sure one gets made for you! Thanks for your help, the teachers will really appreciate calling your child by name!

Servant Teacher Tips

- Curriculum is available in the file drawer in my office at least 2 weeks prior to each new rotation.
- Each teacher should look through the curriculum prior to Sunday and let me know if they have any questions ~ I am happy to help clarify where needed.
- NEW ~ we will have a youth float at the 10:15 service in case there are times when you need extra hands!
- Once children are in the small group areas after music, please keep them in your area until service is over so you are not disrupting other groups—there are games and activities in the bottom drawer of each white cart in your area.
- Supplies will be available to you unless otherwise specified on your curriculum sheet.
- Please arrive to church at least 15 minutes prior to service if you are teaching that week. Check in with the lead teacher so they know all the teachers are present and ready to teach!



Topics for Second Semester

January: Joseph

The children will learn that through Joseph, God took an act that was intended to be evil and turned it into something good.

February: Peacemakers

Throughout the Bible, we read stories of people who tried to bring peace and justice to all of God's people. Their stories inspire us and help us learn how to be peacemakers today.

March: Mary Magdalene

Mary was the first to hear the good news of Jesus' resurrection. She was afraid and found

it hard to believe that Jesus was really alive. But when she saw Jesus herself, she ran to tell the others. Like Mar, we too can tell others the good news of Jesus.

April: Calling the Disciples

The children will learn that Jesus calls us today to witness the good news that Jesus brought and to share Jesus' story with others.

May: Ten Commandments

We will work with the children to learn the importance of the Ten Commandments. These laws help us know how to love and worship God and how they help us know how to treat others with justice and kindness.

The year at a glance...