



Children's Worship Plan for the 11am Service

Overview

- The children's worship service takes place during the 11am service for K-5th grade children.
- The children will attend service with their parents and will be invited to attend the Trinity Kids worship service just prior to the sermon. They will rejoin their parents after the service outside in the church courtyard.

Leaving the Sanctuary

- Children will be invited to worship together by following the cross carried by Beth Youmans who will be standing at the front of the sanctuary.
- Beth will lead the children outside using the door closest to the piano. Once outside, children will stand on color-coded circles and follow the cross upstairs through the education wing stairwell to the Courtyard classroom.
- The children will hand sanitize, pick up their color-coded supplies and sit within a color-coded square.
- The children will remain in the Courtyard classroom within their socially distanced square for a time of worship (instruments and hand motions only—no singing), a Bible lesson, an object lesson, and a time of reflection and prayer.
- Masks are required for children 5 years of age and older.

Trinity Kids' Worship

- Beth, Matt or Caleb will lead, guide and supervise the children. Additional adult supervision will be provided by paid caregivers. Leaders and supervisors will be wearing masks that have both a cloth and clear barrier so that children can see the leaders' lips.
- The children will pick up their individual materials: Bible, tray, musical instruments, journal and writing tools (pencils, pens, colored pencils, etc.).
- Doors in and out of the room will be open at all times to negate the need to touch door surfaces.
- Doors to the bathrooms will remain open to also negate the need to touch door surfaces.
- Only one child will be allowed in the bathroom at a time and will hand sanitize prior to re-entering the room.

Leaving the Courtyard Classroom

- The children will be dismissed by leaders one at-a-time or per family unit if applicable.
- The children will be asked to place their supplies in plastic bins upon exiting.
- The children will follow the socially distanced floor markers down the back education wing stairwell and outside into the church courtyard where they will be met by an adult supervisor.
- Once outside, the children will be encouraged to remain socially distanced while individually enjoying outside activities: hula-hoops, bubbles, sidewalk chalk, etc.



Parent Pickup

- Parents will be encouraged during announcements to promptly pick up their children after the service.
- Adult supervisors will ensure children and parents are connected.
- Adult supervisors will collect activities and store them under the stairwell until the following Sunday. The materials will be sanitized prior to next Sunday's service.