along the way

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Along The Way is a monthly resource for families to nurture faith by connecting church and home. The ideas shared are taken from the stories the kids are exploring at church on Sundays this month.



BLESS

Body Blessing

As you start your day,
may your mind
know God's wisdom.
May your eyes
see God's glory.
May your ears
hear God's words.
May your mouth
speak God's truth.
May your heart
host God's Spirit.
And may your hands
do God's work today.



GO

Avenue of Life

1st-5th graders and their caregivers meet at Avenue of Life to serve breakfast, clean, and organize donations the second Saturday of each month.

Join us:
Saturday, November 14
8:30-10:30 am
500 N 7th St Trfy, KCK

Visit the 'Events' tab at jacobswellchurch.org for more info or to sign up.



READ

Wee Ones (1-3 yrs)

Explain that Isaiah was God's messenger that told everyone that Jesus was going to be born. Show your child a Bible, open to Isaiah 9:6 and read it together.

Loft (4-6 yrs)

Read the story of Daniel and the lions' den from your favorite children's Bible.

Wonderground (1st-5th)

1 Corinthians 13
2 Corinthians 9:6-8, 2 Corinthians 1:3-11



TALK

Wee Ones (1 -3 yrs)

Who was Isaiah?
What did God tell Isaiah?

Loft (4-6 yrs)

What does the story of Daniel and the lions' den tell tell us about God?

Wonderground (1st-5th)

If a martian asked you what baptism is, what would you tell them? How would you define love to that same martian?
What is one way you have experienced God's comfort?
What can you teach your family about Unbound ?



PRAY

Wee Ones (1-3 yrs)

Close your eyes and touch your heart. Listen for God's voice speaking to your heart and your brain.

Loft (4-6 yrs)

Take a walk and thank God for the animals, people or things you love that you see on your way!

Wonderground (1st-5th)

Chuck-A- Prayer - Write a problem you're having on a piece paper. Wad it up and put a rubberband around it. Set up a trash can or bucket and take turns chucking your wads in the bucket as you ask for God to HELP!

jacob's well
a church in midtown

These commandments that I give you today are to be on your hearts. Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up. DEUTERONOMY 6:6-8

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN KIDS COMMUNITY

Wee Ones (birth-3 yrs)
The Wee Ones are learning that God told Isaiah some very special news. Jesus, God's son, was going to be born. God asked Isaiah to share that news with everyone!
Wee Ones ❤️ Verse:
"God (point up) told Isaiah to tell (cup hands around mouth) all the people (put both hands up and wiggle fingers) that Jesus was going to be born (rock baby)."

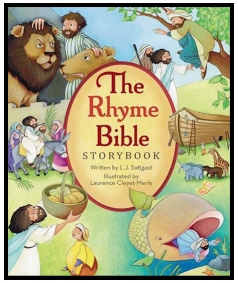
Loft (4-6 yrs)
This month we are on the lookout for how God used God's power to keep Daniel safe!
Loft ❤️ Verse:
God says, "Do not fear for I am with you." Isaiah 41:10

Wonderground (1st-5th)
We'll kick off the month by exploring the sacrament of baptism as we celebrate some Wonderground friends who are being baptized on Sunday, November 1st. Then, we'll spend another Sunday learning about Unbound, a global organization that has it's headquarters just down the street from Jacob's Well. Unbound supports families worldwide on their self-directed paths out of poverty through child sponsorship. The Wonderground is excited to start partnering with Unbound in sponsoring a child. Later in the month, we'll check out Paul's exhortations to the church in Corinth.

Wonderground ❤️ Verse: "Love is patient. Love is kind. It does not envy. It does not boast. It is not proud. It is not self-seeking. It is not easily angered. It keeps no record of wrongs."
1 Corinthians 13: 4-5

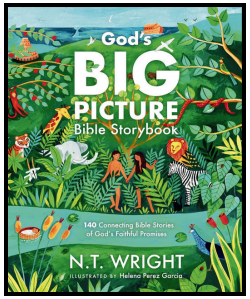
OUR FAVORITE CHILDREN'S BIBLES

Looking for Christmas presents for your kids? Bibles make great gifts! Here are our favorites and what we love about them:



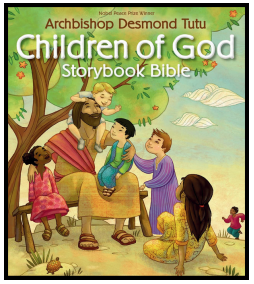
The rhyming stories are engaging and fun to read! Choose the board book for toddlers or the longer storybook option for older children.

1-6 YEARS



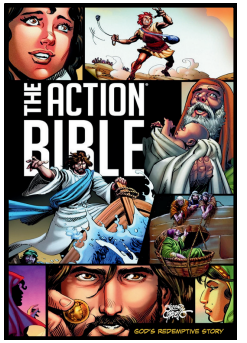
This book is written by scholar N.T. Wright! It includes a large variety of stories with lovely illustrations. Each page connects to other stories that line up in God's big story....helping kids see the big picture!

KINDER-5TH GRADE



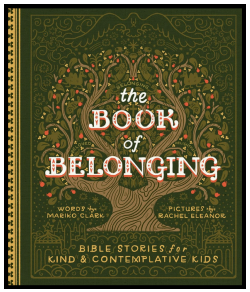
You'll find a variety of stories written by Desmond Tutu with lovely artwork from different illustrators. A heading on each page points to what God is doing and a prayer follows each story.

4-8 YEARS



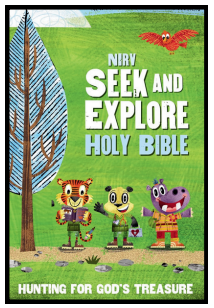
This version of the Bible is super engaging for kids who like graphic novels. It provides 230 stories in chronological order to give kids an overview of God's big story.

1ST-5TH GRADE



This book focuses on helping kids find where they belong in God's story. It provides creative activities and ideas to invite kids to process what they've read.

KINDER-5TH GRADE



This is a great option for your child's first study Bible. It comes in NIrV, our favorite translation for kids. It also offers activities that help kids with different learning styles experience the scriptures.

2ND-5TH GRADE

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