

YOUTH/CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL & MIDWEEK CLASSES

"That the next generation might know them ... so that they should set their hope in God and not forget the works of God..." - Psalm 78:6-7

Our new year will begin on **Promotion Sunday, August 30, 2015**. We ask the church to be in prayer for the teachers and students. If you could help in any way, please contact Debbie Kelley or Gail Dawson.

Children's Discipleship Ministry (ages 3-11)

contact Debbie Kelley (276-620-0567 or ndkelleyfarm@gmail.com) or Gail Dawson (540-980-2749 or 540-616-6898) with questions

Junior & Senior High Youth Ministry (ages 12-18)

contact Peter & Monica Kelly (276-620-9651 (P) / 276-620-3838 (M) or petermonica7@gmail.com)

- Nat Kelley is the oversight Elder for Children's Ministry

- Peter Kelley is the oversight Elder for Youth Ministry

Class level for the school year is based upon a student's **Age as of September 30**.

2014-2015 Sunday School & Midweek Youth Classes (effective August 30, 2015)
Nursery (age 0 -2) - upstairs
Little Lambs (ages 3-4) - upstairs
Joybugs (ages 5-6) - upstairs
Sonkids (ages 7-8) - upstairs
Trailblazin' Truthseekers (age 9-11) - Room #8
Junior Highs (ages 12-14)- Basement
Senior Highs (ages 15-18) - Basement

Please remember to pray for our students and their teachers!

TEACHERS

- Little Lambs: *Tammy McClellan, Beth Johnson, Gayle Kiser, & Laura Gill*
- Joybugs: *Anne Carpenter, Cathy Coble, & Taffy Falkena*
- Sonkids: *Gail Dawson, & Quintin McClellan*
- Trailblazin' Truthseekers: *Christa Vaughn & Debbie Kelley*
- Jr Highs: *Meagan Pratt, Tina Pratt & Roland Mathews*
- Sr Highs: *Peter & Monica Kelley*

We strongly encourage you to bring your children to both Sunday School and Midweek to help them develop a rich biblical foundation for all of life.

(Revised 8/25/15)

NURSERY/ LITTLE LAMBS

A Sure Foundation

- A Philosophy and Curriculum for Ministry to Infants and Toddlers

The church nursery should be an exciting and vital ministry in the church. It should be a launching pad for nurturing the faith of the next generation. A Sure Foundation: A Philosophy and Curriculum for Ministry to Infants and Toddlers is designed to help you transform your ministry to infants and toddlers into an integral beginning—a place of prayer for young children, a place where they hear foundational Bible stories, and a place where children learn simple truth statements and begin to memorize scripture as they form their language skills.

JOYBUGS

He Has Spoken by His Son

- New Testament Stories for Young Children

The New Testament beautifully unfolds the wonder and power of Jesus Christ. This curriculum explores the greatness of God in Christ by noting key themes found chronologically throughout the New Testament. Bible stories are not written out; teachers prepare the lesson through the study of scripture using a list of key themes, opening illustrations, and application questions to acquaint children with a great God who has spoken by His Son.

SONKIDS

The ABCs of God

- A Study for Children on the Greatness and Worth of God

Right thinking about God is essential for the life of faith. Using the alphabet as a framework for teaching the attributes of God, this study explores the delight that God has in Himself as the source, means, and purpose of all things. Each lesson asks and answers three key questions, "Who is God?" "What is He like?" and "How should I act toward Him?" as it presents a theology of God for children.

TRAILBLAZIN' TRUTHSEEKERS

Faithful to His Promises

The intention of this year's study is to teach the children what it means to trust in the promises of God. Although a number of promises are taught, they are used as an illustration that God is trustworthy in keeping His promises, and to show children examples of the promises of God. The challenge in the Christian life is not to know the promises of God, but to place unshakable trust in God's promises. Children will discover the promises of God as they read the Bible and grow in their knowledge of the Word of God. But in order for that knowledge to help a child (or any person) fight the fight of faith, he must not only know the promise but place his confidence in that promise and the God who made it!

JUNIOR HIGHS

Abiding in Jesus

- From Desiring God Ministries

* SENIOR HIGHS

So What Studies: Growing in Christ's Church

- From Great Commission Publications

- * The Senior Highs are finishing up their studies from the Summer, so they will not begin the new studies until the end of September. They are finishing a DVD series by Ligonier Ministries on Economics. The Jr. Highs will go ahead and begin their new curriculum, but will finish the DVD series from Answers in Genesis: Demolishing Strongholds on Wednesday.