



# WELCOME



First United  
Methodist  
Church of Hurst



We are honored you have chosen FUMC Hurst as the place to deepen your discipleship. Our congregation is a church family, and you will find folks of all ages engaged in the various activities and opportunities designed to help children and their families connect with people, connect with purpose and connect with God.



With each baptism we promise to help teach each child the stories of Jesus so that his story may become their story. At FUMC Hurst we take this promise seriously. We welcome all kinds of families, traditional and non-traditional. We enjoy the diversity of various cultures, races, religious backgrounds, and family groupings: one parent, two parents, grandparents raising grandchildren, children added to your family through birth or through adoption, and more.



## CHILDREN'S DISCIPLESHIP STAFF



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## WEBSITE

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2018-2019

# CHILDREN'S DISCIPLESHIP CALENDAR

## IMPORTANT DATES

- AUG 12 3rd Grade Parent/Child Meeting, 9:45 a.m., Cinema
- AUG 19 Blessing of the Students, 8:30 & 11 a.m. Worship
- AUG 19 Kinder Blessing\*, 11 a.m. Worship
- AUG 19 Parent/Kinder Luncheon and Sanctuary Exploration\*, 12:15-2:15 p.m., W103/104
- AUG 26 Educator Blessing, 8:30, 9:45 and 11 a.m. Worship
- SEPT 9 3rd Grade Bible Sunday\*, 11 a.m. Worship
- SEPT 14-15 Glen Lake Bible Camp\* (3rd – 5th grade)
- SEPT 30 Acolyte Training\*, 5 p.m.
- OCT 28 Trunk or Treat
- JAN 6 Prayer Night, 5-7 p.m.
- JAN 24-26 Created by God\* (5th – 6th grade)
- JAN 27 Kinder Worship Service, 9:50 a.m. Pirtle Chapel
- MAR 31 Fun Run, 5-7 p.m.
- APR 13 Egg Hunt, 4-5:30 p.m. at Hurst Central Park

## CHILDREN'S DISCIPLESHIP OPPORTUNITIES

### Sunday evenings beginning September 9

- 4-5 p.m. Children's Choirs (K-5th grade)
  - 5-7 p.m. Children's Activities, W103/104  
(see specific meeting dates below, descriptions are provided on the back of this sheet)
- Children are encouraged to register online in advance each week and arrive at 5 p.m. with \$3 cash for dinner. Children who are participating in choir on Sunday afternoon (and planning to stay for the evening activities) will be escorted by staff/volunteers from choir to dinner.

### Mission Possible Kids\*: Grades K-5

- SEPT 9
- OCT 14
- NOV 11

### Children's Leadership Team\*: Grades 4-5

### Bible Buddies\*: Grade 3

### Faith & Films\*: Grades K-2

- SEPT 23
- OCT 21
- NOV 18

\* Please register online.

# CHILDREN

# PARENTS



## Mission Possible Kids

Grades K-5

The children will learn about and participate in mission projects that benefit our local community. There is a one-time \$20 registration fee (includes a t-shirt). T-shirt orders will be taken for those who have outgrown their shirt from last year. Contact, Rhean Wren.



## Day School

Ages 2 month-4 years (as of 9/1/18)

New days and extended hours are available. Register at the Day School office Tuesday–Thursday, 9 a.m–2 p.m. Call 817.968.3862 to schedule your tour.



## Children's Leadership Team

Grades 4 & 5

Allows children to engage in interactive and empowering leadership lessons as well as various church leadership opportunities such as the Children's Lenten Offering and the Community Easter Egg Hunt. Contact, Abbie Arellano.



## Caring Christian Mothers

A dynamic group of moms and young kids building friendships, providing support, learning and playing together! Join us! Visit the church website for more information.



## Bible Buddies

Grade 3

Series of engaging and interactive sessions on how to use their Bible. Parents are encouraged to attend (let Jennifer Acker know if you are unable to attend with your child and need help finding a Bible Buddy for him/her). Contact, Jennifer Acker.



## First Sunday Parents

First Sunday of the month, 9:30 a.m., C110

Expectant parents, parents of infants and toddlers are invited to gather for fellowship and conversation. Nursery care is provided or bring your little one along.



## Faith & Films

Grades K-2

Children will enjoy a movie together and engage in discussions about where they experienced God in the movie and how they can apply the lessons of the movie. This is a wonderful way for young children to look for the extraordinary messages from God in ordinary places. Contact, Jennifer Acker.



## Fall Adult Learning Opportunities

While your children are involved in Sunday night activities, register for an adult study or join a Covenant Group. For more information, go online or pick up a *Fall 2018 Adult Learning Opportunities* brochure at the Connect Desk.



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