

# Children and Family

Fall 2020

Our Family Style Sunday School is humming along. I thoroughly enjoy seeing the children as they enter Zoom. I am so grateful to the leaders who are sharing their love for Jesus with our children. There are three breakouts available: preschool, kindergarten, and first grade; second, third, and fourth grade; and fifth and sixth grade. If you haven't joined us yet, that is okay! We meet at 10:10 each Sunday morning. Let me know if you need the login information.

I was so happy that our third graders were able to receive their Bibles in August! It was such a joy to share in this moment with our families. I also was overwhelmed with the awesome response to Treat Street in October. What a fantastic event it was. I truly appreciate everyone who made it such a success and were safe while participating. I am also excited that our [Youth 56](#) has been able to meet during these months as well.

As we move into Advent, I am trying to continue with as many of our "normal" activities as possible. I am looking for families to sign up to light the Advent Candles during worship. At home Advent wreath kits are ready for families to pick up, so each family can light candles at home. We are having our annual Christmas play. It will be livestreamed on December 11 at 7:30 PM. [Tickets](#) are \$5.00 per device. I am planning the Family Christmas Eve service and would love to include our sixth graders as we have been doing each year.

Even in the midst of our current situation, time marches on. I want to do all that I can to make Advent and Christmas as special as possible. I know that things are challenging for us all. I know my attitude has to be rooted in Jesus and not in the circumstances. I pray that we all can lean into Him during these crazy times.

Please know that even though we are not physically together, I am here to assist you any way that I can. You can call me, text me, email me, etc. I want to come alongside of you as we navigate these times. God has us in His loving arms. He only wants us to lean into Him. Praying you and your family are well and doing all that you can to help us all deal with each day as it comes.

By HIS Grace and through HIS love,  
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