

# Kids Village Program 2017/2018



The basis of the Kids Village Program for 2017/2018 is based upon our mission: **Helping Kids Grow In Their Relationship with Jesus**. We carry out this mission based on the following values, which correspond with the overarching values of The Village Church:

In our Kids Village Program	In our Worship Gathering	In the Community
Creating an age-appropriate space for kids to learn about Jesus, connect with each other, and learn how to share Jesus with others.	Fostering intergenerational worship in which kids can learn from their parents and church family what it means to worship God while also exploring ways to use their God-given gifts in the church.	Encouraging opportunities for families to go out into their communities to serve and show Christ's love.

## **Kids Village Program: JK – Grade 4**

- Kids will start in service for worship every Sunday.
- Parents will pre-sign in kids before Service starts; then during offering time, the kids will leave.
- The monthly schedule will be as follows:

Week One	Kids in Service
Week Two	Normal Program
Week Three	Normal Program
Week Four	Normal Program
Week Five	Normal Program

- Exceptions to this schedule include:
  - Baptism Services (kids in service)
  - Special Services (Easter; Christmas) (kids in service)
  - Bee the Church Sundays (aka R.A.K.E. Sundays, Random Acts of Kindness Everywhere!)

## **Pre-Youth Program: Grade 5 – Grade 8**

- Those kids wishing to participate will start in service for worship.
- Parents will pre-sign their kids in (before service starts); then during offering time, the kids will leave.
- Kids will participate in an age-appropriate leadership program.
- The monthly schedule will be as follows:

Week One	Kids in Service
Week Two	Leadership Program
Week Three	Kids in Service
Week Four	Kids in Service
Week Five	Kids in Service

- This will be a pilot program for 2017/2018. If there is interest, then we will expand on this program and increase the amount of leadership sessions.