

Vision Statement

First Covenant Children's Ministries is designed to reach children and their family with the love of Jesus, helping them grow as committed disciples and experience God's life changing love.

"Train a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it." Proverbs 22:6

Core Values and Goals

- ***Jesus is the center of our ministry- and children are the focus.*** We are continually aiming to inspire kids in their walk with the Lord, helping them grow in deeper understanding of God's truths, who God is, and how much God loves them. Our goal is to teach children the good news of Jesus in a way that is intentional and purposeful- that instills a deep devotion to Christ. We want our Children's Ministries to be so FUN and get kids so excited about their faith that they can't wait to come back each week.
- ***We are shepherds and role models to children-*** our goal is to make each child feel known and loved, serving each child and building relationship with their family with passion and joy, knowing that we are influencing a generation of disciples for Jesus. "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these." Mark 10:14
- ***We will be relevant to today's kids-*** our activities and lessons will be age appropriate, engaging, and relevant to kids to their life today. We will help kids explore how the Bible lessons they learn personally affect their lives, and how God's truths apply to our culture and world today.
- ***We will create a safe environment for kids-*** emotionally, spiritually, and physically. Emotional safety comes when teachers and volunteers create a warm, welcoming, and positive environment. Each child is accepted and loved. Spiritually, not every child is at the same place so we must make a safe place for kids to ask the tough questions and to grow in their own faith at their own pace. Physical safety will be implemented through check in and check out procedures, and safe, age appropriate classrooms.