

**DCC KIDS**

**WHERE EVERY KID BELONGS**

# **PARENT INFORMATION**

## **2025-2026**

### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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### ABOUT US

**DCC KIDS MISSION** - To lead Kids and families into a growing relationship with Jesus.

**DCC KIDS AGES** - Infants - 5th grade

**SERVICE TIMES** - Sundays 9:30am and 11:15am (*Doors open 15 minutes before service start times.*)

### DROP-OFF & PICK-UP

**CHECK-IN** - All children are checked-in at the check-in desk. Each child will receive a name tag with a unique code. Parents/guardians will receive a claim ticket with a matching code.

**PICK-UP** - Leaders must match the Parent's claim ticket it to the child's tag number. For safety, children will not be released without a matching claim ticket.

### CONTACT & COMMUNICATION

**REGISTRATION** - New Families will complete a family registration form. Current families are asked to update their form annually or as needed. This form asks for basic profile and contact information, as well as medical notes and diaper changing permissions (as needed).

**IN-SERVICE CONTACT** - If needed during service, Parents will be paged by displaying their child's claim ticket number on the screens used for the adult service.

### VOLUNTEERS

**SAFETY** - All adult (aged 18+) volunteers are required to complete a criminal background check as well as adhere to safety policies and procedures set in place by DCC. Volunteers age 17 and younger may only serve as an assistant to an adult volunteer.

## **DCC KIDS PRESCHOOL ENVIRONMENTS**

### **PRESCHOOL CLASS**

Preschool class is for children age 3 years - Kindergarten. Children get an opportunity to experience age-appropriate worship, Bible lesson videos, and small group activities.

### **NURSERY CLASS**

Nursery is for birth thru 2 years old. Children 24-36 months will be promoted to the Preschool class if parents and staff determine that is the most developmentally appropriate environment for the child. The Nursery classroom is also a comfortable space where nursing mothers are allowed to privately feed their baby.

## **THEOLOGICAL FOUNDATIONS**

In the Preschool years, a child will form their first impression of God's love.

**God made me.**

**God loves me.**

**Jesus wants to be my friend forever.**

## 2025-2026 THEMES



**AUGUST**

To the Moon and Back: God made everything



**SEPTEMBER**

Construct and Create: God has plans for me



**OCTOBER**

Super Kids: God can help me be brave



**NOVEMBER**

Going on a Picnic: I can celebrate God



**DECEMBER**

Christmas Shapes: God gave us Jesus



**JANUARY**

Book Fair: The bible teaches me the best things



**FEBRUARY**

Sweet Treats: Jesus loves me



**MARCH**

All Star: Jesus is amazing



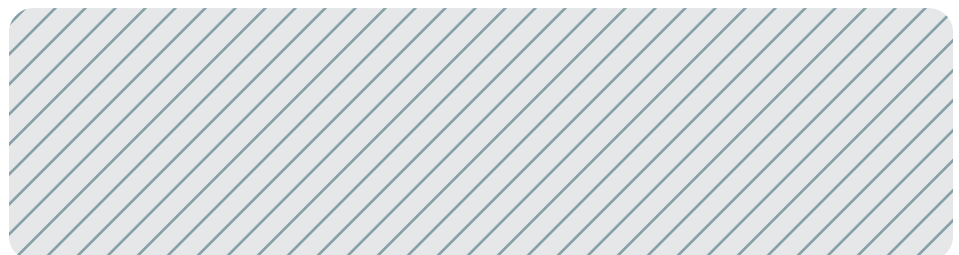
**APRIL**

Hip Hip Hooray: Jesus wants to be my friend forever



**MAY**

Hats Off: Jesus cares about everyone



**JUNE & JULY**

Coming soon!



## 2025-2026 THEMES

### August



#### SERIES OVERVIEW

When you look at the world, what do you see? Vast oceans teeming with extraordinary sea life? Flowers you can name by their scent? Trees that blossom in spring, produce fruit in summer, and turn brilliant colors in fall? When God saw everything He had made, it was very good. And it still is!

#### KEY QUESTION

Who made everything?

#### BOTTOM LINE

God made everything.

#### MEMORY VERSE

"God saw everything he had made. And it was very good."  
(Genesis 1:31 NIV)

**Week One:** Light and Dark; Sky Above Water\* (Genesis 1:3-8)

**Week Two:** Land, Plants, and Seas\* (Genesis 1:9-13)

**Week Three:** Sun, Moon, and Stars\* (Genesis 1:14-19)

**Week Four:** Sea Animals and Birds\* (Genesis 1:20-23)

**Week Five:** Land Animals and People; God Rested\* (Genesis 1:24-2:3)

### September



#### SERIES OVERVIEW

God had plans when He made the sun, moon, and stars. God had plans when He made rain fall and plants grow. God had plans when He filled the ocean and land with animals. So why would we doubt that God has plans for the one thing He created in His very own image?

#### KEY QUESTION

Who has plans for you?

#### BOTTOM LINE

God has plans for me.

#### MEMORY VERSE

"For I know the plans I have for you," says the Lord."  
(Jeremiah 29:11 NLT)

**Week One:** Adam and Eve (Genesis 1:27-28; 2:15, 19-20)

**Week Two:** Baby Moses\* (Exodus 2:1-10)

**Week Three:** King Josiah (2 Chronicles 34)

**Week Four:** Abraham and Sarah (Genesis 12:1-3; 15:5-6; 18:1-4; 21:1-7)

## 2025-2026 THEMES

### October



#### SERIES OVERVIEW

Brave is not the first word most people think of when they think of themselves. But when we think of God, when we think of ourselves – the powerful God who is always with us and can help us be brave – even the most fearful of us can be strong and courageous with God!

#### KEY QUESTION

Who can help you be brave?

#### BOTTOM LINE

God can help me be brave.

#### MEMORY VERSE

"Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid . . . for the Lord your God goes with you." (Deuteronomy 31:6 NIV)

**Week One:** Esther (Esther 2:2–8:17)

**Week Two:** David and Goliath (1 Samuel 17:1–50)

**Week Three:** Gideon\* (Judges 6 and 7)

**Week Four:** Abigail (1 Samuel 25:1–35)

### November



#### SERIES OVERVIEW

There is power in a thankful heart! Consider when a heart focuses on what it does not have, it is discontent and unhappy. But when a heart focuses on being thankful for everything, it is content and joyful. Let's choose a life of joy and give thanks to the Lord with our whole heart!

#### KEY QUESTION

Who can thank God for everything?

#### BOTTOM LINE

I can thank God for everything.

#### MEMORY VERSE

"I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart." (Psalm 111:1 ESV)

**Week One:** Ruth, Naomi, and Boaz (Ruth 1–2)

**Week Two:** Daniel's Friends Pray (Daniel 2)

**Week Three:** Manna and Quail (Exodus 16)

**Week Four:** Elisha's Room\* (2 Kings 4:8–17, Psalm 144:9–10)

**Week Five:** David Praises God (2 Samuel 6:12–15)

2025-2026 THEMES

December



**SERIES OVERVIEW**

What is the best gift you have ever given someone? What did it cost you? Time? Money? Maybe going without something you wanted or even needed? The best gifts are the ones that require sacrifice on the part of the giver. That's what makes Jesus the most incredible gift. God gave us His Son, Jesus.

**KEY QUESTION**

How do we know God loves us?

**BOTTOM LINE**

God gave us Jesus.

**MEMORY VERSE**

"God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son."  
(John 3:16 GNT)

**Week One:** The Angel and Mary (Luke 1:26-33, 38)

**Week Two:** Jesus is Born\* (Luke 2:1-7)

**Week Three:** The Shepherds (Luke 2:8-20)

**Week Four:** The Wise Men (Matthew 2:1-2, 9-11)

January

Ⓢ This month includes Preschool Family Experience



**SERIES OVERVIEW**

There are a lot of books that teach a lot of things. But there is only one book that teaches the best things – things like how to live for God, hear from God, pray to God, and talk about God to others. We can find all of those best things in the Bible!

**KEY QUESTION**

What does the Bible teach you?

**BOTTOM LINE**

The Bible teaches me the best things.

**MEMORY VERSE**

"Your word is truth." (John 17:17 NIV)

**Week One:** Young Jesus (Luke 2:41-52)

**Week Two:** Philip\* (Acts 8:26-35)

**Week Three:** Paul and Silas (Acts 16:16-40)

**Week Four:** Tabitha and Timothy (Acts 9:36-39; 1 Timothy 4:12)

2025-2026 THEMES

## February



### SERIES OVERVIEW

Love is a word used for many things. We love chocolate. We love puppies. We love naps. But the love Jesus gives us is in a category all by itself. It's a love that is greater than any other love. It's a love that Jesus has for everyone, and it will never end.

### KEY QUESTION

Who loves you?

### BOTTOM LINE

Jesus loves me.

### MEMORY VERSE

"Jesus said, 'Let the children come to me.'" (Matthew 19:14 NLT)

**Week One:** Jesus and the Children (Mark 10:13-16)

**Week Two:** The Lost Sheep\* (Luke 15:3-7)

**Week Three:** Mary and Martha (Luke 10:38-42)

**Week Four:** Jesus Forgives a Woman (John 8)

## March



### SERIES OVERVIEW

When you see something that you have never seen before, and you cannot explain how it happened, that falls into the "amazing" category. That's what people experienced when Jesus began teaching and doing miracles. They had never seen or heard anyone like Him. Jesus was amazing then, and Jesus is amazing now!

### KEY QUESTION

Who is amazing?

### BOTTOM LINE

Jesus is amazing!

### MEMORY VERSE

"We have seen amazing things today!" (Luke 5:26 NLT)

**Week One:** Water to Wine (John 2:1-11)

**Week Two:** Coin in the Fish's Mouth (Matthew 17:24-27)

**Week Three:** Centurion (Matthew 8:5-13)


**Week Four:** Jesus Walks on Water (Matthew 14:22-23; Mark 6:45-52; Luke 6:16-21)

**Week Five:** Palm Sunday\* (Matthew 21:1-11; John 12:12-15)



## 2025-2026 THEMES

## April

 This month includes Preschool Family Experience



## SERIES OVERVIEW

We can be forgiven because of what Jesus did on the cross. We can be with Jesus forever because the tomb is empty. We have so much to celebrate! Jesus is alive! And Jesus wants to be our friend forever! News that is this good is too good to keep to ourselves!

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## KEY QUESTION

Who wants to be your friend forever?

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## BOTTOM LINE

Jesus wants to be my friend forever.

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## MEMORY VERSE

"I have called you friends." (John 15:15 NIV)

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**Week One:** Easter\* (Matthew 26:31-32, 36, 47-50; 27:1-2, 11-66; 28:1-8)

**Week Two:** Breakfast on the Beach (John 21:1-14)

**Week Three:** Great Commission (Matthew 28:16-20)

**Week Four:** Heaven (John 14:3; Revelation 21, 22:1-5)

## May



## SERIES OVERVIEW

Think about all the people in this world. People like you. People who are nothing like you. People who have made great choices. People who have made horrible choices. People who live near you, and people who live on the other side of the world. There are many different people in this world, and Jesus cares about every one of them.

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## KEY QUESTION

Who does Jesus care about?

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## BOTTOM LINE

Jesus cares about everyone.

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## MEMORY VERSE

"How wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ." (Ephesians 3:18 NIV)

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**Week One:** Villages, Towns, Countryside\* (Mark 6:53-57)

**Week Two:** Jesus Heals a Woman on the Sabbath (Luke 13:10-17 CEV)

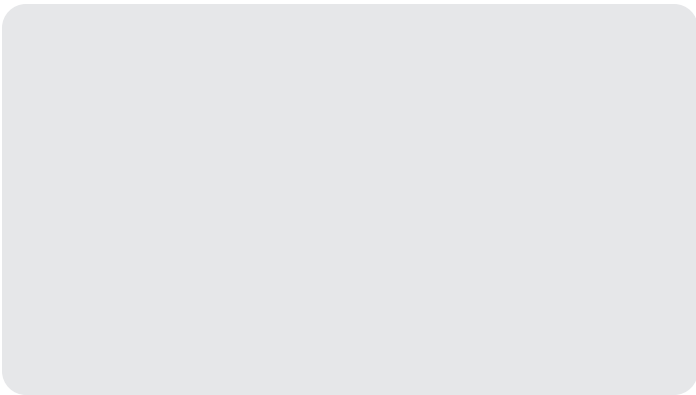
**Week Three:** Zacchaeus (Luke 19:1-10)

**Week Four:** Woman at the Well (John 4:1-26, 39-42)

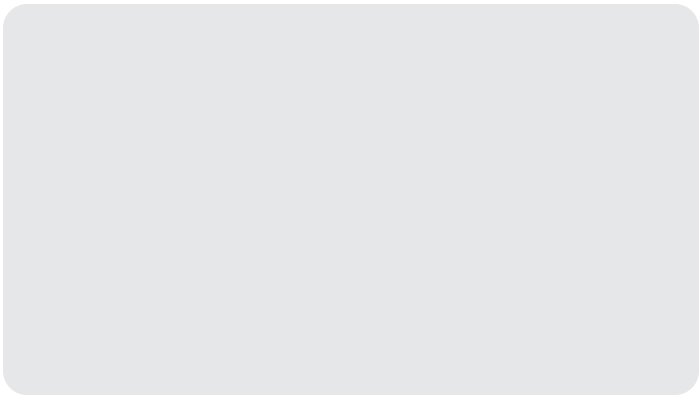
**Week Five:** Matthew's Dinner (Mark 2:13-17; Luke 5:27-32)

2025-2026 THEMES

June (Coming Soon!)



July (Coming Soon!)





## **DCC KIDS ELEMENTARY ENVIRONMENTT**

### **ELEMENTARY CLASS**

Elementary consists of 1st-5th graders. They meet in a fun environment, the 252 room, where kids will build relationships with each other and their leaders all while learning about God. They will experience high-energy worship, Bible lessons, and hands-on activities that reinforce the lesson.

## **THEOLOGICAL FOUNDATIONS**

### **Three Basic Truths**

In the elementary school years, kids will grow in wisdom, faith, and friendship.

**I need to make the wise choice.**

**I can trust God no matter what.**

**I should treat others the way I want to be treated.**

## 2025-2026 THEMES



### AUGUST

Origin Story: Where Our Story with God Begins



### SEPTEMBER

On the Move: Brave the Unknown with God



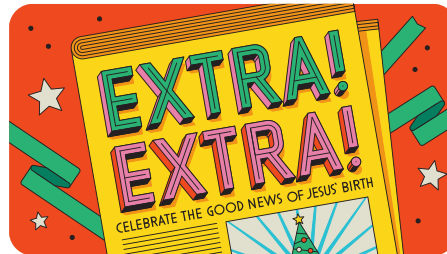
### OCTOBER

Wisdomland: God Can Help You Make The Wise Choice



### NOVEMBER

Bedrock: Building Confidence in God, Block by Block



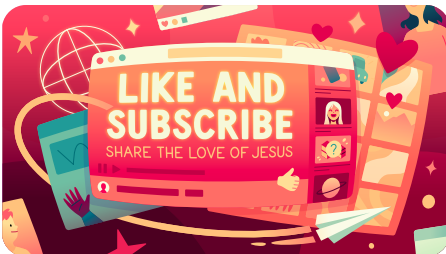
### DECEMBER

Extra! Extra! Celebrate the Good News of Jesus' Birth!



### JANUARY

Game Plan: Growing Stronger in Faith Everyday



### FEBRUARY

Like and Subscribe: Share the Love of Jesus



### MARCH

Upside Down: Treat Others the Way Jesus Treats You



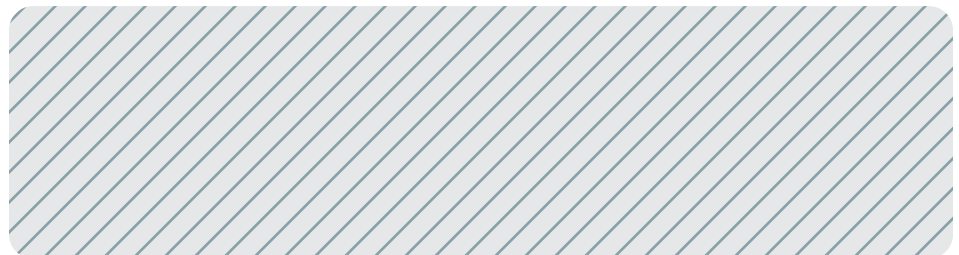
### APRIL

Block Party: Celebrating Jesus and Joy that Never Ends



### MAY

Trek: Don't Stop, Don't Give Up—God's With You



### JUNE & JULY

Coming soon!

## 2025-2026 THEMES

## August



## SERIES DESCRIPTION

We can trust God. Looking back at the beginning of God's Big Story and seeing how God kept His promises then gives us confidence to trust that He will be with us now.

## CORE QUESTION

How do I know that God is trustworthy?

## CORE INSIGHT

God's Son / Faith

## MEMORY VERSE

Faith is being sure of what we hope for. It is being sure of what we do not see. (Hebrews 11:1, NIV)

**Week One:** Creation and the Fall (Genesis 1-2:3; 3)

**Bottom Line:** You can trust God no matter what.

**Week Two:** Noah (Genesis 6-9)

**Bottom Line:** You can trust God even when you don't understand.

**Week Three:** God Chooses Abram (Genesis 12:1-9, 15:1-6)

**Bottom Line:** You can trust that God has a plan.

**Week Four:** Jacob's Dream (Genesis 28:10-22)

**Bottom Line:** You can trust that God is with you.

**Week Five:** Joseph (Genesis 37, 39-45)

**Bottom Line:** You can trust God when things get tough.

## September



## SERIES DESCRIPTION

It's hard to be brave. But when we look at God's Big Story, we can reflect on how He can help us be brave even when things are scary or hard.

## CORE QUESTION

How can I trust that God can help me?

## CORE INSIGHT

God's Spirit / Transformation

## MEMORY VERSE

When I'm afraid, I put my trust in you. (Psalm 56:3, NIV)

**Week One:** Moses (Exodus 3-6:12, 7-12:42, 13:17-14:31)

**Bottom Line:** God can give you courage when you don't feel ready.

**Week Two:** Joshua and the Spies (Numbers 13-14:35)

**Bottom Line:** God can give you courage when others are afraid.

**Week Three:** Rahab Helps the Spies (Joshua 2)

**Bottom Line:** God can give you courage to help someone in need.

**Week Four:** Ruth (Ruth 1)

**Bottom Line:** God can give you courage when you don't know what's next.

## 2025-2026 THEMES

## October

**SERIES DESCRIPTION**

We may not know the answer to every question or problem, but God does. When we look at God's Big Story, we can see that we can turn to Him for wisdom whenever we need help.

**CORE QUESTION**

How did Jesus grow in wisdom?

**CORE INSIGHT**

God's Message / Truth

**MEMORY VERSE**

It is much better to get wisdom than gold. It is much better to choose understanding than silver. (Proverbs 16:16, NIV)

**Week One:** Samuel Anoints David (1 Samuel 16:1-13)

**Bottom Line:** God can help you make the wise choice.

**Week Two:** David and the Psalms (Psalm 1:1-4)

**Bottom Line:** If you want to be wise, focus on God.

**Week Three:** Solomon Chooses Wisdom (1 Kings 3:4-15)

**Bottom Line:** You can ask God for wisdom.

**Week Four:** The Kings (1 & 2 Kings)

**Bottom Line:** Be wise because your choices matter.

## November

**SERIES DESCRIPTION**

Trying to do something on your own is difficult. When we look at God's Big Story, we can see that no matter the situation, when we follow God, we can have confidence that He is with us.

**CORE QUESTION**

How does believing in God change the way I live?

**CORE INSIGHT**

God's Image / Identity

**MEMORY VERSE**

Those who trust in the Lord will receive new strength. They will fly as high as eagles. They will run and not get tired. They will walk and not grow weak. (Isaiah 40:31 NIV)

**Week One:** Elijah and the Prophets of Baal (1 Kings 18:16-45)

**Bottom Line:** God can do the impossible.

**Week Two:** Jonah (Jonah 1-3)

**Bottom Line:** God knows what's best.

**Week Three:** Daniel and the Lions' Den (Daniel 6)

**Bottom Line:** God is always with you.

**Week Four:** Esther (Esther)

**Bottom Line:** God can help you stand up for others.

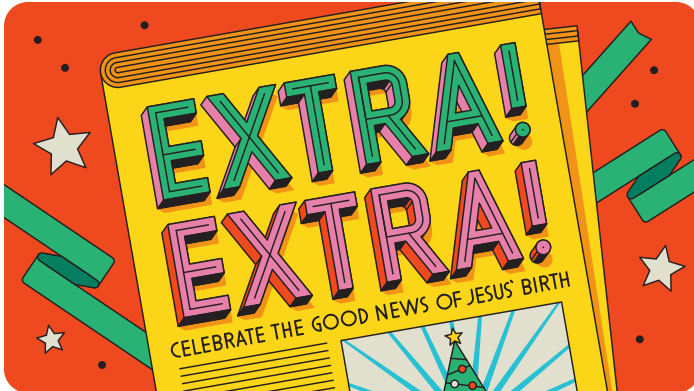
**Week Four:** Nehemiah (Nehemiah 1-4, 6:1-15)

**Bottom Line:** God can help you do big things.



## 2025-2026 THEMES

## December

**SERIES DESCRIPTION**

The most exciting thing about Christmas is that we celebrate the birth of Jesus! Jesus' birth is part of God's plan to restore what was broken.

**CORE QUESTION**

Why is Jesus so important in God's story?

**CORE INSIGHT**

God's Creation / Design

**MEMORY VERSE**

"Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you. He is the Messiah, the Lord." (Luke 2:11, NIRV)

**Week One:** Jesus Is Promised (Isaiah 9:6-7, Micah 5:2)

**Bottom Line:** Jesus is good news for everyone.

**Week Two:** Gabriel Visits Mary (Luke 1:5-66)

**Bottom Line:** God always had a plan to send Jesus.

**Week Three:** Jesus Is Born (Luke 2:1-20)

**Bottom Line:** Jesus is the greatest gift.

**Week Four:** The Wise Men Visit Jesus (Matthew 2:1-12)

**Bottom Line:** Celebrate Jesus all year long.

## January

**SERIES DESCRIPTION**

Practicing something every day helps you learn how to do it better. When we follow Jesus and actually live out the things we hear and learn, the Holy Spirit helps our faith grow.

**CORE QUESTION**

How can I grow daily in my relationship with God?

**CORE INSIGHT**

God's Love / Connection

**MEMORY VERSE**

Training the body has some value. But being godly has value in every way. It promises help for the life you are now living and the life to come. (1 Timothy 4:8, NIRV)

**Week One:** Jesus at the Temple (Luke 2:41-52)

**Bottom Line:** Practice talking about God.

**Week Two:** The Lord's Prayer (Matthew 6:9-13)

**Bottom Line:** Practice praying to God.

**Week Three:** The Wise and Foolish Builders (Matthew 7:24-27)

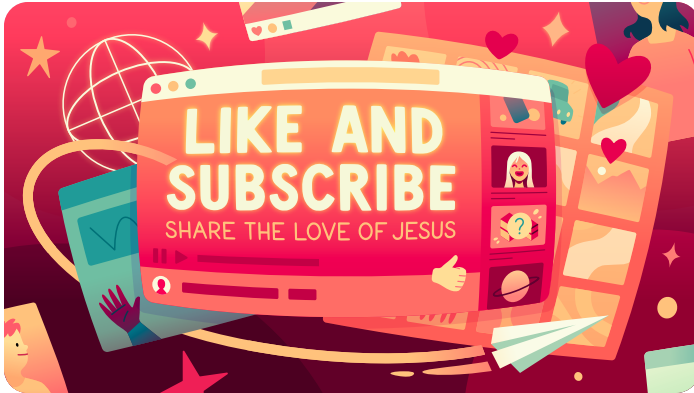
**Bottom Line:** Practice hearing from God.

**Week Four:** Jesus Chooses Matthew (Luke 5:27-32)

**Bottom Line:** Practice living for God.

## 2025-2026 THEMES

### February



#### SERIES DESCRIPTION

God's Big Story shows how Jesus showed His love to everyone. When we follow Jesus, we can love others just like Jesus.

#### CORE QUESTION

What does it look like to love like Jesus?

#### CORE INSIGHT

God's Family / Community

#### MEMORY VERSE

"I give you a new command. Love one another. You must love one another, just as I have loved you." (John 13:34, NlrV)

**Week One:** Jesus Teaches Nicodemus (John 3:1-21)

**Bottom Line:** God loves the whole world.

**Week Two:** The Most Important Commandment (Matthew 22:34-40)

**Bottom Line:** Love God. Love others.

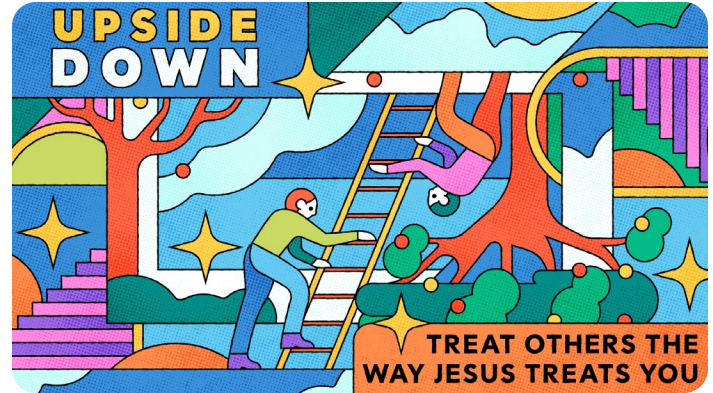
**Week Three:** Zacchaeus (Luke 19:1-10)

**Bottom Line:** The love of Jesus can change things for the better.

**Week Four:** Jesus Heals Jairus' Daughter and a Suffering Woman (Mark 5:21-43)

**Bottom Line:** Show the love of Jesus to people in need.

### March



#### SERIES DESCRIPTION

In God's Big Story, Jesus showed compassion by becoming one of us. He gave up a lot to make that happen. Jesus showed us that sometimes you have to give things up to show others just how much you care.

#### CORE QUESTION

How does following Jesus influence the way I treat others?

#### CORE INSIGHT

God's Character / Compassion

#### MEMORY VERSE

Don't do anything only to get ahead. Don't do it because you are proud. Instead, be humble. Value others more than yourselves. (Philippians 2:3, NlrV)

**Week One:** John the Baptist Is a Witness About Jesus (John 3:22-36)

**Bottom Line:** Jesus must increase. I must decrease.

**Week Two:** A Roman Commander Has Faith (Matthew 8:5-13)

**Bottom Line:** Remember God is most important.

**Week Three:** Be Humble / Love Your Enemies (Matthew 5:38-48)

**Bottom Line:** Love like Jesus even when it's hard.

**Week Four:** Mary and Martha (Luke 10:38-42)

**Bottom Line:** Make time for Jesus first.

**Week Five:** Palm Sunday / Jesus Washes His Disciples' Feet (John 12:9-16, 13:1-17)

**Bottom Line:** Jesus showed us how to be humble.

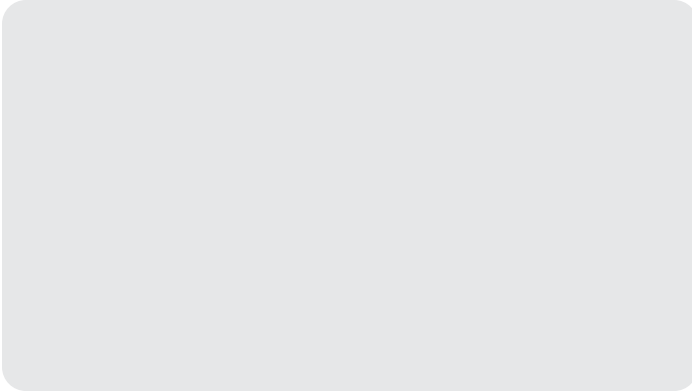


## April

## May

## 2025-2026 THEMES

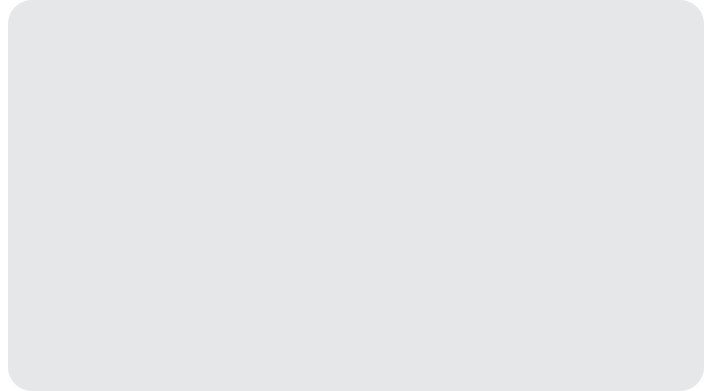
### June (Coming Soon!)



#### SERIES DESCRIPTION

Step into Kingdom Quest—a grand and joyful adventure where every child becomes a seeker of the greatest treasure ever known: the Kingdom of God. When we discover Jesus and follow His footsteps, we can know more about God and grow closer to Him.

### July (Coming Soon!)



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Today's Date

Your Name  Your Gender: Male ☐ Female ☐ Your DOB

Your Email  Your Cell Phone

Your Address  City  State  Zip

Marital Status  Your Relationship to the Child(ren)

Spouse Information (if applicable)

Spouse Name  Spouse Gender: Male ☐ Female ☐

Spouse DOB    Spouse Phone Number

1st Child First Name  Last Name  Age  Grade

Boy ☐ Girl ☐ DOB    Any Allergies or Special Conditions?

2nd Child First Name  Last Name  Age  Grade

Boy ☐ Girl ☐ DOB    Any Allergies or Special Conditions?

3rd Child First Name  Last Name  Age  Grade

Boy ☐ Girl ☐ DOB    Any Allergies or Special Conditions?

**For safety purposes, I understand that I must present the security claim tag assigned to me or a valid photo ID in order to obtain my child(ren) from DCC KIDS once they are checked in.**

Responsible Party Signature:

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