

BIRTH - 18 YEARS

JOURNEY KIDS

Bring your children (birth thru 5th grade) and allow them to experience God's love in a fun and exciting way.

Sonshine Meadows is a safe, loving environment for all children, birth through pre-Kindergarten. Each week they experience God's love through teaching, music and creative activities.

The Great Adventure is an exciting worship experience for children in Kindergarten through the fifth grade. Each week they enjoy large group worship with music and quality teaching, as well as age appropriate small groups.

JOURNEY STUDENTS

Journey Student Ministry seeks to provide students (sixth through twelfth grades) regular opportunities for spiritual growth, missional activity and authentic friendships.

Wednesdays

Large & small groups for ALL STUDENTS meet each Wednesday evening - 6:30 PM @ Elegance Reception Hall. There is large-group fun, music & teaching; small group interaction.. Don't miss out! Invite some friends!!

Surrender

We're glad you're here on
Sunday , March 8, 2009

FIRST TIME AT JOURNEY?

Here's some information about today's experience you may find helpful.

Don't worry if you can't find the hymnals or the organ. There aren't any. Instead, we're committed to using a full expression of the arts in our worship experiences. On any given Sunday you will encounter a band, upbeat music, multi-media, drama and visual artists as part of the experience. Our weekend worship experiences are designed to present basic Biblical truths and show how they apply to our everyday lives.

Don't feel obligated to give. The Bible says no one should feel forced to give or give in response to sob stories and arm twisting. (2 Corinthians 9:7) Journey is a member and attendee supported faith community.

It's okay to fill out the communication card included in the program. No one will sell your name to some insurance company in Duluth or try to meet your cleaning product needs. It simply helps us understand who we are serving and how we can do it better. You can return the card during the time of Giving Back To God or drop it off at the resource table and receive a free copy of today's message. Each Sunday, as you return, simply put your name and mark your status.

If your kids stay with you in the Worship Experience... they are really missing out! We have loving caregivers for infants, a quality program for pre-school age kids and an exciting worship experience for kids grades K-5.

Loving God...Loving People...Linking Them Together

HOW DO I...

...worship when I don't know the songs? Don't worry. We usually sing each at least two times. We didn't know these songs at first either.

...get prayer for something specific? You may list your prayer need on the back of your communication card. Simply check "Confidential" or "For Prayer Ministry Team" to appropriately direct your request.

...find out about JOURNEY & get connected? Visit the resource table to get details about:

- Our Essential Beliefs
- Service Opportunities and How to Volunteer
- Opportunities to Grow and Learn
- Starting Point
- Core Values & Core Practices

Also, visit our website: www.journeyky.org to connect in many different ways.

CURRENT SERIES

RESET

February 22—March 29

There are 3 components to this spiritual journey: weekend worship experience, personal study; a weekly group. We're asking everyone to engage at all three levels for these six weeks. Sign up today for a RESET Group and clear your Sunday morning calendar. You'll be glad you did!

NYC MISSION TRIP

June 27—July 3, 2009

A church in Manhattan is trying to touch one million people through servant evangelism this year. More details are forthcoming, but we need to know if Journey has enough interest to pursue the trip. If you're interested, just write NYC on the "sign-up" line of your communication card. The trip will be family friendly for third grade up.

TLC

Level 2 Engagement

According to our 09 Vision Challenge, Journey is launching a church-wide initiative called TLC: Touching Local Communities. For approximately 90 days we will be saturating a specific area or neighborhood with God's love, generosity and kindness. Watch the program for more details about how you will be able to participate. TLC is too large for just a few; we'll need everyone engaged at some level.

HOUSE BUILD

May 1 & 2

This year we'll be joining with other churches to frame three or four habitat houses. Mark your calendar now!

SEND-A-KID-TO-CAMP Camp Scholarships

Some of our elementary children are planning to attend the summer camp, Centri-kid, in July at Georgetown, KY. We need to have money available to help children and their chaperones attend. Any help is appreciated. Please check "other" on your offering envelope and write: Centri-kid scholarship.

MISSION & STRATEGY

Love God

Love People

Link Them Together...

By creating experiences where people are encouraged and equipped to pursue: Missional Spirituality, Authentic Community and Personal Wholeness.

A CORE PRACTICE BALANCING GRACE & TRUTH

To err on the side of grace we risk compromising the truth of God's Word. To err on the side of trust we risk misrepresenting the graceful heart of God. Therefore, we strive to continually balance grace and truth in all our relationships and communication at every level.

Don't forget to invest & invite!