



Bethel Mid-Week Children's Ministries 2019 - 2020

Dear Parent,

Welcome back to our fall programs at Bethel Church! We're thrilled to have your children join us once again. We look forward to the coming year with them.

Program Dates and Times: Wednesday Children's Programs at Bethel begin September 4th, 2019, and will end April 29th, 2020. There are no Family Night programs on November 27th, December 25th, 2019 as well as January 1st, 2020. Please join us for our Thanksgiving Service in Bethel's auditorium on the 27th of November. All programs start at 7:00pm and finish at 8:30pm. Please be considerate of the volunteers who work in these ministries by being on time! For the safety of your children, those in the nursery and pre-school programs will be released only to a parent or a person designated in writing by the custodial parent.

Health Guidelines: We believe every parent is responsible to assess the health of their child or children before letting him or her attend church programs or nursery care. We appreciate your help so that sick children do not come in contact with healthy ones.

If your child has been too ill to attend school that day, or has vomited, had diarrhea, or a fever over 100 degrees Fahrenheit within the last 24 hours, please refrain from bringing him or her to Bethel's programs. Any child with a communicable disease who has not attended school within the last 24 hours should not be brought to Bethel's programs until cleared by the School nurse. Communicable diseases include, but are not limited to: pink eye, impetigo, scabies, lice, ringworm, chicken pox, and flu.

These guidelines are in place to control the spread of infectious disease and to keep the sick child from further contamination by other children in order for them to recuperate more quickly.



Inclement Weather: Bethel's Family Night Programs WILL follow the East Penn School District inclement weather cancellation policy. When East Penn closes, there will be no Family Night activities. When bad weather is predicted after school has let out, please check Bethel's website at www.BethelBFC.org or call the info line at 610-965-2682 ext 8 after 4:00pm for information regarding Family Night programs for that evening.

Parking Lot:

We are well aware of the parking limitations around Bethel Church. These will increase if we get snow this winter! Please refrain from parking on the street in order to keep good relationships with our neighbors. Additional parking apart from Bethel lots is available at Rodale (North St. next to Jefferson playground) as well as Jefferson and Lincoln schools (except for Open House and Meet the Teacher nights).

There should be no running in the alleys and in between the bushes of the church property. Over the years there have been some close calls with cars driving in the alleys. If you are in the parking lot waiting, please help with encouraging the younger ones to remain in the designated area.



Behavior Guidelines - Within the Church: Every child attending Wednesday Programs is asked to obey these few courtesy rules while attending Bethel's Programs.

1. Everyone has their own personal space into which no one else should come. Therefore there is to be no poking, no jabbing, no touching, no feet on the chair of the person in front, etc.
2. Everyone is always treated respectfully both with words, actions and facial expressions. No inappropriate talk, language, or subject matter will be tolerated.
3. In the classroom, only one person speaks at a time and as they do everyone else listens.
4. A child who wishes to speak should raise their hand and quietly wait until the leader calls on them.
5. Everyone is asked to respect the property and equipment that God has provided for us.



Everyone starts with a clean slate each week. All correction by leaders will be given in love and respect for both the child and their parents or care givers.

Thank YOU!

Annette Kuhns
CE Coordinator, Bethel Church

Wednesday Mid-Week Programs Leaders

Children's Ministries	Annette Kuhns	610-965-2682 xt 5	ages 3 – Grade 6	9/4/19-4/29/20
Youth Ministries	Jared Burkholder	610-965-2682	7-12th	8/29/18 – May 2019
Prayer Meeting	Church Office	610-965-2682	Adults	Year Round 10:00am & 7:00pm

Bethel Info Line - (610) 965 – 2682 ext 8
Website: bethelbfc.org