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A Word to **Families + Students**

Our heart is to partner with your family in the spiritual growth of your child. We do this through age-appropriate programming that connects Biblical teaching, worship and prayer with opportunities to serve and engage in phase specific events and experiences.

Nursery + Preschool (Through Kindergarten)

Preschool is where children get a first impression of our Heavenly Father. Nurturing caregivers help babies and preschoolers feel secure and loved as they learn about God. Children learn Biblical truth through puppets, story telling and creative activities.

Sun: 9am. 10:40am

Elementary: 1st-5th Grade

Elementary is a time of great growth both physically and spiritually. Loving leaders guide our students on a journey through the Bible in chronological order. We use worship, story telling and interactive games in small and large group environments to help children understand they are a part of God's big story.

Sun: 9am, 10:40am

Middle School: 6th-8th Grade

In middle school, students are exploring who they are and who they want to become. Our weekly programming, special events and yearly trips are designed to help students discover that their identity and purpose can only be found in God.

Sun 9am

High School: 9th-12th Grade

In high school, students are approaching adulthood and taking responsibility for their own spiritual growth. We seek to create environments where students can grow spiritually in knowledge, attitude and action. Sun: 9am

Find out more at the chapel. life / family

College: Campus Focus

Campus Focus, The Chapel's college ministry, is composed of hundreds of students who are either exploring who God is or seeking to grow in their faith. CF meets on Thursday nights in the Auditorium. We offer small groups throughout the week, and host seasonal retreats and getaways. Thurs: 7:30pm

Find out more at campusfocus.org

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Answering life's most challenging questions

Announcements + Events

Happy Father's Day!

Glad you're here.

If you're visiting for the first time, please stop by the Fir Hill Welcome Center for a free gift.

Summer XP

Family

Summer XP, five-day backyard Bible clubs, will be meeting from 9:30am-noon in host homes all around town. Clubs run June 19-23, June 26-30, July 10-14 and July 17-21. Details online.

Coming Next Sunday

New Sermon Series

Find out more about our Saturate (10 in 10) Movement next Sunday when Pastor Tim kicks off a four-week sermon series focusing on church planting. In the weeks that follow, we'll hear from Pastors Mike Castelli, Zac Derr and Jacob Ley.

Save the Date: July 30

#OneFamily Event

Mark your calendar now for Sunday, July 30 when we visit the Akron Zoo, together as a church family, after the worship services. Discount tickets are available; picnic shelters are reserved. Watch for details online.

Senior Gathering: Game Day

Care

This Thursday, June 22: Bring the grandkids to a fun morning of games, fellowship and snacks from 10-11:30am in Room 155. Let the Care department know you're coming so they can plan for you.

Visit Orphans in Cambodia

Global Outreach

Do you support a child in Cambodia? Consider joining our short-term mission trip to Cambodia from August 23-31. We'll minister to rescued children and help dedicate our newest orphan home there. Contact Outreach for details.

Fir Hill Desk

Guest Services

Greet guests, answer questions and help guide people to the rooms, programs and events that meet their needs. As a member of the Fir Hill Desk Team you can help us make great first impressions. Sign up online.

Did You Know?

Chapel volunteers serve in more than 63 ministries at the Akron campus and off-site. If you haven't found your niche here, it's easier than ever to get plugged into a ministry that fits your unique giftings, talents and interests. Look online for details.

This is only the beginning.

Find everything you need to know at thechapel.life/happeningnow

Salvation

How to Become a Christ-Follower

- Acknowledge your position before God.

 God said, "all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23). That means no matter how good we are, we don't measure up to God's standard of perfection (Isaiah 53:6). The outcome is spiritual separation from God (Romans 6:23).
- Believe in Jesus Christ.

 Believe that Jesus Christ, who was God in human flesh, died for your imperfections on the cross and was resurrected. His actions solved your sin problem by becoming your substitute (1 Peter 2:24, 3:18).
- 3 Express your belief through repentance + faith. Repentance involves turning from all sinfulness (Acts 3:19). Faith means placing your trust in the promises of God through Jesus Christ (Acts 16:31).