



Ages birth – 23 months

WELCOMED AND SAFE

Covenant Children and Family Ministry strives to encourage kids and support families to wonder, question and grow in faith as we follow Jesus wherever we live, work and play.

Babies need basic physiological needs met. Parents and caregivers provide this by feeding them, keeping them clean, answering their cries and placing them in a safe place to sleep. This is how they know they are loved. Our Faith Formation Task Force has designed specific goals for this age group which will be met through the following:

In Covenant's nursery, we:

Welcome each child by name and with a smile (C)

Introduce ourselves and provide new parents with our Nursery and Childcare Policies and Guidelines (S)

Collect information about your child both written and verbal in order to provide the best care for your child (S)

Share a simple Bible lesson on Sunday mornings using the Worship and Play curriculum (S)

Sing songs during transitions, diaper changing, feeding or rocking (C)

Encourage church members to serve alongside us as a way of supporting our community (SV)

As part of our ministry, we will:

Welcome every new addition to a family with a sippy cup and a visit from our Childcare Coordinator, Elizabeth Moore

Introduce our staff to your family during your Baptism meeting and present you with a keepsake Baptism board book

Organize an annual gathering for newly baptized children and their families to celebrate together and build community

Offer access to our Food ministry which provides families with meal service once a child is welcomed home

Solitude (S)

Community (C)

Service (Sv)