



## Welcome to the nursery!

We're glad you're here, and want you to feel as comfortable as possible about leaving your infant or toddler in our care.

Our goal is to serve your family by showing God's love to your child through the care and nurture they receive while in the nursery.

We take that responsibly seriously, and are committed to providing the best possible care for your child. This brochure will tell you what you can expect from our nursery staff, as well as our expectations of you.

### Our staff

Our nursery is staffed with regular, paid adult caregivers, supplemented as needed with church volunteers. Our current caregivers are **LeeAnnsley Sandridge** and **Ryan Jenkins**. You can expect to see them consistently in the nursery, so your child will be greeted each Sunday by a familiar face and voice.

## What to bring with you each Sunday

When you leave your child with us, please bring a labeled diaper bag containing the following items:

- enough diapers and wipes for three changes
- a labeled bottle or sippy cup with a favorite drink (we can provide refrigeration)
- a favorite toy, blanket or item that will soothe a upset child
- an extra set of clothes for the inevitable spills or accidents
- we will provide a light snack for each child midway thru the morning.



## What to take while you're here

We have **vibrating pagers** available for nursery parents, so the nursery staff can contact you quickly and discretely when there's a special need or question. If there's a particular situation when you would like to be paged (such as if your child is being fussy), please let the nursery staff know your preferences.

## If your child is sick

Because no parent enjoys having a sick child, we ask that you help our other nursery children remain healthy. **Do NOT bring your child into the nursery** if they are showing signs of illness such as:

- Fever
- Diarrhea
- Heavy nasal discharge
- Persistent cough
- Pink eye

## A few more things ...

When you drop your child off in the nursery, please be sure to sign them in and out on the clipboard, so we have a record of their stay.

We will not release an infant or toddler to anyone other than the parents! Please do not send a brother or sister to pick up the child - they will not be allowed to take them. If special circumstances require someone other than a parent to pick up an infant, please give the nursery staff *written authorization* to release your child to that person when you bring your child into the nursery.

## Nursery hours

Sundays: 8:30 am - 12:30 pm  
Wednesdays: 6:15 pm - 8:15 pm

*“Permit the children  
to come to me;  
do not hinder them;  
for the kingdom of God  
belongs to such as these.”*

Jesus,  
in Mark 10:14



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