



First Quarter Newsletter

West Valley Christian Alliance Church

Children Department September 2009

Mark your Calendar:

- 9/6 Sunday School and nursery kick off
- 9/13 Chinese Sunday School kick off
- 9/19 SCF kick off meeting
- 10/18 Mission Conference
- 11/29 No Chinese Sunday School
- 12/13 Sunday School Christmas celebration
- 12/19 SCF - Making Ginger bread house
- 12/27 No Chinese Sunday school

New roles

- Chairperson:** Christine Ng and Moony Chum
- Secretary:** Yvonne Tso
- Nursery:** Jennifer Wong
- Sunday School:** Sandra Chong and Carsya Pang
- Chinese Sunday School:** Helena Au (Teacher)
Fion Ngai (Coordinator)
- Saturday Children Fellowship:** Elena Mok and Idy Luk



Children Sunday School

In order to build up the concept of worship and help your child to grow spiritually and socially, we are please to announce several changes in Children Sunday School this year.

Worship time at the beginning of each lesson: Children will gather at Room #302 to have fun and lesson related worship for 15 minutes before class begin.

New Sunday School Curriculum: We are excited to use a new curriculum – LifeWay's Level of Biblical Learning. It is a curriculum that connects kids to God's Word through biblical, sound, age appropriate and fun foundational resources. It gives a coordinated approach from birth through preteens by using ten concept areas to guide kids in their spiritual growth. You will find a weekly unify theme through G.1 to G.5 with different teaching approaches and activities.

New Class Level arrangement: To maintain a good size of group to learn effectively, we change our Sunday school grouping into three classes; they are Pre-K & K, G.1 to 3 and G.4 to 5. The average of the each class is 10 students and the groupings match with the class level divisions of our new curriculum.

In addition to the weekly Sunday School curriculum, we set different goals and milestone to different classes this year:

Pre-K & K class – The Lord's Prayer

G1 to G3 class – The Ten Commandments, Fruit of the Spirit, New Testament Index

G4 to G5 class – The Armor of God, The Beatitudes, Old Testament Index

Chinese Sunday School



親愛的家長們:

今年我們的中文兒童主日學上課的時間是上午十時半至十一時半, 內容包括唱中文兒童聖詩、祈禱、看中文 DVD 聖經故事、寫中文字和背誦十誡。

很高興的是我們有十位弟兄姊妹參與作導師, 他們的名字是: 鄭美詩、謝妙姬、林美娟、區珮詩、莫啟友、陸月英、曾倩儀、羅景厚、陳若媛和司徒萍。希望藉着每星期短短的一小時, 小朋友不但能學習中文, 更能用中文祈禱及看聖經(親近上帝)。

Nursery



Thank you for all the parents and the nursery volunteers for your serving in the past year.

This year we will continue to strive for the best care for your little ones, so you may feel comfortable and worry free when they are in our capable hands. We will continue to combine 0-3 years old care program in the same nursery room due to the number of child attendees, and currently we have two nursery volunteers and one paid staff watching over your child during the morning service hour and two caregivers on the second hour. Our nursery curriculum includes free play and music time, and we also offer bible story time and light craft project to provide a more engaging and interactive program for older child. Also flu season is coming upon us, so we appreciate that all parents may conduct good health practice at your home, and we also ask our nursery volunteers and staff to do the same, so our little ones may have a safe winter under our care. If you have any comment/concern/suggestion, please feel free to contact Jennifer Wong.

Saturday Children Fellowship (SCF)



The kick off date of the 2009 -2010 SCF is September 19th 2009

There's going to be a few changes this year:

- 1. Idy Luk and Elena Mok are the SCF co-coordinators*
- 2. Karlene Bendoy is the new teacher replacing Carol*
- 3. Samantha Fong and Calvin Fong are our new high school youth helpers on a regular basis*
- 4. our theme this year is the "Ten Commandment"*
- 5. the bible passage is "Psalm 1"*
- 6. SCF will focus on missionary projects and help children in learning to serve others*

From the teacher....

Hi my name is Karlene Kae Bendoy

- I am excited to be part of the Saturday Children Fellowship. This year is going to be a wonderful one of fun and growth.

- I am currently working at Milpitas Christian Preschool as a Preschool Teacher since 2008

- I love working with children and enjoy being part of their lives. It is a blessing to share my teaching gift and I know I can help make a difference in their lives.

"A cheerful look brings joy to your heart" Proverbs 15:30

