

Welcome to the Nursery at Christ Community Church!

It is the desire of the Children's Ministry Team that every effort is made to promote a healthy, safe, and loving environment for all the children while staying at Christ Community Church. Our Nursery policies are stated to promote unity and understanding between the parents and Nursery Volunteers at CCC. Thank you for the privilege of caring for your children!

Our Nursery Facilities

The nursery is available for children ages birth - 24 months beginning 15 minutes prior to the 9:15 Sunday School Class and 10:45 Worship Service. There is also a nursing area provided within the nursery as needed. 2 *Pack and Plays* are available for children needing to sleep during their time in the nursery. The nursery coordinator and/or team leader will be available at the door to assist with sign in/sign out, security measures, visitors, pagers, and any other special needs during the services.

Our Nursery Staff

Our nursery is staffed by adult members of CCC. It is our desire to care for our children as a church body and to help parents raise and nurture their children in the knowledge of God. A Team Leader who serves one Sunday a month will greet parents at the door during the 9:15 hour and will be assisted by 2 additional nursery volunteers. There will be a total of 3 nursery volunteers during the 10:45 hour as well. Please contact the Nursery coordinator to volunteer.

Our Nursery Time

The children's playtime will consist of time in the room with nursery volunteers who will read to, sing with, care and comfort the children. There is a swing, bouncy seat, exersaucer and toys and books to provide a fun morning for your child. Diapers will be checked each hour, and changed at least once during the morning. For a snack, graham crackers are provided, but snacks from home are welcome as well.

General Care and Safety

To ensure the safety and smoothness of your child's time in the nursery, please follow these general guidelines:

1. Please arrive a few minutes before the service to get your child settled.
2. Label all your child's belongings including car seat, bottles, cups, and diaper bag (we have tags, masking tape, and markers)
3. If you are visiting you are welcome to take a silent pager so we may reach you if needed during the service. You will need to leave your keys with us when you take a pager which will be returned to you upon return of the pager.
4. Sign your child in on the Sign-in sheet with your initials, your wristband number, your pager number, and any specific instructions. You will be given a wristband to wear identifying you with your child. This system which help us to ensure the safety of all the children.
5. Place your child's permanent nametag on him/her or fill out a temporary one for the day.
6. Enjoy Sunday school and Worship.

7. Return promptly to the nursery and pick up your child by initialing them out on the sign-in sheet after a volunteer has verified your wristband number, and leaving their nametag in the room. *Please do not send relatives or siblings to pick up children.
8. Return your pager and pick up your keys.
9. Head home for a restful Sabbath!

Wellness Policy

To create the healthiest environment possible for your child, the nursery toys are cleaned thoroughly each week and after each use. Volunteers are encouraged to wash their hands continually in order to prevent the spreading of germs. To assist us in this effort to create a healthy environment, please keep your child with you if they have any of the following symptoms. Children should be symptom free for 48 hours before returning to the nursery.

- Fever
- Continuously runny nose
- Diarrhea
- Frequent cough or sneeze
- Vomiting

If you have any questions about the above information please don't hesitate to contact the Nursery Coordinator!

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