

CHILDHOOD MINISTRIES

NEWSLETTER

CALENDAR

March 3rd

Begin picking up
your Family Easter
Outreach Kit

March 18th-22nd

Spring Break

March 31st

Easter Sunday

April 14th

New Members' Class
& Luncheon

May 15th

Last MIDWEEK of the
semester

June 2nd-6th

Vacation Bible School
6:30-8:45p



June 12th

Midweek Resumes
6:30-8p

EASTER FAMILY OUTREACH EVENT

This year for Easter, we want to invite you to reach out with the gospel by inviting an unchurched family (from the community) to an Easter celebration at your home. Register for your FREE kit using the QR code to the right or at <https://waterloord.infellowship.com/Forms/476637>.



Kits will be available for pickup in the Childhood Wing beginning March 3rd. Kits include empty eggs to "EGG" another family; an invitation for the celebration at your home; also included is an activity book filled with ideas for games, crafts, video links, and more to create a fantastic Easter party; an Easter Family Devotional Book (two included, one for your family and one for your guest family); and extra items including playdough, 10 prize eggs, sticker sheets, temporary tattoos, music CD, and more. For more information, contact emily@waterloord.org.

CROSSTIMBERS (3rd-6th GRADES) CAMP

CrossTimbers is June 21st-24th (Friday-Monday). Registration is now open and the cost is \$100 which includes a t-shirt and a \$10 spending card. This year's theme is MADE NEW and our key verse is 2 Corinthians 5:17. If you are interested in going as a sponsor (especially guys!!!), please contact Ms. Emily for an application. Register using the QR code to the right or at <https://waterloord.infellowship.com/Forms/476220>.



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WRBC CHILDHOOD MISSION STATEMENT

WATERLOO ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH BELIEVES PARENTS ARE THE PRIMARY DISCIPLE MAKERS OF THEIR CHILDREN. THEREFORE, OUR GOAL IS TO PARTNER WITH AND EQUIP PARENTS IN DISCIPLING THEIR CHILDREN. WE EXIST TO HELP CHILDREN SEEK GOD AND SERVE HIM AS WHOLLY DEVOTED FOLLOWERS OF CHRIST.

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

Call me a little bit weird (or a lot weird), but I've been reading through Leviticus in my Bible reading plan and I love it! Leviticus is full of lots of rules for the Israelites. Rules for what to do when fungus or mold shows up on fabric. Rules like you should not kill. I feel like that is an important one. Rules for what a burnt offering is and how to offer it. Rules about what to do when you have a weird rash. Now you might be thinking that I like Leviticus because it has lots of rules. While I like a good rule, especially those that help keep people safe, I am not a fan of rules just to have rules. So, it can be a little overwhelming to read Leviticus, which is essentially a big book of rules. So, why do I love it so much? I love how Leviticus shows us God's character. The rules about burnt offerings remind us of how important a relationship with God is and how it is not something to be done lightly or without thought. The rules about not killing or how to make restitution if someone is accidentally killed by someone else remind us that every human is an image bearer of God and therefore has great value and should not be killed. Even the rules about what to do about fungi, mold, and rashes reveal God's providence in protecting the Israelites. They did not have the science to understand how mold spreads or how infections pass from one person to another and yet God protected them even still. God is so good to guide the Israelites in every aspect of their lives. I love how every part of Scripture points to a Creator that deserves all glory and honor and I am thankful that He included even Leviticus in His Word so that we can see aspects of His character even as He shares rules for living.

FAMILY FUN ACTIVITIES

Marvelously Magnificent activities to do with your family in March.

- Sign up for your Family Easter Outreach Kit ASAP and invite another family to share in the Easter experience with you at your home.
- National Bubble Week is the second week in March. Bubbles are fantastic and there are so many fun things to do with them from bubble art to bubble wrap to bubbles outside. Grab some friends and share the fun!
- March 14th is National Pi Day to celebrate pi which is the ratio of the circumference of a circle to its diameter. God gave us this wonderful ratio and we can celebrate by eating pie, drawing circles, or even measuring circles to see how the ratio works.



PRESCHOOL & ELEMENTARY

CONNECT GROUPS

- **March 3rd:** The Church Is Opposed – The Apostles Were Arrested (Acts 5)
- **March 10th:** The Church Is Opposed – The Church Handled a Problem (Acts 6)
- **March 17th:** The Church Is Opposed – Stephen Was Arrested (Acts 6-7)
- **March 24th:** The Church Is Opposed – The Church Spread Out (Acts 8)
- **March 31st:** The Church Is Opposed – Jesus Suffered for Us (Philippians 2)

PRETEEN CONNECT GROUPS

Main Concept: THRIVE

- **March 3rd::** What are spiritual gifts? (1 Corinthians 12:1-11)
- **March 10th::** How do I use my spiritual gifts to serve others? (Ephesians 4; Romans 12)
- **March 17th::** Why should a believer read and study Scripture? (2 Timothy 3:14-17)
- **March 24th::** How can people know what teaching is truth? (Acts 17:10-12; 2 Timothy 2:1-19)
- **March 31st::** How should people pray? (Matthew 6:5-18)



MIDWEEK

Teddy Bears

- **March 6th:** The Israelites Disobey God's Commands—Exodus 20 & 24
- **March 13th:** God Chooses David as King—1 Samuel 8 & 16
- **March 20th:** SPRING BREAK
- **March 27th:** Future King David & Goliath—1 Samuel 8 & 16

K-2nd Grade

- **March 6th:** Jesus Gives Us Eternal Life—1 Corinthians 15:3-4
- **March 13th:** Jesus—1 Corinthians 15:3-4
- **March 20th:** SPRING BREAK
- **March 27th:** Do Without Grumbling—Ephesians 4:32

3rd & 4th Grade

- **March 6th:** Jesus: Eternity – Romans 5:19, Bonus: Romans 5:12
- **March 13th:** Jesus: Review – Romans 5:19, Bonus: Romans 5:12
- **March 20th:** SPRING BREAK
- **March 27th:** Apply: Faith – Hebrews 11:6, Bonus: 2 Timothy 3:16-17

PRETEEN

- **March 6th:** Jesus: Jesus Gives – Mark 10:45, Bonus: Ephesians 5:2
- **March 13th:** Jesus: Review—Mark 10:45, Bonus: Ephesians 5:2
- **March 20th:** SPRING BREAK
- **March 27th:** Apply: Love—Colossians 1:10, Bonus: 1 Timothy 6:11

