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CHILDREN AND FAMILY MINISTRIES

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My hope is to serve you and partner with you to love and support children and families to the best of my ability.

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3:4-5 Fun Night



If your child is in 3rd-5th grade, they won't want to miss the first 3:4-5 Fun Night of the year. We'll have pizza and games together and a presentation about life in Kenya by Jeff and Christine Stanfield!

When: Monday, October 10
Time: 6-8pm

Where: Friends Center Gym

Cost: \$2 per NFC child, \$4 family max.

The Parent You Want To Be

When: Beginning October 9

Time: 6:30-8pm

Where: Barclay C

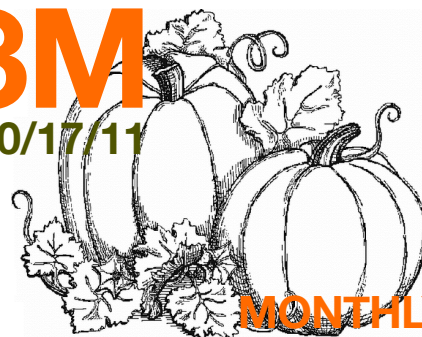
Cost: \$7 for the workbook



This fall we're offering a program developed by Drs. Les and Leslie Parrott. It's a 6-week small group that will run through November 13. Our focus will be: Who you are matters more than what you do. It is based on the Parrott's book *The Parent You Want To Be*. The study includes video presentations as well as a workbook and group discussion time. Childcare is available. Contact Michelle Akins for more information and to register by October 7.



3M 10/17/11



MONTHLY MARRIAGE MAINTENANCE

MARRIAGE IS IMPORTANT.

3M IS DESIGNED TO GIVE YOU TIME EACH MONTH TO FOCUS ON YOUR SPOUSE AND STRENGTHEN YOUR BOND.

FOR COUPLES OF ALL AGES.

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CHURCH

SOCIAL HALL

6-7:30PM

FAMILY DINNER FOR \$5

FREE CHILDCARE

K-2 Fun Night

Kindergarteners through 2nd graders, your fun night is coming up October 24 from 6-7:30pm. Come eat, play, and find out what courage is all about. \$2 per NFC child, \$4 family max. First time guests are always free!



"The Best Christmas Pageant Ever" is coming to Newberg Friends Church on December 9 and 11. Practices for children in the play are Sunday evenings from 4:30-6:30pm beginning October 2.

Sunday Morning Schedule

Sunday school for children age 2 through 5th grade provided during 1st service at 9am.

Nursery care for babies and children up to age 2 during 1st service 9-10:15am. Nursery care for infants and children through 2 years is available during the 2nd service from 10:30-noon.

Godly Play is for children in Kindergarten through 5th grade during the 10:45am worship service. Children are dismissed during the service.

Children's Care is for children ages 3 through 5 during the 10:45am worship service. Children are dismissed during the service.

Community Time is open for you to gather with your church family from 10 to 10:45am in the social hall.

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For Your Calendar

- October 2 "The Best Christmas Pageant Ever" practice, 4:30-6:30pm
October 9 "The Best Christmas Pageant Ever" practice, 4:30-6:30pm
October 9 Adoptive Family Gathering, NVFC, 5:30pm
October 9 "The Parent You Want To Be" small group, Barclay C, 6:30-8pm
October 10 3:4-5 Fun Night, Friends Center Gym, 6-8pm
October 16 "The Best Christmas Pageant Ever" practice, 4:30-6:30pm
October 16 "The Parent You Want To Be" small group, Barclay C, 6:30-8pm
October 17 3M (Monthly Marriage Maintenance), NFC Social Hall, 6pm
October 21 Family Story Time, NFC Sanctuary, 6:30pm
October 23 "The Best Christmas Pageant Ever" practice, 4:30-6:30pm
October 23 "The Parent You Want To Be" small group, Barclay C, 6:30-8pm
October 24 K-2 Fun Night, Friends Center Gym, 6-7:30pm
October 26 Creating birthday cards for kids, 1218 Sunset Dr., 6:30-8:30pm
October 30 "The Best Christmas Pageant Ever" practice, 4:30-6:30pm
November 6 "The Best Christmas Pageant Ever" practice, 4:30-6:30pm
November 6 "The Parent You Want To Be" small group, Barclay C, 6:30-8pm

Family Story Time

Once a month we celebrate the simple gift of reading and discussing stories together. Everyone is welcome, from babies to grandparents!

When: Friday, October 21

Time: 6:30pm

Where: NFC Sanctuary

Theme: Imagination!



Cards For Kids

It's time to make more birthday cards for all the children at NFC. If you like to be creative and would love to serve in this way, please join Michelle, October 26 from 6:30-8:30pm, 1218 Sunset Dr., Newberg. Treats provided!

With a Grateful Heart

Several people made it a priority to attend one of the three Children's Ministries Orientations offered. This was a great way to express your dedication and heart for kids and our ministry programs here at NFC. Thanks for participating!

Adoptive Families Gathering

October 9 at 5:30pm, North Valley Friends Church

If you have adopted internationally or domestically, in the process of adopting, or have been adopted, this monthly group is for you and your family. Join other local families for a potluck meal together followed by a family activity and discussion on issues surrounding adoption. Childcare available during the discussion. Contact Melanie Mock for more details. mmock@georgefox.edu



Women's Retreat

Are you interested in helping to pray, plan, and prepare for the NFC women's retreat at Twin Rocks Friends Camp the second weekend of March? If so, please contact Michelle Akins to inquire about how you can help. Once per month, hour long steering team meetings begin in November.