



CLOUGH KIDS

Quarterly

As CloughKids we . . .

Gather . . . We gather together embracing, welcoming and accepting all children and families as part of the CloughKids community.

Grow . . . We grow and provide a path for discipleship by laying a foundation of faith through intentional, Scripture-based, Christ-centered experiences, lessons and programming.

Give . . . We give our best to Christ because we desire to follow Him and His teachings as found in the Bible.

Go . . . We go to our neighbors with the good news of Christ sharing His words and love.

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Season of Change

Fall has arrived and it will bring all of its wonderful coloring changing beauty here in the next couple of weeks. Along with this color change comes a change of weather [anyone else ready for sweaters], a change in routine [hello - school year] and a change in the amount of light we see each day [where did all the sunshine go].

This fall also brought some changes in CloughKids. We have re-instituted Family Worship Sundays; but instead of monthly, we will be celebrating and worshipping as families on the 5th Sundays as they occur. Our next Family Worship Sunday is 10/31. Another change is that children are now participating in worship through song with their parents each week in the sanctuary before heading to CloughKids worship. AWANA also saw some changes with elective classes replacing games. Change can be hard. Change can be frustrating. Change can also be wonderful and bring us all together. Thank you for working these changes with us.

Keep your eyes on the bulletin, your CloughKids Connection emails and your text messages for updates and regular announcements regarding CloughKids. If you do not receive one of these communications, please let us know and we will gladly help you get set up to receive them. We'd hate for you to miss out.



Family Worship

Family worship is an intentional, scheduled, dedicated time of worship to God within our homes. This worship time, at the minimum, includes the reading and discussing God's word as a family. It is a time when all family members are present from the youngest to the oldest and can occur first thing in the morning, after dinner, before bed or any other time that works for your family to be together and to focus on God.

Clough Pike Baptist Church wants to help your family make Family Worship a regular practice. We know that sometimes finding what to talk about with your children can be a bit of a daunting task so we have started a Family Worship Blog at www.cloughpike.com/family-worship that helps you to continue the conversation from Sunday's CloughKids Sunday School and CloughKids Worship classes. This blog will give you the topic and Scripture passage from the week as well as point you to songs and other resources that may help as you take some time and dig into God's Scripture together as a family.

CloughKids Lessons

- 10/3 Jesus Casts Out Demons [Matthew 8:28-34]
- 10/10 Jesus Sends Out the Twelve [Mark 6:7-29]
- 10/17 Jesus Feeds the 5,000 [John 6:1-15]
- 10/24 Jesus is the Christ [Mark 8:27-38]
- 10/31 True Discipleship [Matthew 16:24-27, 22:36-37]
- 11/7 Jesus is the Great I AM [John 6:35, 8:12, 10:7]
- 11/14 Jesus Teaches on Prayer [Matthew 6:5-13]
- 11/21 Jesus Heals a Blind Man [John 9]
- 11/28 Jesus Raises Lazarus [John 11]
- 12/5 Jesus Saves Zacchaeus [Luke 19:11-27]
- 12/12 Triumphal Entry [Luke 19:28-44]
- 12/19 Christmas [various]
- 12/26 Jesus Rebukes the Pharisees [Matthew 23]





Family Worship Kits

Our Family Worship kits for Advent will be available starting November 14th. These kits are designed to help your family spend some time together discussing God's Word and enjoying some related activities as we walk toward Christmas day. Each kit has enough materials for the whole family to enjoy.

Our Advent kits this year be wrapped as a set of gifts and will include four boxes corresponding to the weeks of Advent and then there will also be a special Christmas box making each stack 5 "gifts" high. Each week's box contains two days worth of Scripture reading, a song, prayer starters and an activity. The materials and directions to complete all of the activities will be included as well.

CloughKids hopes that these kits are a blessing to you and your family as you prepare and focus your hearts on the true meaning of this holiday season.

CLOUGHKIDS PRESCHOOL

Welcome Ms. Jessica!

CloughKids is thrilled to announce that Mrs. Jessica Jennings has taken over the role of preschool coordinator. She will working with Mrs. Kandis as they lead the division of CloughKids known as CloughKids Preschool.

Mrs. Jessica will be coordinating our wonderful CloughKids Preschool leaders, making sure our youngest church attenders have the supplies, curriculum and environment they need, and checking in with our CloughKids preschool families. Mrs. Jessica comes into this position with a large amount of preschool experience and we can't wait to see the amazing things she brings with her.





AWANA is BACK!

Our first quarter of AWANA is off to an amazing start! We kicked back off on 9/1 and have thoroughly enjoyed being back to a more typical club night. I say more typical because as a church we have chosen to slightly change the way our club runs. These changes have absolutely nothing to do with COVID-19 and everything to do with creating a scripture based, relationship building experience for our children.

What do these changes look like?

- Our groups get to meet in side rooms for handbook once again which helps our children memorize and retain a greater number of verses as it provides an environment that is more conducive to studying.
- Object lesson for T&T and Sparks is now all together making it easier for families to talk about what was talked about all together.
- Elective classes for T&T and Sparks have been a hit! Our current quarter classes include Building Random Things with Mr. Doug, Food as Art, and Old Testament Feasts. Future quarters have classes such as origami, knitting, transportation, Bible study techniques, and many others. We are still looking for some elective class leaders and assistants if you have an idea!



What to Watch

RightNow Media has thousands of videos and Bible Studies for your family. Here are a few search recommendations that can help you find videos and studies that match the upcoming CloughKids Lessons. By searching the words following each dash and before the colon, you should be able to find some matching content.

- Theo: Volume 4- God's Truth: Abiding in Christ is a clear 9 minute video about walking with Christ and being a disciple.
- MR. HENRY'S WILD & WACKY WORLD Season 3: All About Prayer is 35 minutes of a crazy and action packed video about prayer.
- Holy Moly Volume 4: has several super short 4-8 minute videos that go right along with the lessons this quarter. There are videos on Feeding the 5,000, Lazarus and Zacchaeus to name a few.



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