



WE'RE HERE TO SERVE YOUR FAMILY!

Northside Christian Church is pleased to provide quality care and love for your baby during the Worship Service.

We provide safe, quiet and gentle care while taking the opportunity to “teach” babies through association and feelings, instilling in them the lasting sense of belonging to Christ and His Church.

We hope this brochure will help acquaint you with the policies and procedures of the Nursery Department and be helpful to you as parents.

Through your child’s time in the Nursery, we want to effectively minister to you and your child. In order to accomplish this, we feel that no rule be overlooked. These policies are not demanding, but do reflect high standards.



VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES

We hope this informative brochure helps you understand what to expect when you bring your child to our church nursery. The best way, however, to understand what happens here is to volunteer as a Nursery Caregiver.

As Northside Christian Church continues to grow, there is a constant need for more caregivers. If you are not already helping out in some other capacity, please consider this a personal invitation to assist with any of the early childhood classes by contacting:

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WELCOME TO OUR NURSERY

WHAT TO EXPECT



YOUR
CHILD IS
IN CARING
HANDS.



JESUS SAID,
“WHOEVER RECEIVES ONE SUCH CHILD
IN MY NAME RECEIVES ME,” MATTHEW 18:5

We gladly and with great joy welcome you and your baby in His wonderful name.



WHEN SHOULD YOU KEEP YOUR CHILD AT HOME

Please **DO NOT** bring your child into the nursery with any of the following symptoms:

1. Fever of 100 degrees or above.
2. Coughing or runny nose (clear is teething, yellow or worse is infection).
3. Sneezing due to cold.
4. Questionable rashes.
5. Diarrhea
6. Red, watery eyes.

WHAT TO BRING

When packing a diaper bag, please include the following items:

1. Two or three disposable diapers (*No cloth diapers, please*).
2. Pacifier or other item, should your child need it for security.
3. A complete change of clothes.
4. A bottle of milk, formula, juice, or water (*Please pre-mix and label*).

CHILDREN IN THE ADULT SERVICE

If you need to take your child to the adult worship service, please keep your child in his or her seat at all times. Sit near an exit in order to leave quickly if your child becomes restless or noisy.

There is a “Cry Room” located in the Worship Center Lobby for families of the little ones that allows you to watch the service on a TV monitor.

CHECK-IN/OUT

At the time of check-in you'll need to fill out one of our temporary name tags with your child's name, and other important information. Three stickers will be given, one on your child, one on the diaper bag, and one for you to keep. On this sticker there is an I.D. number. If we need you to return to the nursery during the Worship Service, your number will flash on the small black boxes near the side projection screens. Your sticker/I.D. number is your ticket to your child. When you return to pick up your child, we will verify the number on your sticker to the sticker your child is wearing.

**A child WILL NOT be released to anyone without presenting the assigned sticker.*

Once your initial information is filled out, you will be able to self

check-in via the wall kiosk the following week. Someone will be near the kiosk to assist you. Three stickers will print out. Then take your child to the nursery counter.

SAYING GOODBYE

Once you've completed the check-in process, simply wave a quick good-bye and leave for the Worship Service. As you know, it's normal for little ones to have some separation anxiety. This doesn't last long, and parting becomes easier over time. Our leaders will immediately try to create interest in a toy or activity, giving assurance that you will return as soon as the Worship Service is over. If your child cries for more than 10 minutes, we will flash your child's I.D. number in the Worship Service, asking you to return.