



**Student Life
KIDS CAMP
2024 Info Packet***

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This is an Overnight CAMP!

Grades 3-5 Completed

Mt. Lebanon Camp, Cedar Hill, Texas

Tuesday-Friday, June 4-7

Registration Fee: \$400*

**Space is
Limited!**

****\$150 non-refundable deposit***

DUE JANUARY 21st

(Included in the fee) reserves your spot!

**IMPORTANT KIDS CAMP INFO FOR
PARENTS OF
CURRENT THIRD THROUGH FIFTH GRADERS:**

The dates are **Tuesday, June 4-Friday, June 7** - at **Mt. Lebanon Camp, Cedar Hill, TX.**

Everything has increased in price including the fee for Student Life Kids Camp and Charter Buses! Also, last year Student Life moved up their reservation and payment due dates. You will see this reflected in the Camp Fee increase and due dates.

Important Dates/Updates in financial policy and payment due dates:

- **Sign Up at www.fbcwf.org/childrens-camp**
Camp Fee - \$400* – Divided into a deposit and two payments -
- **Sunday, January 21 –**
 - **\$150 NON-REFUNDABLE deposit* due!**
 - There is no refund of deposit.
- **Thursday, March 7 - \$125 Payment Due**
- **Thursday, April 18 - \$125 (Final) Payment Due/All Forms Due**
- **Cancellations after Monday, April 29 - NO REFUND of payments after April 29.**

*This is a result of Student Life's updated financial policy of charging the full amount for cancellations after this date.

We hope you will see this as an opportunity to make a spiritual investment in the life of your third through fifth grader. Please let me know if you have any questions.

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2024 Camp Theme

VOYAGE



"TRUST IN THE LORD WITH ALL YOUR HEART, AND DO NOT RELY ON YOUR OWN UNDERSTANDING; IN ALL YOUR WAYS KNOW HIM, AND HE WILL MAKE YOUR PATHS STRAIGHT." -PROVERBS 3:5-6

God has a grand adventure in store for each of us. We were lost and separated from God because of our sin. But through Jesus, God made it so that there was always a way back to Him. At Student Life Kids Camp 2024, we will set sail to discover what it means to be lost and what it means to be found. Climb aboard and embark on a voyage to find who God made you to be.

Overview of Lessons:

DAY ONE

LOST



When sin entered the world, we drifted from our course and became lost. Separated from God, we can't find our way back to Him on our own. But we were never far out of God's sight because He sent Jesus to rescue us and save us from being lost.

MAIN POINT

When we run from God we make a shipwreck of our lives

DAY TWO

FOUND



Once we are found in our relationship with Jesus, He helps keep us sailing in the right direction. When we become followers of Jesus, we move from death to life. We now trust Jesus to change our course and steer our voyage.

MAIN POINT

When we turn to Christ as our Savior, we are rescued from death and given new life.

DAY THREE

HOMeward



When we have been found and have a relationship with God, We can see ourselves in a new way because our lives have been transformed and our voyage has a greater purpose. Our identities change, we are a part of a crew of fellow believers, and we are never alone. God gives us a new destination and guides us homeward toward the promise and hope of a world redeemed. We can also invite others to join us on this great voyage by sharing the gospel and how Jesus has changed our lives.

MAIN POINT

When we know Jesus as our Savior, we join in His mission to the world on our journey homeward.



WHAT IS STUDENT LIFE KIDS CAMP LIKE?

- Travel by charter bus to the beautiful Mt. Lebanon Camp.
- Cafeteria-style dining
- Worship services and Life Groups make up the two most important parts of a day at Camp.
- High Energy Worship includes drama by All Things to All People®, praise music from trusted, experienced worship leaders and sound biblical teaching from gifted communicators.
- Life Groups are made up of 8-12 campers with an Adult Life Group Leader (two groups and two adult leaders per classroom). Kids spend much of their organized Camp time with their Life Group.
- And of course, there's RECREATION, lots of it, including water games and swimming pools!

SAMPLE SCHEDULE

FIRST DAY

1:00	Check-In
3:30	Start Up
4:30	Life Group Leader Meeting
5:00-6:30	Dinner (Rotations Begin)
6:30	Life Group Bible Study
7:00	Kids Minister Meeting & Store Opens
7:45	Worship
To Follow	Church Group Gathering
10:30	Head to Bed
11:00	Quiet Hours



OTHER DAYS

7:00-8:00	Breakfast (Rotations Begin)
8:15	Quiet Time with Church Group
8:15	Life Group Leader Meeting
9:00	Start Up
10:00	Recreation A / Bible Study B / Free Time C (Store Open)
11:30-1:00	Lunch (Rotations Begin)
1:00	Recreation B / Bible Study C / Free Time A (Store Open)
2:45	Recreation C / Bible Study A / Free Time B (Store Open)
4:15	Clean Up
5:00-6:30	Dinner (Rotations Begin)
6:15	Kids Minister Meeting
7:00	Worship
To Follow	Church Group Gathering
10:00	Head to Bed
10:30	Quiet Hours

LAST DAY

7:00-8:00	Breakfast (Rotations Begin)
8:15	Quiet Time with Church Group
9:00	Start Up
10:00	See Ya Next Year!

**Schedule subject to change based on size of camp or specific location needs.*

***Life Group Bible Study, REC, or Free Time Options** – We will be assigned our group's time for each when we arrive at Camp!



CHILDREN'S Overnight CAMP

IMPORTANT INFO

Our main communication about camp will be through our Children's Ministry Facebook page:

[FB.com/KidZoneWF](https://www.facebook.com/KidZoneWF)
and TouchPoint*

**We are working through the details on this!*

1. **Date/Place/Time:** Tuesday-Friday, June 4-7, at Mt. Lebanon Camp in Cedar Hill, Texas.
 - **Departure Check In** - Be at the Lory Hall Entrance on the Burnett Street Side of the church (Downtown Campus/1200 Ninth Street) at Noon on TUESDAY, June 7.
 - **Please make sure your child has already had lunch before checking him/her in.**
 - Approximate travel time is 2 ½ hours. There is a bathroom on the bus.
 - **Return to same location** - Approximate return time is **12:30 p.m. FRIDAY, June 7.** We will keep you posted through Facebook exactly when we depart and give you updates along the way home! Please tell your child at departure time who will pick him/her up on Friday. **We will provide a snack on the bus, but your child will NOT have lunch.**
2. **ALL FORMS MUST BE COMPLETED BY APRIL 18!**
 - **Registration/Emergency & Medical Release/Bunk Mate Form** - Completion of this form is a part of Camp Registration online www.fbcwf.org/childrens-camp
 - **Student Life Waiver & Release Form** (MUST BE COMPLETED ONLINE) – THE LINK WILL BE EMAILED TO YOU ONCE IT IS AVAILABLE (AFTER YOU REGISTER).
 - Final Payment (less deposit)
3. **Medication:** ***All Prescription or over the counter medication is to be turned to our First Aid Station prior to departure.*** A CAMP NURSE will dispense medication at Camp per instructions given by parents. A camper should take no other medication to camp. **Please put medications in their original container in a Ziploc with your child's name on each medication and instructions for each.**
 - Make sure medications are current (not expired.)
 - Complete the Camper Medication Form which will be posted once we receive it from Student Life. Medications will be administered per package labeling unless otherwise specified by parent signed dosage request with the medication.

5. **Camper Guidelines:**

- Leave dorm and surrounding grounds clean.
- Move nothing from one room or dorm to another.
- Do not take furniture in dorm rooms apart to make “new” or lower or taller furniture.
- No food or drinks in Worship Center
- No cooking in dorms
- No fireworks, firearms, smoking, drugs, alcohol, or shaving cream allowed.
- **Children may use the phone only in case of emergency with the permission and presence of a counselor.**
- **Pool is off limits except during scheduled swim time with Lifeguard on duty.**
- **No boys in or around girls' lodge; No girls in or around boys' lodge.**
- Sit with our church group in the Worship Center.
- No fighting or "pretend" fighting.
- No practical jokes
- No piggyback rides
- **Take a shower (use soap) & change clothes each day.**
- No campers in dorm unaccompanied by a counselor
- **Never go off by yourself and never leave a building without one of your adult counselors.**



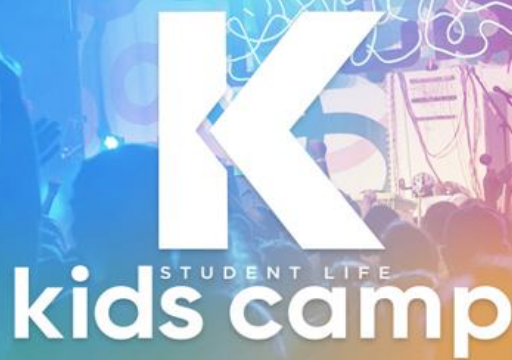
6. **Phone Calls:** In case of **emergency** call Sherrie Carter, 940-733-7333. For general information leading up to Camp, please call 940-723-2764, ext. 2285 or email Shari Godo at sgodo@fbcwf.org

7. **Rooms:** Girls and boys will stay in separate lodges. There are two bunk rooms in each lodge with each bunk room housing 10 bunks (accommodating 20 including counselors) and an assembly room in the middle. Each bunk room has a bathroom with sinks, and individual showers and stalls. (Counselors will have separate shower times from the campers.)

We realize we may have campers who do not have a bunk mate preference and that is fine. Don't let it keep them from going to Camp!



For your child's bunk mate selection to be honored; it is important that he/she checks with the other child first and they both list each other as their bunk mate.



8. Policies Regarding Illness/Disciplinary Action:

***In the event a child becomes ill at Camp and needs to be picked up, the parent(s) will be called and are expected to come pick the child up within 6 hours.** If the parent(s) cannot be reached, the emergency contact person will be called and asked to come pick the child up.

Symptoms requiring removal of child from camp:

- Fever: Fever is defined as having a temperature of 100°F or higher taken under the arm, 101°F taken orally. Fever AND sore throat, rash, vomiting, diarrhea, earache, irritability, or confusion.
- Diarrhea: runny, watery, bloody stools, or 2 or more loose stools within last 4 hours.
- Vomiting: 2 or more times in a 24-hour period. Note: please do not bring your child if they have vomited in the night.
- Breathing trouble, sore throat, swollen glands, loss of voice, hacking, or continuous coughing.
- Frequent scratching of body or scalp, lice, rash, or any other spots that resemble childhood diseases, including ringworm.
- Child is irritable, continuously crying, or requires more attention than we can provide without hurting the health, safety, or well-being of the other children in our care.

***If a child is having discipline issues that cannot be resolved at camp, the parent(s) will be called and are expected to come pick the child up within 6 hours.** If the parent(s) cannot be reached, the emergency contact person will be called and asked to come pick the child up.

***There will be no refund.**

9. Counselors Attending

This is who is confirmed so far:

- Brian McCullough*
- Hank Carter
- John Tunnell
- Luke Tunnell
- Kaleigh Wakeman*
- Kyle Coker (Videographer)
- Michele Klein*
- Rylie Ammons*
- Sean Swarthout*
- Shari Godo
- Sherrie Carter
- Stephanie Ammons*

***These are Family Life Group Leaders.**



Leader responsibilities at Camp:

- **Family Life Group Leaders** – Each one will lead a group of 8-12 of our kids in Family Life Group Bible Study and Recreation.
- **Dorm Hosts:** Responsibility is to take care of the kids; help Family Life Group Leaders as needed.
 - **Boys Dorm Hosts**
 - **Hank Carter – 940-782-8299**
 - Emergency Vehicle Driver if needed.
 - Keeper of the ER documents for Boys.
 - First Aid/Dispense Medication
 - **John Tunnell**
 - Assist Mr. Carter.
 - Lead Church Group Quiet Time each morning.
 - Lead Devotion time for guys at night.
 - Assist Life Groups Leaders/Groups.
 - **Girls Dorm Hosts**
 - **Sherrie Carter –**
 - **Emergency Contact 940-733-7333**
 - Keeper of the ER documents for Girls.
 - 2nd adult to go to hospital with Mr. Carter
 - Lead Devotion time for girls at night.
 - **Shari Godo –**
 - **Assist Mrs. Carter.**
 - Assist Life Groups Leaders/Groups.

Still have questions?

Call Sherrie Carter at 723-2764 ext. 2056, or text 940-733-7333, or email carter@fbcwf.org
For general information leading up to Camp, please call 940-723-2764, ext. 2285 or email Shari Godo at sgodo@fbcwf.org

We will be posting updates, pictures, and video highlights of our L Kids Camp experience for you at [**FB.com/KidZoneWF**](https://www.facebook.com/KidZoneWF)



STUDENT LIFE
kids camp

Phone Call /Visit POLICY

December 3, 2023

Dear Parents,

Overnight Children's Camp is an exciting time for boys and girls who have completed grades 3-5! An important part of the camp experience for them is learning to make new friends, learning how to get along with others in a group, and learning how to be away from their parents for a few days.

It has been my experience that homesickness increases greatly for most children when they make frequent phone calls home and parents visit them at camp. Therefore, the following will be our policy for Children's Camp:

1. Children may use the phone only in case of emergency with the permission and presence of a counselor.
2. Parents are asked not to visit their children during Overnight Children's Camp. Leave them on the bus on Tuesday and pick them up back at the church on Friday at the designated time.
3. **Also remember we will be posting updates, pictures, and video highlights of our SL Kids Camp experience for you at [**FB.com/KidZoneWF**](https://www.facebook.com/KidZoneWF)**

Thank you for your cooperation in these matters.

Sincerely,

Sherrie Carter,
Director of Children's Ministries

***NOTE: There is no need to purchase Spirit Packs – We will provide Spirit Packs for the kids at Camp!**

What to Bring and What NOT to Bring:

VERY IMPORTANT – CHILD WILL BE RESPONSIBLE for carrying his/her own suitcase and personal items from the bus across campus to their assigned lodge, SO PACK ACCORDINGLY!

What to Bring:

- Bible and pen
- A fantastic attitude and a desire to draw near to God.
- Clothes for two days of recreation that you do not mind getting extremely wet/dirty.
- Pack a dark colored shirt and SWIMSUIT for water games and pool time along with a plastic bag for putting wet clothes back in their suitcase!
- **WATER BOTTLE that you can carry with you! PUT NAME ON IT!**
- Shoes -Tennis shoes or other closed toe shoes for Outdoor Games/Recreation.
- Water shoes or sandals for Water Games.
- Casual clothing for three days (shorts that meet our standards and pants are acceptable for all meetings including worship).
- **Twin Sheets (twin extra-long work best), a blanket, a pillow, sleeping bag, etc.**
- **Towels and washcloths for showers.**
- Beach towel for Water Recreation and pool.
- Personal hygiene items
- Spending money for snacks (small bills for vending machines if available), T-shirts, CD's, etc. at Camp Store. *(Child may also bring snacks for the week. A Student Life Kids Camp T-shirt will be given to each child at Camp.)*
- Watch
- Sunscreen
- Bug Repellant
- Backpack or other bag to carry belongings around camp.
- Flashlight
- **Nightlight - limited outlets available - battery operated with extra batteries may be best!**

What NOT to Bring:

- **Electronics including iPads, video games, cell phones.**
(Adult Counselors will have Cell Phones.)
- Spaghetti strap tops or small tank tops (Straps should be at least three fingers wide.)
- Tight clothing or clothing that reveals undergarments.
- "Short" shorts or skirts. (Stand with your arms by your side. If your fingertips are touching your skin, your shorts or skirt should be longer for camp.)
- Midriff baring swimsuits or Speedos
- Tobacco, drugs, alcohol, or weapons
- Fireworks
- Water balloons
- Clothing with questionable sayings, slogans
- Clothing that promotes alcohol, cigarettes, or any other inappropriate items





Required Forms Info

We are excited you are going to join us for Student Life Kids Camp 2024!

- **Registration/Emergency & Medical Release/Bunk Mate Form** - Completion of this form is a part of Camp Online Registration
www.fbcwf.org/childrens-camp
- **SL Kids Camp Participant Form (Waiver/Release Form)**

The SL Kids Camp Participant Form (Waiver/Release Form) is ONLY available digitally. **Once your child is registered for Kids Camp, you will receive a link to the Camp Participant Form for SLKC (Waiver/Release form) when it becomes available.**

The link will take you directly to the landing page for you to complete!

WE ARE ASKING YOU TO GO ONLINE AND FILL IT OUT AS SOON WHEN YOU RECEIVE THE LINK!

Bunk Mate or any emergency contact updates may be emailed to sgodo@fbcwf.org.

FINAL PAYMENT AND ALL FORMS ARE DUE BY APRIL 18.

Again, we are so looking forward to camp this year and so glad you are going to be with us! For further info or if you have questions about the link or registration forms, please contact Shari Godo at sgodo@fbcwf.org (940-723-2764 ext. 2380)