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*You can be a small
group leader!*

Every day in children's ministry we have the opportunity to share the good news with our kids that God loves them and so do we! Some of our most influential partners in sharing that good news are our Sunday School small group leaders. These folks make a one semester or full school year commitment to build relationships with the kids in their small group and help the kids build relationships with one another. For each small group we recruit a pair of small group leaders along with a team of subs. Does this sound like something that you would love to be a part of our maybe you know someone else who would be awesome at it? If so please reach out to [Kate May](mailto:kmay@centenary-ws.org) (kmay@centenary-ws.org) for more details.



Register Now for

Summer Ministry Experiences!

Older Elementary Mission Week

- June 25-27
- Rising 4th-6th Graders
- 9 am-3 pm each day
- [Register HERE](#)

Children's Music & Arts Camp

- July 15-18
- 2 year olds -rising 5th graders
- 9 am-noon each day
- [Register HERE](#)

Vacation Bible School

- July 29-August 1
- 4 year olds through rising 6th graders
- 9 am-noon each day
- [Register HERE](#)



Be a part of our SCUBA VBS team (July 29-August 1)!

It takes all kinds of gifts (from crossing guard to games leader and everything in between!) to make Vacation Bible School a success. What gifts do you have that you could share with our kids that will help them deepen their friendship with God? Whether you can join us one day, four days, or you are not available during VBS at all you can still be a part of the amazing experience! To find out more contact [Kate May](#) (kmay@centenary-ws.org) or fill out [THIS FORM](#) to let us know you're interested!



Nourish: This is our last week until Fall!

We hope you've enjoyed our first year of Nourish! This Wednesday will be our last offering until the fall. This week's

offerings for adults from 6-7 pm include:

- Faith 102 led by Kate May
- Key Questions to Help Explore Our Faith led by Glenn Kinken

The reservation window for this week's dinner has closed but as a reminder the menu for 4/24 is: Fish sticks, potato wedges, hush puppies, mixed vegetables, salad bar, fruit, chocolate chip cookies.

For more information please visit [The Nourish](#) tab on the church website.



Creative Arts Experience: Preparing for worship leadership May 5

We continue to prepare for our final worship offering for the school year. On Sunday, May 5, our children's and youth choirs will be joined by young people from throughout the Triad to present music in 11:00 AM worship. This collaborative opportunity is a thrilling way to try-out Children's Music & Arts programming here at Centenary.

If you have questions, please contact Virginia Sheffield
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Flat Jesus

Download Flat Jesus [HERE](#), color him, and cut him out so you are ready to have some awesome adventures! Take me with you on your vacation, to the beach, the mall, or even the gas station. Snap a pic and include me too! Remember I am always with you.

This week's Flat Jesus adventure: To celebrate Earth Day which was April 22, show Jesus something amazing that God created!

Share your picture/video with us on [Facebook](#) or Instagram (@centenary_kids_ministry) or by email.



This Week's Kindness Challenge

Monday, April 22 was Earth Day! To celebrate show kindness to earth! You can pick up trash, learn about and practice conserving energy, go on a nature scavenger hunt or something even more awesome!

Need some inspiration? Try [THIS](#) Nature Scavenger Hunt.

Go to our [Facebook Page](#) and show us how you share kindness!



Stay Connected

Join us for [live stream worship](#) Sunday mornings at 11 am. Following the live stream the service posts to our [YouTube channel](#) and is available on the [church website](#) for later viewing. Do you listen to podcasts? You can listen to Sunday's sermon through our podcast - [Heart, Soul, & Mind](#).

Share with us on social media. You can find Centenary UMC on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#), [Centenary Kids on Facebook](#) and [Instagram!](#)

Realm Connect - Centenary's Realm Connect app helps our church connect with you and you connect with us. You can easily manage registrations and payments, customize privacy settings, opt into our online church directory, update important information such as allergies and emergency contacts, and view contact information for other group members (for example, other members of your child's Sunday School class). Click [here](#) to sign up for an account and find links to download the app to your devices.

Parent Cue App - Every parent has 936 weeks of influence from the time their child is born until they graduate. Parent Cue helps you count the weeks and connects you with practical things to read, do or say to help you engage with the heart of your child

this week. [Download the app HERE](#)

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