



CENTENARY CHILDREN'S MINISTRY HAPPENINGS

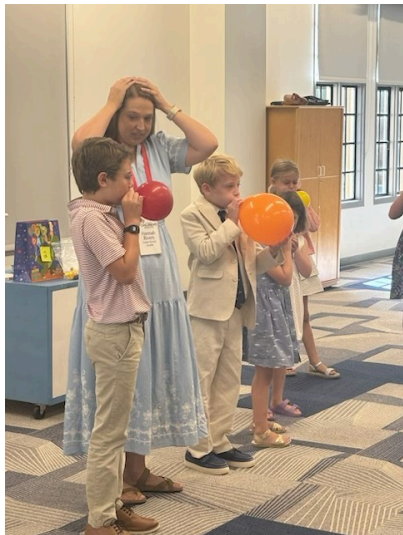
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August 25, 2026

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Our power comes from the Holy Spirit!

That's what we celebrated and learned about this Sunday in Sunday School! Try this fun game at home:

1. Blow up a balloon but don't tie it closed.
2. Let the balloon go and try to catch it on top of your head! (Remember the flames on the heads of the disciple friends on Pentecost!)



Worship Leader Celebration

Registration closes Wednesday, August 26!

Sunday, August 30; 12 noon-1:30 pm

On Sunday, August 30 all of our currently serving torchbearers and crucifers are invited to join us in the dining room for a pizza lunch and celebration of your service!

Are you a new fourth grader or have you decided that you'd like to serve as a torchbearer or crucifer? Join us for this celebration and we'll also teach you everything you need to know to serve!

Planning to attend? Register by Wednesday, August 26 using [THIS FORM](#). Plan to bring at least 1 grown up with you.

Can't attend but would still like to serve? Fill out the form and let us know!

Questions? Contact [Kate May](#)

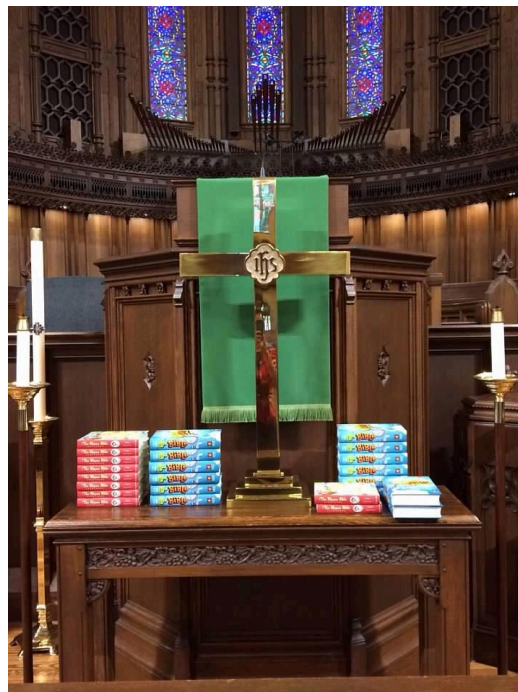


Bible Sunday

Sunday, September 20

Register by September 9

On Sunday, September 20 we will be gifting our new kindergarteners and third graders Bibles of their very own. If you have a kindergartener or third grader in your life please register them by September 9 using [THIS FORM](#) so we know at what service you would like your child to receive their Bible, how you would like their name printed in their Bible and how many family members and friends will be joining you to celebrate. Have questions? Contact [Kate May](#).



4th & 5th Grade District Retreat September 25-26, Camp Hanes Register by September 2

What:

Our 4th and 5th Graders are invited to join 4th and 5th graders from all over the Yadkin Valley District for fun, fellowship, and service at Camp Hanes!

When:

We'll meet at the church at 5:15 pm, ride together to Camp Hanes and return to the church by 3 pm on Saturday.

Registration:

Cost is \$85/student. Register using [THIS FORM](#) by September 2.

Have questions? Contact [Kate May](#).



Fall Children's Ministry Dates

Mark your calendars now so you won't miss any of the fun!

- August 30: Worship Leader Celebration
- September 20: Bible Sunday (Kindergarten & 3rd Grade)
- September 25-26: 4th/5th Grade District Retreat at Camp Hanes
- October 3: Bed and a Book Build
- October 18: Worship Leader Dedication



As these events draw closer watching your inbox and mailbox for more details. You can also keep an eye on the Events page on the [CHURCH WEBSITE](#). Questions? Contact [Kate May](#).



Creative Arts Experience: Children's Music & Arts at Centenary- 2year olds-5th graders

- CAE's multi-faceted model engages children with various levels of musical and artistic interests, all while cultivating regular worship leadership opportunities for Centenary's youngest!
- **Wednesday evenings beginning September 2:**
 - 4:30 - 5:15 PM Ages 2 & 3 (adult participation required)*



- *Another class is offered Thursday at 5:45 PM for 2's & 3's unable to attend Wednesday's session.
- 6:00 - 7:00 PM Ages 4 - 5th Grade

- Register [HERE](#)
- Have questions? Contact [Virginia Sheffield](#)



Upcoming Opportunities to Serve at Centenary

- **Children's Worship Helper and Greeter:** We are in need of weekly volunteers to help with Children's Worship, except for the first Sunday of every month. This person will help Kate get the kids to the Community Room, back to the sanctuary, and help with crowd management while she leads Children's Worship. We are also looking for volunteers to fill the new role of morning greeter. This volunteer will greet families Sunday morning as they are coming in for Sunday School and as families are heading to worship. Please visit [this link](#) to sign up to volunteer! Contact [Kate May](#) with any questions.



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 celebrate National Toasted Marshmallow Day (August 30) with Flat Jesus by making s'mores! How does Jesus like his marshmallows? Raw, golden brown, on fire?

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





KINDNESS CHALLENGE

It's back to school time! Let's get everyone off to a great start by bringing supplies for the teachers at our Backpack Schools (Brunson Elementary, Wiley Middle School, Reynolds High School, & the Winston Salem Street School). During the month of August in the East Building we'll be collecting:

- tissues
- hand sanitizer
- dry erase markers



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