



valley presbyterian

CHURCH FAMILIES

Target age	Family Workshops	Description/Topics	Resources
Any	Baptism Orientation	Baptismal Vows and what they mean. What baptism means.	
3's/4's	Spiritual Leadership & Faith Talks	This class is designed to give families an overview of Sunday School, and Family Ministry. In addition, to encouraging families to understand the value and meaning of being a spiritual leader in their home and provide tips and support growing into that role.	Parenting living toward the target Stop relying on the church Faith Talks
3's/4's	Nightly Blessing	This class is designed to teach the benefits of and to equip families for blessing their children nightly.	The Family Blessing A Father's guide to blessing his children
K/1st	Praying together	This class is designed to teach techniques and equip families to pray frequently with their children.	What happens when I talk to God
K/1st	Worshipping Together	This class is designed to help parents guide their children in worship and give them techniques for encouraging a positive attitude toward worship as a family. (Also, supports worship progression toward worshipping as a student)	Parenting in the Pew
2 nd /3 rd	Cheerful Giver	This class is designed to help families talk about stewardship and put in place some of the elements of Dave Ramsey's <i>Financial Peace</i> class.	Smart Money Smart kids Financial Peace Jr. Kit
2 nd /3 rd	Serving together	This class is designed to help kids and adults understand the variety of ways in which we can serve our Lord, no matter what our age.	Sticky faith guide
3 rd	Reading the Bible MILESTONE CLASS	This class gives tips to families to support and encourage them spending time studying their bibles with their children.	Jesus calling for kids
4 th /5 th	Techwise Faith	This class is designed to help families talk about technology through a faith based lense and set healthy boundaries.	Tech Wise Family The Digital Invasion Right Click
4 th /5 th	Talking to your tween	This class is designed to help families keep an open dialogue as their children enter adolescence.	Caught in between
5 th	Worship & Communion MILESTONE CLASS	Fifth graders participate in a series on the meaning of communion while parents learn about giving their child a blessing.	The Blessing
6 th -12 th	Special Topics	Each year we offer a special class for Middle Schoolers, High Schoolers and parents on an issue that is a current challenge for students. Our hope is to provide a common experience on which families can build future conversations. Topics may include: technology, depression & anxiety, suicide, dating, money and more.	
12 th	Tools for Takeoff- HS Graduation MILESTONE CLASS	Talking to your Senior about their faith and their future. Parent Class in fall followed by family activities that culminate in commissioning of Seniors.	Blessing & Challenge of Graduation Top Ten Faith Challenges in college