



Children are an important part of our church family. Nurseries for infants and toddlers are located on the second floor of the Family Life Center. Children's Bulletins are available from the ushers.

### **Welcome Visitors**

Our new Welcome Center is now open in the main lobby of the Family Life Center. The Welcome Center volunteers can provide information on the programs and activities of Sam Jones church. Gift bags are available for our first-time guests on tables at each exit of the Sanctuary. Each visiting family is invited to take a gift bag that includes an information packet about our church and its ministries.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **Business by the Book**

**Tuesday, May 11 at noon in the Family Life Center**

Dr. Don Harp will be the guest speaker. Reservations requested to the office.

#### **Last Wednesday Night Dinner this week**

Join your church family for the last dinner of the school year and a musical presentation by the Kids Praise and Puppeteer Praise Team.

#### **Safe Sanctuary Training**

If you work with children or youth, be sure you have signed up for the updated training during the month of May. Contact Alison Wright, [awright@samjonesumc.org](mailto:awright@samjonesumc.org) or 770-382-4772, x 111.

#### **Vacation Bible School**

Vacation Bible School is June 7-11! Come and be a part of the High Seas Expedition! Children 3 years through completed 4<sup>th</sup> grade as well as youth and adult volunteers are invited to be a part of VBS. Sign up by clicking the Vacation Bible School link on our church website.

And new this year for those who are completing 5<sup>th</sup> grade—IMPACT 56—a separate VBS experience with a mission focus June 7-11. Sign up on the church website by clicking on the IMPACT 56 logo. Don't miss this opportunity to IMPACT our community and beyond with God's love!

#### **May Basket Ministry**

We are collecting new or gently worn shoes of all types for Soles for Souls. The shoes will be distributed to people in need around the world. Donations can be placed in the baskets in the lobbies of the Family Life Center and Sanctuary. Thanks for giving!

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