



The Toddler Room

Room 105

18 Months through 3 Years Old

Welcomes You and Your Child!

At Providence Presbyterian Church we want you and your child to feel comfortable, and most importantly, the love of Jesus Christ in our nurseries. The Providence Nurseries – Infant and Toddler – are staffed by three paid childcare professionals – Marta Mendoza, Ruthie Stapleton, and Soheila Tahari - and at least one church volunteer each week. On occasion when one of the professional staff is unable to be here, we may have two church volunteers working in the nurseries. Having the same staff each week should help with any separation anxieties your child may have.

A few things we ask of you as parents:

DIAPER BAG/BACKPACK. Please clearly label.

SNACKS. During your child's time with us, they usually will desire to have a snack. Please bring snacks – drinks and food - if you wish your child to be fed. Clearly label all containers. If for some reason your child does not have something to eat in their bag and others are having a snack, we will provide your child with animal crackers, pretzels or crackers and water. Please alert the nursery staff if you do not want your child to have the church provided snack.

ALLERGIES. Please alert the nursery staff of any allergies your child may have.

ILLNESS. If your child is ill, please keep the child at home. None of us wants to expose your children to any communicable diseases if it is preventable. Communicable diseases include colds or influenza, fever, chicken pox.

CHANGING DIAPERS. Our staff will of course change your child's diaper when needed. We ask that if you know the diaper needs to be changed upon arrival that you would change the diaper before you leave the child. Drop off time can be busy and our staff needs to attend to all new arrivals.

SIGN IN. Please print your name clearly and be explicit about your location in the church. This information is for your child's protection so that you may be found if your child needs you. If you have your cell phone with you, put it on vibrate in the service so we may call you if your child needs you.

QUESTIONS. If you have any questions, concerns or comments, please feel free to talk to Holly Marcario, KidsQuest Coordinator, Helen Burvis or Kyle Durbin, KidsQuest Ministry Elders.

"People were also bringing babies to Jesus to have Him touch them. When the disciples saw this, they rebuked them. But Jesus called the children to Him and said 'Let the children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. I tell you the truth, anyone who will not receive the kingdom of God like a little child will never enter it.'" Luke 18:15-18