

Dear Parent:

One of the core values of Cottonwood Creek Church is that God designed the family as the primary place for discipleship. The Faith Path initiative exists to partner with you as you guide your child's spiritual journey, one step at a time. Age-appropriate kits have been created to help you leverage the best faith formation strategy for your child's stage of development. In this *Prepare to Lead Your Child to Christ* kit you will find practical ideas and suggested resources to help you feel more confident whenever that wonderful opportunity comes.

Even though we make this kit available to parents of children ages five and above, few children are ready to fully understand the Gospel or make a faith decision at such a young age. Use this material to prepare yourself to be ready when your child expresses interest. We've included a guide that offers practical tips and what we consider the best resources on the topic. The *Prepare To Lead Your Child To Christ* video and a booklet titled *God Loves You And Wants You On His Team* will make that conversation easier when the time comes. You will also find two other items to use on that day:

- My Faith Decision
- My Child's Faith Decision: Please return this card to the church office to receive a Salvation & Baptism kit.

If your child is registered with us, you will receive emails on select future birthdays with information about other Faith Path opportunities that are appropriate for your child's spiritual journey.

I hope you find this kit helpful in the process of forming the faith of your child. Feel free to visit **cottonwoodcreek.org/faithathome** to learn more or to determine if your child/children are ready for other Faith Path steps.

Blessings!

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"Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength. These commandments that I give you today are to be on your hearts. Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up. Tie them as symbols on your hands and bind them on your foreheads. Write them on the doorframes of your houses and on your gates." Deuteronomy 6.5-9

