

**COVID Procedures & Precautions for
Preschool and Elementary Ministries
The Chapel, Akron**

- Before you come to church, please take your child's temperature. If your child or a member of your family is feeling sick or showing any of the [CDC's listed symptoms of Coronavirus](#), for the safety of others please keep them home. Always please err on the side of caution.
- Upon arrival, please check your child in at the Buchtel Desk. (There will be no self-check-in or third-floor check-in at this time.) While you are checking in, your child's temperature will be taken. If your child has a fever of 100.4 or above, they will not be permitted to attend programming.
- Only one parent or guardian may take your child to their classroom and pick them up. Please do not send a sibling with your sticker to your child's classroom.
- While inside The Chapel building, everyone is required to wear a mask. Children, 1st grade and up, are required to wear masks at all times (unless there is a medical reason).
- All volunteers and staff are required to wear either a face mask or face shield while they are serving. In the elementary area, there will be breaks during the service to give your child a break from wearing their mask.
- Regular handwashing is encouraged along with hand sanitizing. There will be hand sanitizers located in all the classrooms as well as the hallways.
- All programming areas will be sanitized before and after all services.
- Your child will have their own bag of supplies each week. After service, that bag of supplies will go home with your child.
- No supplies will be shared.
- All snacks will be pre-packaged.
- Gloves will be worn by all volunteers when passing out snacks, water, supplies, etc.

- There will be clear signage visible throughout all areas, so please follow all Enter and Exit signs when dropping off and picking up children.
 - In Elementary, all classrooms will be set up for proper social distancing. In Preschool, social distancing will be encouraged.