



FAMILY CONNECT

THE BEGINNING - SEPT 6/7

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Each week, our Kids Ministries will explore a part of The Story, and you'll receive this Family Connect to help you engage with your kids at home. Our prayer is that your family will set aside time each week to open God's Word together, pray, and grow closer to Him. We are here to support and encourage you along the way!

Family Devotions

Read the Chapter 1 from The Story for Little Ones/Kids or Genesis 1.

Family Activity

Go on a family walk in your neighborhood or nearby park. As you walk, point out and talk about the things God created. Challenge your older kids to see if they can find one thing God created for each letter of the alphabet.

End your walk at a mirror or a place where you can see your reflection. What you see is God's crowning creation. Remind your children that they are created in God's image. Let them know how proud of them you are. Talk about some of the things you appreciate about them and tie that into how those characteristics are from God.

Hide God's Word In Your Heart

In Grade 1-6, we are learning one Bible verse from Sept 6-Oct 12. Keep the Bible memory bookmark you received today and learn the verse as a family! Kids will receive a prize in October if they can recite it.

***"Have you not known? Have you not heard? The LORD is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He does not fade or weary; His understanding is unsearchable."
Isaiah 40:28***

Bonus! Noah's Ark

We just focused on the Creation story in Kids Ministries, but Noah's Ark is also part of this week's readings.

Read Noah's story in Genesis 6:9-9:17. Ask "What does this story teach me about God? What do I learn about people?"



THE STORY

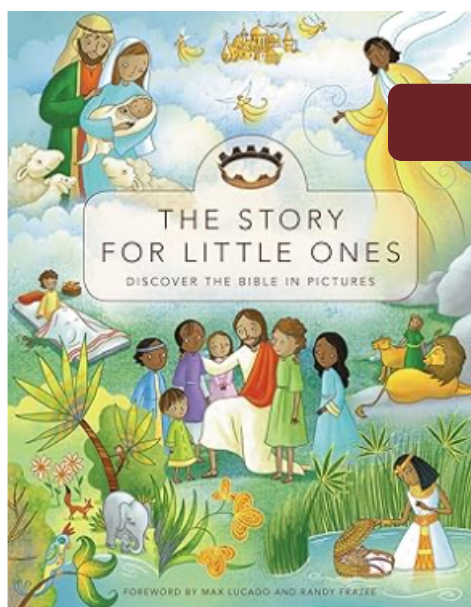
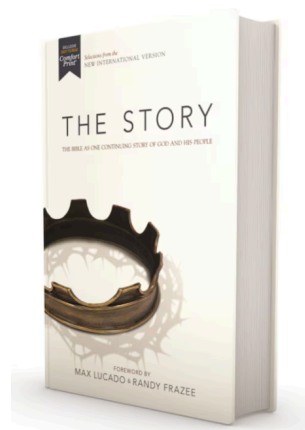
From September 2025 - May 2026 our church will be reading through the book, "The Story". The Bible references will be provided for you to follow along if you don't purchase the book.

Participate as a Family

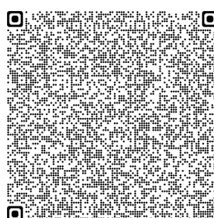
Follow the Bible Reading Plan at home

Attend a weekly church service

*Follow up after the church service with activities from **Family Connect***



Preschool



Elementary



RESOURCES FOR KIDS

spac.ca/thestory

 **SHERWOOD PARK**
ALLIANCE CHURCH