

THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW...

Here are several important things to remember that will make your child's time at church enjoyable and worthwhile.

1. To protect the health of all our children, the Nurtury cannot accept a child who is ill. Please refrain from bringing your child if he/she has had any of the following symptoms within the past 24 hours: diarrhea, vomiting, fever, rash, open sores, or runny nose (unless fluid is clear and child is teething or has allergies).
2. Please put your child's name on diaper bag, bottles, diapers, pacifiers, etc.
3. Our toddlers (ages 1-3) receive a small snack, usually crackers and water. Sippy cups are available. Please do not bring other snacks for your child. Notify a Nurtury caregiver if your child has any food allergies.
4. Children may be brought to the Nurtury by 9:45 a.m. and should be picked up no later than 12:00 noon. If you need to leave earlier than noon, please inform the Nurtury caregivers prior to the beginning of the service so they can have your child ready.
5. In order to ensure the safety of your child, he or she will wear a wristband that will match a wristband given to you. Only the parent with the matching wristband will be allowed to take your child from the Nurtury.
6. Please check your child's Information Card at least once a month to make any changes in schedule, preferences, or other information that will help us care for your child. Information cards are kept near the entrance in a file box.
7. Toddlers (ages 2-3) will participate in a brief Bible story/activity time each week.
8. All children cry sometimes when being left by parents. We understand and expect this. The child's fussing usually stops within a few minutes, and becomes less common with regular attendance.
9. You are welcome to observe the Nurtury at any time. The window allows parents to see into the Nurtury without children being aware that they are there. In order to avoid confusion and anxiety, please do not enter the Nurtury unless you are there to pick up your child.
10. For additional safety, we require all Nurtury caregivers to undergo a background screening.