

2017-2018 Calendar (Dates & events subject to change)

August 2017

- 2 Training for all Children's Ministries Volunteers
- 10 School Starts (Hillsborough County /Public)
- 13 Move Up Sunday/New Sunday Morning Live 'year' begins; Parent meeting for Angel Choir (10:25 a.m.); Make-Up Training for all Children's Ministries Volunteers (12:15 p.m.)
- 15 Popsicles on the Playground (MOPS)
- 16 First rehearsal for Children's Choirs: 5:15-5:45 p.m. – Chimes (4th grade – HS), Chancel Choir room; 5:45 – 6:30 p.m. Celebration Choir (grades 1-5), Chancel Choir Room
- 23 Parent meeting for Children's Choirs, 5:45 p.m. Chapel
- 27 Children's Ministries Leadership Team Meeting, 12:15
- 30 Wednesday night volunteers planning meeting

September 2017

- 3 **Sit-Together Sunday** for Preschool (3-4-K), Elementary (Grades 1-5) & The Portico (K- 5). Childcare/nursery available for ages 4 & under.
- 4 No School, Labor Day
- 5 MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) Meetings resume (1st and 3rd Tuesdays)
- 12 MOPS Craft & Chat resumes (2nd Tuesdays)
- 13 Wed Night Dinner begins; Wednesday evening children's programming Begins -Club 45, Zone, Jr Zone (Adult Small Groups resume this week)
- 15 Family Fun Night Kick-Off! 6 pm
- 17 **Faith Steps** 3rd Grade Bibles presentations in Worship; Children's Choirs perform in Sanctuary; **Faith Steps** 3rd Grade Bible Boot Camp begins (6 weeks), 11 am
- 24 **Faith Steps** 3rd Grade Bible Parent Class begins (3 weeks) - 11 a.m.; 3rd Grade Bible Boot Camp

October 2017

- 1 Missions Celebration & World Communion Sunday; **Faith Steps** 3rd Grade Bible Parent Class (11 a.m.); **Faith Steps** 3rd Grade Bible Boot Camp (11 a.m.); Church Conference (12:30 p.m.)
- 8 **Faith Steps** 3rd Grade Bible Parent Class (11 a.m.); **Faith Steps** 3rd Grade Bible Boot Camp (11 a.m.)
- 15 Stewardship Campaign begins; **Faith Steps** 3rd Grade Bible Boot Camp; Spiritual Parenting class begin (6 weeks)
- 16 No school
- 22 **Faith Steps** 3rd Grade Bible Boot Camp (11 a.m.)
- 29 **Faith Steps** "Are You Smarter Than a 3rd Grader?" Parents vs. 3rd Graders/Bible Boot Camp Family Reception (9:30 – 10:30); **Faith Steps** 3rd Grade Bible Parent Blessing Event in Worship (11:00 Sanctuary); Children's Choirs perform; Commitment Sunday; The Portico (5th Sunday Serve the City, in place of worship)

November 2017

- 5 All Saints Day; Children's Ministries Leadership Team Meeting, 12:15, Daylight Saving Time ends
- 10 No School, Veteran's Day (Hillsborough County)
- 19 SERVE Day at Met Min
- 20-24 No School-Fall Break (Hillsborough County)

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November 2017 (continued)

- 22 No Wednesday evening children's programming (Jr Zone, Zone, or Club 45)
- 26 **Sit-Together Sunday** for Preschool (3-4-K), Elementary (Grades 1-5) & The Portico (K- 5). Childcare/nursery available for ages 4 & under.

December 2017

- 3 1st Sunday of Advent; Children's Choirs perform; Family Christmas Service rehearsal
- 10 2nd Sunday of Advent, Family Christmas Service rehearsal
- 13 Happy Birthday Jesus Party
- 17 3rd Sunday of Advent, Family Christmas Service Rehearsal, 12:15 – 3 p.m.
- 20 Movie Night in Jr Zone, Zone, Club 45;
- 23 Family Christmas Service 5:30 pm
- 24 4th Sunday of Advent, Christmas Eve, **Sit-Together Sunday** for Preschool (3-4-K), Elementary (Grades 1-5) & The Portico (K- 5). Childcare/nursery available for ages 4 & under.
- 25-Jan. 8, 2017-Winter Break, no school (Hillsborough County)
- 27 No Wednesday evening children's programming (Jr Zone, Zone, or Club 45)
- 31 **Sit-Together Sunday** for Preschool (3-4-K), Elementary (Grades 1-5) & The Portico (K- 5). Childcare/nursery available for ages 4 & under.

January 2018

- 3 No Wednesday evening children's programming (Jr Zone, Zone, Club 45)
- 9 School Back in Session (Hillsborough County)
- 10 Planning Night for Wednesday evening children's programming (no Jr Zone, Zone or Club 45). Nursery/childcare available.
- 14 **Sit-Together Sunday** for Elementary (Grades 1-5) & The Portico (K- 5). Childcare/nursery available for ages 4 & under.
- 15 No School (MLK) (Hillsborough County)
- 16-18 Children's Ministries staff at Children's Pastor's Conference-Orlando
- 17 No Wednesday evening children's programming (Jr Zone, Zone, Club 45)
- 24 Wednesday evening children's programming resumes (Jr Zone, Zone & Club 45)
- 26-27 SuperStart Orlando (for 4th & 5th grades only)
- 28 Children's Choirs perform

February 2018

- 1 VBS Kick Off Leadership Team Meeting
- 2 Family Fun Night
- 4 **Faith Steps** Picture Bible Parent Class begins (2 & 3 Year Olds; 3 weeks)
- 9 No School, Fair Day (Hillsborough County)
- 11 **Faith Steps** Picture Bible Parent Class; **Faith Steps** Prayer & Meditation Family Workshop;
- 14 Ash Wednesday/Lent begins; Club 45 & The Zone attend service in the Sanctuary.
- 18 1st Sunday in Lent; **Faith Steps** Picture Bible Parent Class
- 25 2nd Sunday in Lent; Children's Musical & **Sit-Together Sunday** (kids attend musical) for Preschool (3-4-K) & Elementary (Grades 1-5). Childcare/nursery available for ages 4 & under; **Faith Steps** Picture Bible Parent Blessing Event (2 & 3-year olds) in Worship (9:30 a.m.)

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March 2018

- 1 VBS Leadership Team Meeting
- 4 3rd Sunday in Lent; VBS Promo in Worship/Registration opens for church families only; **Faith Steps** Sacraments Family Workshop (Elementary) 11:00
- 11 4th Sunday in Lent; **Sit-Together Sunday** for Preschool (3-4-K), Elementary (Grades 1-5) & The Portico (K- 5). Childcare/nursery available for ages 4 & under. Daylight Savings begins
- 12-16 Spring Break, no school (Hillsborough County)
- 14 No Wednesday evening children's programming (Club 45, Zone, Jr Zone)
- 18 5th Sunday in Lent;
- 25 Palm Sunday; Palm Processional and Children's Choirs perform
- 28 Holy Week Event/Stations of the Cross Event: Club 45, Zone, Jr Zone
- 30 Good Friday; No school

April 2018

- 1 Easter Sunday
- 5 VBS Leadership Team Meeting
- 8 Holy Humor Sunday; VBS Registration opens to general public; **Sit-Together Sunday** for Preschool (3-4-K), Elementary (Grades 1-5) & The Portico (K- 5). Childcare/nursery available for ages 4 & under.
- 22 **Faith Steps** Worship Parent Class (4/5 yr olds) class begins; Children's Choirs perform; Emily Felgenhauer to visit 5th grade during Sunday Morning Live (9:30/11); SERVE Campaign begins
- 25 Last Rehearsal for Children's Choirs – end of year party
- 27-29 Created by God at Warren Willis (5th graders only)
- 29 Youth Sunday; **Faith Steps** Worship Parent class

May 2018

- 2 Emily to visit Club 45
- 3 VBS Leadership Team Meeting
- 6 **Faith Steps** Worship Parent Class & Blessing Event in the Chapel; Volunteer Appreciation Brunch
- 9 Last Night of Wednesday evening children's programming (Club 45, Zone, Jr. Zone)
- 13 5th Grade Graduation Recognition in Worship & family reception; Mother's Day
- 20 Last day of "regular" Sunday Morning Live programming of the school year; Pentecost Sunday;(Messy Night and 6th grade orientation)
- 25 Last day of school (Hillsborough County)
- 27 **Sit-Together Sunday** for Preschool (3-4-K), Elementary (Grades 1-5) & The Portico (K- 5). Childcare/nursery available for ages 4 & under.
- 28 Memorial Day

June 2018

- 3 Summer Sunday Morning Live programming/schedule begins
- 3-10 Family Mission Trip (Grades 3-12)
- 7 VBS Leadership Team Meeting
- 12 Main VBS Training, 6pm
- 18-23 Warren Willis Camp (rising 4th-12th grades)
- 19 VBS Make-Up Training
- 24 VBS Make-up training, 11:00 a.m. & VBS Set-Up Day; Movie Day in SML
- 25-29 Vacation Bible School 9am to noon

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July 2018

- **1** VBS Sing in Worship/ **Sit-Together Sunday** for Preschool (3-4-K), Elementary (Grades 1-5) & The Portico (K- 5). Childcare/nursery available for ages 4 & under.
- **8** **Sit-Together Sunday** for Elementary (Grades 1- 5) & The Portico (K-5). Childcare/nursery available for ages 2 & under.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE:

Sundays:

8:30 a.m.	Childcare/nursery
9:30 a.m.	Sunday Morning Live: Childcare/nursery, 2 yr olds, 3-4-K and Grades 1-5
10:25 -10:55 a.m.	Angel Choir (4 yrs & K)
11 a.m.	Sunday Morning Live: Childcare/nursery, 2 yr olds, 3-4-K and Grades 1-5
5:30 p.m.	Sunday Night Live at The Portico: Childcare/nursery and Grades K - 5

Wednesdays:

5:15 - 5:45 p.m.	Celebration Chimes Choir (4 th grade – HS)
5:45 – 6:30 p.m.	Celebration Choir (grades 1-5)
6:30 – 8 p.m.	Club 45 (grades 4 & 5), Zone (grades 1-3) and Jr Zone (3-4-K) Nursery/Childcare