

## Descriptions of Music, Fellowship Groups & Christian Education

### MUSIC

**The Cherub Choir** is for children age four through kindergarten. Basic musical skills are developed using rhythm, movement, and of course, singing! The choir shares in worship four to six times a year.

**The Jubilation Choir** picks up where the Cherub Choir leaves off. First and second graders learn more about music theory, rhythm, and singing. The choir sings in worship four to six times a year.

**Belleplates** is our introduction to handbells is for children in first and second grade. The group learns basic ringing techniques with special "kid-friendly" instruments, Belleplates. Music skills and rhythms are taught in preparation for ringing in worship.

**The Alleluia Choir** allows third through fifth graders to get into more complex music, rhythms, and some harmony. The choir sings in worship and presents musical plays twice a year.

**KidChimes** picks up where Belleplates leaves off, allowing children in grades 3-5 to continue to develop their ringing skills with tubular choichimes. The group learns to read/count more complex rhythms and meters and rings in worship.

**IMPACT Singers**, our newest music ensemble, is for youth in grades 6-9. A team approach is utilized to focus on the enjoyment of singing while refining choral technique.

**8501 B.C.** 8501 is the church address, and B.C., in this case, stands for "Bell Choir!" This youth bell ensemble (grades 6-12) works with the same bronze handbells the adult groups use.

### FELLOWSHIP & CREATIVE ARTS GROUPS

**Bible Buddies** is for children age four through kindergarten. They meet while the older kids are in bells and chimes and enjoy a time of Bible study and related worksheets, games, and crafts.

**K2 Fellowship** is for kids in Kindergarten through second grade. They meet periodically throughout the year for Christian fellowship, fun, or service projects.

**Kids For Christ (KFC)** is a fellowship group for children in grades 3-5. It meets periodically throughout the year with special theme-based programming.

**LOGOS** is a weekly (September to April) Bible study on Wednesday nights for children in grades 1-5. The children have a family-style dinner, as well as a puppet ministry time or art/recreation time, and a Bible study class.

**Handful of Praise puppet team** is a creative ministry for youth in grades 6-8. We use puppets, sign language, dowel rods, and other unique ways to communicate our message about God.

**IMPACT (grades 6-8) and REFUGE (grades 9-12) Youth Groups** are times for youth to gather and learn about God in a safe environment. Meetings give youth an opportunity to live out who God has called them to be. *Contact the Minister of Youth & Young Adults for registration information.*

### CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

We take our commitment to **Christian Education** very seriously at NRUMC, offering Sunday School for ages three and up at both 9:45 (during Souljourn contemporary service) and 11:15 (during traditional worship). *Contact the Minister of Christian Education for registration information.*

## 2009-2010 Kids & Youth



## Ministry Registration

Minister of Children, Patricia Emerick: [patricia@nrumc.org](mailto:patricia@nrumc.org)  
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### Signing up is easy!

Please fill out one form per child.  
If you have more than one child, additional forms are available in the lobby and church office, as well as from each group's leader.

After you fill out the form, tear off as indicated, and either place it in the offering plate or turn it in to the church office.

*A brief description of each group is inside.*

**SINGING GROUPS**

- Cherub Choir:** For children age four through kindergarten, Room S4 (meets on Sundays from 5:00 to 5:30)
- Jubilation Choir:** For children in grades 1 & 2, Room S1 (meets on Sundays from 5:00 to 5:30)
- Alleluia Choir:** For children in grades 3 through 5, Music Room (meets on Sundays from 4:45 to 5:30)
- IMPACT Singers:** For youth in grades 6 through 9, Music Room (meets on Wednesdays from 5:45 to 6:30)

**RINGING GROUPS**

- Belleplates:** For children in grades 1 & 2, Room S3 (meets on Sundays from 5:30 to 6:00)
- KidChimes:** For children in grades 3 through 5, Music Room (meets on Sundays from 5:30 to 6:00)
- 8501 B.C.:** For youth in grades 6 through 12, Sanctuary (meets on Sundays from 5:00 to 6:00)

**OTHER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Bible Buddies:** For children age four thru kindergarten, Room S4 (meets on Sundays from 5:30 to 6:00)
- LOGOS:** For children in grades 1 through 5 (meets on Wednesdays from 5:15 to 7:15; this group has a registration fee)
- K2 Fellowship:** For children in kindergarten through grade 2 (meets at various times throughout the year)
- Kids for Christ (KFC):** For children in grades 3 through 5 (meets at various times throughout the year)
- Handful of Praise:** For youth in grades 6 through 8, Room Y2 (meets on Wednesdays from 5:45 to 6:30)
- IMPACT Youth Fellowship:** For youth in grades 6 through 8, Youth Center (meets on Wednesdays from 6:30 to 8:00)
- REFUGE Youth Fellowship:** For youth in grades 9 through 12, Youth Center (meets on Sundays from 6:00 to 8:00)

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Age \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_  
Circle:    Traditional    Year-Round    Track \_\_\_\_\_  
Mom's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Dad's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
In case of emergency, Mom's cell #: \_\_\_\_\_ Dad's Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_  
Allergies?    NO    YES    *If yes, please describe:* \_\_\_\_\_

Does your child need a buddy?    NO    YES    (See our *All God's Children* brochure)

**REGISTER MY CHILD FOR** (check all that apply, descriptions on reverse side):

- | <u>Age 4 - Kindergarten</u>            | <u>Grades 1 &amp; 2</u>                   | <u>Grades 3 - 5</u>                            | <u>Youth</u>  |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Cherub Choir  | <input type="checkbox"/> Jubilation Choir | <input type="checkbox"/> Alleluia Choir        | <input type="checkbox"/> IMPACT Singers (gr. 6-9)                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bible Buddies | <input type="checkbox"/> Belleplates      | <input type="checkbox"/> KidChimes             | <input type="checkbox"/> 8501 B.C. (Handbells, gr. 6-12)              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> K2 Fellowship | <input type="checkbox"/> LOGOS            | <input type="checkbox"/> LOGOS                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Handful of Praise (gr. 6-8)                  |
|  | <input type="checkbox"/> K2 Fellowship    | <input type="checkbox"/> Kids for Christ (KFC) | <i>Contact office to register for IMPACT and REFUGE youth groups.</i> |

In case of a medical emergency, I give my consent to North Raleigh United Methodist Church to seek medical care for my child. I understand that every attempt will be made to contact me.

Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

I give my permission to North Raleigh United Methodist Church to make photographs, slides, or videos of my child. Further, I authorize their use without inspecting or approving the finished product or its specific use. I understand that North Raleigh United Methodist Church will never publish names or personal information in connection with the aforementioned materials.

Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** *If you would prefer your child NOT be represented in photographic presentations of the ministry life of North Raleigh United Methodist Church, please initial here:* \_\_\_\_\_