Faith Reformed Church

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Dear Parents and Families,

We are excited to kick off our fourth year of the "Quest" ministry for 5K-5th graders on Wednesday nights starting **September 2**!

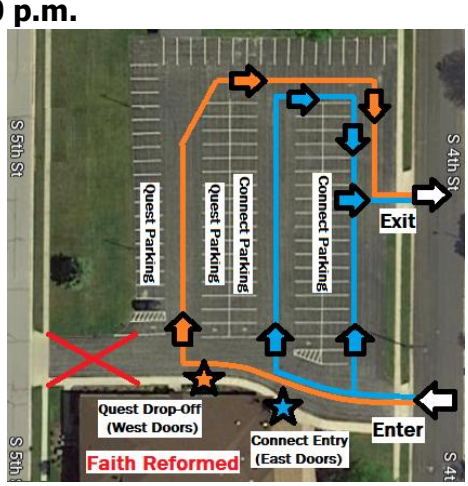
Quest uses the *First Catechism* to teach children the essential truths of the Bible through an engaging, kid-friendly question-and-answer format. This year's lessons focus on **God's character, Adam & Eve, sin and God's grace in Christ**. Our goal is to help children understand these foundational truths, grow in their love for God and live out their faith in a grace-filled setting. Each week, children will discover God's truth through **Bible lessons, singing, games, prayer, and hands-on activities** that reinforce the week's teaching. Throughout the year, they will also have many opportunities to memorize the truths of the catechism. Every few weeks, students will have the chance to review and celebrate what they have learned during special game nights.

We believe that **parents play a vital role** in their child's spiritual growth, and we are committed to partnering with you throughout your child's Quest journey. Here are three meaningful ways you can support your child's pursuit of God's truth:

- First, **encourage your child to memorize the biblical truths** they are learning in Quest. Each family will receive (or has received in past years) a *First Catechism* booklet containing all the questions and answers. At the beginning of each unit, you'll receive a **handout with the catechism questions** for that unit to display at home for easy review. In addition, the catechism has been set to music! You can find the ***Ask Me WhoOo*** albums on YouTube, Apple Music, Spotify and other major streaming platforms making it easy for your family to review the material together throughout the week.
- Second, you can donate treats on one of the **review nights** (Sept. 23; Oct. 21; Nov. 18; Jan. 20; Feb. 17, Apr. 21) at this link: https://tinyurl.com/QuestTreats26
- Third, join us for our **end-of-year celebration** on **April 28, 2027,** as your child recites the truths they have learned throughout the year. We'll also celebrate their hard work with certificates and, of course, ice cream!

Quest begins with optional game time from **6:00–6:30 p.m.**, during which students also can recite their catechism answers in the church library. Large group meets from **6:30–7:00 p.m.**, followed by small group time from **7:00–7:30 p.m.**

Because our 6-12th grade *Connect* ministry also meets on Wednesday evenings, we ask all Quest families to follow our designated **traffic pattern** to help ensure the safety of every child. When dropping off and picking up your child(ren), please follow the **orange** route. At the end of the evening, you may **pick up your child** either **(1) curbside** by driving to the west entrance of the church where a leader will be waiting with your children, or **(2) inside** by parking in the designated Quest parking area, entering the building and personally escorting your child(ren) to your vehicle.



We are excited to begin a new year of Quest on **Wednesday, September 2nd!** Families may register at this **link** (https://faithcedargrove.breezechms.com/form/Quest26), by scanning the **QR code** below, or on the evening of the 2nd beginning at **6:00 p.m. in the Great Room**.

Emily Tarter & Jodi Danforth
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