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# Kids Ministries Newsletter

## Winter is here!

Winter is here! BUT the good news is that our three months of spring/summer is coming soon. Hope you're surviving the cold weather and enjoying the cold evenings as time to enjoy board games and family together time!



### Parent meeting

We want to bring all our parents together following the Sunday services on February 13<sup>th</sup>. Jason and Laura will be there to present our direction and goals and dreams for ministering to kids at our church. Snacks and supervised childcare will be provided in room 123 for those attending the meeting.

### Playdoh Maker

We would love to have playdoh in a couple of our preschool rooms. If you are able to make two batches once/month, please contact Laura. We will provide the recipe for what is needed.



### Family Serving

The Food Drive is coming up on **April 16<sup>th</sup>**. This is a fabulous family-friendly serve for you to model and experience with your kids the importance of caring for others and being involved in community. Please contact Jackie @ (403) 932-6910.

## Summer Soccer Camp

**Mark your calendars for Soccer Camp  
July 04 –08, 2011**

Registration forms will be available in the near future for you to invite your community and neighbor friends to join your child.



## Camp Chamisall

Camp Chamisall is an excellent Bible camp that is almost next door to us. It is the Alliance camp for southern Alberta. In a unique, safe and caring environment through dependence on Christ the camp endeavors to challenge the whole person to develop their full potential.

Chamisall has a unique ministry to unchurched youth as well as to church youth to challenge them to take their faith to a new level. Hiking, campfires, floating in the river, great food, archery and lots of great God talks with a group of 8 campers in your cabin make for memories that last for a lifetime.

Laura has volunteered there in the past and had a great time! This is such a fun opportunity for kids to have a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity and many people in Alliance churches in Calgary came to Christ because of the ministry of this camp. Chamisall is staffed by volunteers who take a week of vacation every week because they are so committed to the fun and life change that they see there every year.

**We have an amazing opportunity this year!** We have had someone in our church offer to pay 50% of your child's registration when they bring a friend with them... and the friend gets 50% of their registration paid. This is available for the **FIRST FIVE FAMILIES** to take advantage of this. Talk to Laura to access this.

Check out their website at [www.campchamisall.com](http://www.campchamisall.com)



## Bible Verses for February & March



Lesson 9

**“Great is our Lord and mighty in power.”**

Psalms 147:5

Lesson 10

**“If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins.”**

1 John 1:9

Lesson 11

**“Pray continually.”**

1 Thessalonians 5:17

Lesson 12

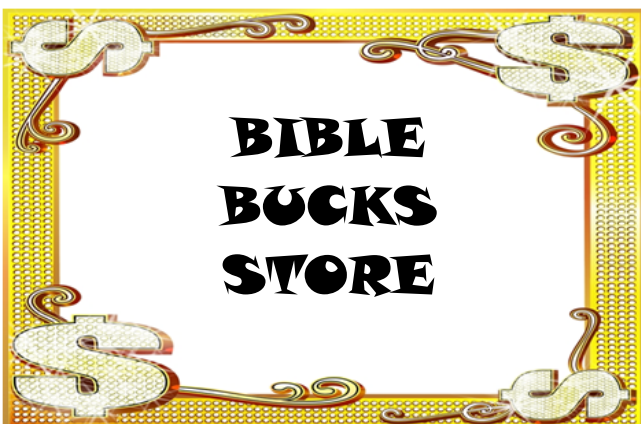
**“Call to Me and I will answer you.”**

Jeremiah 33:3

Lesson 13

**“God is Love.”**

1 John 4:16



We encourage kids to memorize scripture and to bring their bibles on a weekly basis. We are not doing this to add another thing to remember when you're running out the door as a family but rather as a way of Hiding God's word in our hearts.

They can now cash their Bible Bucks in **monthly** on the last Sunday of each month at the end of large group. We are adding some more 'boy-friendly' prizes to the stash.

The grades 3&4 boys and the 5&6 boys have challenged each other to some room challenges so we are looking forward to seeing the outcome of this.