

## FOR FAMILIES + STUDENTS

Our heart is to serve and walk alongside you as a family and partner with you in the spiritual growth of your child. We do this through age-appropriate programming that connects Biblical teaching, worship and prayer with opportunities to serve and engage in phase-specific events and experiences.

### **Nursery + Preschool**

Sundays: 9am & 10:40am  
1st Floor behind  
Buchtel Check-In

Preschool is where children get a first impression of our Heavenly Father. Nurturing caregivers help babies and preschoolers feel secure and loved as they learn about God. Children learn Biblical truth through puppets, storytelling and creative activities.

### **Elementary: 1st-5th Grades**

Sundays: 9am Large Group &  
10:40am Small Groups  
3rd Floor Elementary Classrooms.

Elementary is a time of great growth both physically and spiritually. Loving leaders guide our students on a journey through the Bible in chronological order. We use worship, storytelling and interactive games in small- and large-group settings to help children understand they are part of God's big story.

### **Middle School: 6th-8th Grade**

Sundays: 9am  
Middle School Room  
behind the Gym.

In Middle School, students are exploring who they are and who they want to become. We seek to create environments where students can discover that their identity and purpose can only be found in God.

### **High School : 9th-12th Grade**

Sundays : 9am  
Amphitheater.

In High School, students are approaching adulthood and taking responsibility for their own spiritual growth. We seek to create environments where students can grow in biblical knowledge, heart attitude and Spirit-led action.

Find out more at: [thechapel.life/family](http://thechapel.life/family)

### **Campus Focus College**

Thursdays: 7:30pm  
Worship Center

The Chapel's college ministry here in Akron is composed of hundreds of students who are either exploring who God is or seeking to grow in their faith. We meet weekly for large group worship and host seasonal retreats and getaways.

Find out more at: [campusfocus.org](http://campusfocus.org)

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# HAPPY EASTER!

“Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!  
In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope  
through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.”

**I PETER 1:3**

## WELCOME TO THE CHAPEL

We hope you enjoy your time of worship with us today. This bulletin is designed to provide basic information about our church and to assist you with your visit. If you have any questions, stop by an Information Kiosk or the Fir Hill Welcome Center.

In the pew back is a Communication Card. If this is your first visit, we invite you to fill it out and drop it in the offering plate. Please do not feel pressured to participate in the offering. This is for our regular attenders and members. Consider this service as our gift to you.

### SALVATION HOW TO BECOME A CHRIST-FOLLOWER

- 1. ACKNOWLEDGE YOUR POSITION BEFORE GOD.**  
God said, "all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God." (*Romans 3:23*) This means no matter how good we are, we don't measure up to God's standard of perfection. (*Isaiah 53:6*) The outcome is spiritual separation from God. (*Romans 6:23*)
- 2. BELIEVE IN JESUS CHRIST.**  
Believe that Jesus Christ, who was God in human flesh, paid the penalty for your sin through his death on the cross. (*Romans 6:23*) His actions solved your sin problem by becoming your substitute. (*1 Peter 2:24, 3:18*)
- 3. EXPRESS YOUR BELIEF THROUGH REPENTANCE AND FAITH.**  
Repentance involves turning away from sinfulness. (*Acts 3:19*) Faith means placing your trust in the promises of God through Jesus Christ. (*Acts 16:31*)

## BAPTISM + MEMBERSHIP

Our three-week BEGIN class is a great way to find out more about The Chapel and the Christian faith. Open to all, it is required for anyone desiring baptism or membership.  
*Sign up online: [thechapel.life/happeningnow](http://thechapel.life/happeningnow) under the Adult banner.*

## ADULT BIBLE FELLOWSHIPS

Adult Bible Fellowships make the big church feel small. These mid-sized communities (between 15 and 90 people) meet regularly to learn, care for one another and serve together. Most ABFs meet on Sundays but there are a few weeknight groups, too.  
*Find a complete list of ABFs at: [thechapel.life/happeningnow](http://thechapel.life/happeningnow) under the Adult banner.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Find out more and register for events online at: [thechapel.life/happeningnow](http://thechapel.life/happeningnow)



### PRESCHOOL PLAYHOUSE

Join us for a morning of fun, sensory activities that point to God's grace through the story of Noah's Ark. For preschoolers: ages 2 - PreK 5 and their parents. Saturday, April 27, 10 - 11:30am, Preschool Hallway. At least one adult must attend with child. Sign up online.



### BEGIN CLASS

New to The Chapel or young in your faith? Our BEGIN Class is designed for you. Open to all, this three-week primer on the Chapel and the Christian faith is required for anyone desiring baptism or membership. Sundays, May 5 - 19. Register online.



### BABY DEDICATIONS: MAY 12

Parents: Give thanks to God and ask for His grace and wisdom to train your young one to love and worship Jesus. Spring Baby Dedication Ceremonies will take place on Mother's Day, May 12 at 9am and 10:40am. Get details and register online.



### SPRING WIDOWS' LUNCHEON

Hear Michelle Armstrong speaking on 'Seeking the Face of God in Prayer' at our Spring Widows' Luncheon: Friday, May 17, 11am - 1pm, Room 155. Please bring a lunch dish, and feel free to invite a friend. RSVP to Sheri: 330.328.7574.



### THE WAY OUT ADDICTION RECOVERY GROUP

If you're feeling trapped by unhealthy habits and addictive behaviors, you're not alone. Addiction is about more than substance abuse. Eating or shopping to feel good, binge watching as a way to escape or chasing after the approval of others always leaves us wanting. The Way Out is a group of fellow strugglers committed to worshipping our way out of addictions and into the abundant life Christ promises. Join us on Fridays, 6:30-8pm in the Berean Rooms.



### CAMP CARL VOLUNTEER WORK DAYS

Help get Camp Carl ready for the upcoming season. Come out on Saturdays, April 27 and May 11 from 8am 'til 2pm. We'll be doing outdoor painting and staining, leaf removal, gutter cleaning, roof repairs and general landscaping. Lunch will be provided. Sign up online.



### JOIN OUR TEAM

Our Worship Ministry is looking for a Part-time Administrative Assistant. Sunday hours are required. Find out more about this and all of our job openings at: [thechapel.life/employment](http://thechapel.life/employment)