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(Preschool to std 6)
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**FBC (E) Sunday School
Ministry**

A Season & A Time... To Inspire God's Children

**"To everything there is a season
and a time to every purpose under
the heaven:" - ECCLESIASTES 3:1**

As you choose to read this article about Sunday School, I can imagine that you are very likely a young adult (18 years+) or older, with an above-average love and curiosity to influence young lives.

**NEXT
WEEK'S
SERMON**

March 24, 2024
**For God So
Loved - Part 2**
John 3:16
Arnold Lim

March 29, 2024
**Good Friday:
Reflection on
the Cross**

Alex Tan

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Maybe you are a parent of a young child, and you feel a need to know more about what FBC (E) Sunday School has to offer you. Maybe your child is already attending Sunday School, or you are a teacher at heart and you can identify with this ministry.

Whatever point of life each of us may be at, we know there have been many different seasons in our own life. Our beliefs, values, and choices in life, have been shaped inevitably by those who inspired us when we were children. We are a result of those who love us. "We are all the pieces of what we remember. We hold in ourselves the hopes and fears of those who love us." — Cassandra Clare.

As a young Parent, what is the season in your life?

- With praise and thanksgiving, recognize that God has blessed you, and answered your prayers, to be a 'guardian' to a young life... "I prayed for this child, and the Lord has granted me what I asked of him (1 Samuel 1:27)
- Our children are so many things to us... our love, our joy, our hope, our responsibility, our challenge. We think of them, as 'our' children. The Lord says, "Children are a gift from the Lord; they are a reward from him." (Psalm 127:3)

What is the season and time in your child's life?

As the Lord is the giver of our wonderful gifts, let us introduce our children to the almighty, loving Father who gives abundantly...

- When our children know who is the great "I AM", their identity will be rooted in the knowledge that "I am a Child of God" (1 John 3:1), precious and loved by HIM!

FBC (E) Subang Jaya, Sunday School - A season and a time to inspire children to "Love and Fear the Lord"

In FBC (E) Subang Jaya, dedicated Sunday School teachers partner alongside with parents, to nurture a strong spiritual foundation in young children's lives. Our almighty God, the Lord of the Universe, will secure their feet and be a "Light unto their path", as they grow to know Christ's amazing love for them. Proverb 9:10-11 says, "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, and knowledge of the Holy One is understanding. For through wisdom your days will be many, and years will be added to your life."



FBC (E) Sunday School's theme for 2024 is derived from the acronym **R.E.A.L** :

- **R**eading the Bible daily
- **E**xperiencing God's love
- **A**pplying what have been learned
- **L**iving out the transformed life

Reading The Bible Daily



The Bible tells us to write HIS commandments on our hearts. "And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart. You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise (Deuteronomy 6:6-7)

Jesus asked us to Read His Word and to Rest in HIM.

"LEARN FROM ME, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will FIND REST FOR YOUR SOUL." - Matthew 11:29

Experiencing God's Love

"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. - John 3:16

A parent may love his child and yet be strongly opposed to the child's conduct at times. God loves His children, but He hates the sin. *"Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it."* - Proverbs 22:6



Applying What Have Been Learned

Character, in the long run, is the decisive factor in the life of an individual and of nations alike.” – Theodore Roosevelt.

We pray for our children to have the “Fruits of the Spirit”.

“But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law.” – Galatians 5: 22-23

Living Out The Transformed Life

“We love because HE first loved us” – 1 John 4:1-21

“Oh, that their hearts would be inclined to fear me and keep all my commands always, so that it might go well with them and their children!” – Deuteronomy 5:29

2024 Teaching Team

We give thanks and praise God for the Team of 45 teachers and helpers for this year. Some of the new volunteers are parents of our Sunday School children who were encouraged to partner alongside our Sunday School teachers as helpers.

We wish to acknowledge all our Sunday School teachers for both the First and Second Sessions for their dedication and commitment, some of whom have been continuously and faithfully serving for more than 10 years now.

If you are interested in joining this special ministry, to nurture young lives, please contact: **Ms Vickki Ng at 019-3105139.**



by Linda Law

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FBC (E) SUNDAY SCHOOL SESSIONS

- **Gospel Kids:**
8.45 am – 10.30 am
(Toddlers to Std 6)
- **Kingdom Kids:**
11.15 am – 12.45 pm
(Pre-School to Std 6)



Prayer for FBC (E) Sunday School Ministry

1. PRAY for the Team of 45 teachers / helpers and especially for all the 15 new recruits who have volunteered to serve this year. For their spiritual growth and relationship with Christ that they will know how God is using them to make a difference in the children's lives and may they find JOY to serve in the Ministry.
2. PRAY for God's grace that our children may understand and apply R.E.A.L principles and grow in their love and fear of the Lord.
3. PRAY for God's wisdom for the teachers and parents as they partner together in teaching God's Word, and to find creative ways to help the children learn to apply spiritual principles.
4. PRAY for more youth and young adults to join as a "succession plan" to take over from many of the present team of teachers who have served more than 10 years and have requested for sabbatical leave.
5. PRAY for all the parents/guardians of our Sunday School children, some of whom are single parents, step-parents, or even grandparents raising their grandchildren. PRAY for God's wisdom and guidance as they seek to provide a godly home for their family.

