For I will pour water on the thirsty land, and streams on the dry ground; I will pour my Spirit upon your offspring, and my blessing on your descendants. >Isaiah 44:3<
What should your children learn?

Do you want to raise children who share their food with others because the boy in John 6 did that? Or do you want them to feast on the Bread of Heaven in such a way that they give generously because they know that God is able to supply all their needs according to His riches of glory in Christ?

These two scenarios illustrate the difference between outward morals and inward faith. We want to raise a generation who will give selflessly of themselves to spread a passion for the supremacy of God in all things for the joy of all people through Jesus Christ. We want them to lay down their lives not because it looks right, but because they have counted everything as loss compared to the surpassing worth of knowing Christ. That means teaching in a way that will help them see the greatness and worth of Christ.

Faith without works is dead. But works without faith are only that—works. It is our prayer to build up a generation whose faith will equip them to walk and work fearlessly in the strength of who God is.

Our Mission

Children Desiring God exists to equip the body of Christ to spread to the next generations a passion for the supremacy of God in all things for the joy of all peoples through Jesus Christ.

Our aim is to impart to future generations a vision of God, who He is, and who we are in relation to Him, and to establish our students in a foundation of truth. We want them to be biblically grounded, with a God-centered worldview and a faith that will hold them when the days of testing come. We want them to love the Lord their God with all their heart, soul, and mind, and to delight in Him forever.

Dear Friends,

All of us in children’s ministry are called to proclaim! We have the great privilege of making proclamations to the next generation. Consider the following texts:

We are to “proclaim the excellencies of him who called us out of darkness into his marvelous light” (1 Peter 2:9). We are to proclaim “that God is light, and in him is no darkness at all” (1 John 1:5). We are “boldly to proclaim the mystery of the gospel” (Ephesians 6:19). We are to “proclaim the name of the Lord; ascribe greatness to our God” (Deuteronomy 32:3). We are to “proclaim his righteousness to a people yet unborn” (Psalm 22:31).

Clearly we are called to proclaim. But it is not from duty that we do so. This God, the Son Jesus Christ, who is infinitely valuable, is Him we proclaim! There is none more glorious, none more beautiful, and none more worthy. There is no better subject, no better message, and nothing more central than Jesus Christ. He is infinitely valuable! We will not be bored in our proclaiming because there is nothing boring about the “excellencies of him”!

Our aim is that the resources developed by Children Desiring God displayed in this catalog will assist you in proclaiming the great truths of Scripture through exalting Him and His praiseworthy deeds. It is our hope that they aid you in instructing minds, engaging hearts, and nurturing the faith of the next generations.

It is our joy and pleasure to partner with you to reach the next generations. If we can serve you in any way, please contact us.

His Glory to the Coming Generations,

Brian Eaton
Director, Children Desiring God
## Nursery & Toddler

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Our Electronic Resources

CDG’s electronic resources give you the opportunity to determine which format, electronic or printed, will best serve your ministry. While there are benefits to both formats, we believe that our electronic resources can lower your overall cost and increase your flexibility. Here is what we currently offer for purchase and electronic download, and then print at your convenience:

**E-Workbooks**
Purchase one single-use license per student. This allows you to print one E-Workbook for each student per class year.

**E-Leader’s Editions**
Purchase a single-user perpetual license for each team member (small group leader and/or additional teachers) using the E-Leader’s Edition. (The primary teacher should still have a printed Teacher’s Kit in order to teach the class.) The file or printed copy of the E-Leader’s Edition may be used indefinitely by the purchasing organization, but cannot be shared with multiple teachers/small group leaders at the same time.

**Benefits of Electronic Resources**
- Lower overall cost: $3.50 per student workbook license, and $45.00 for E-Leader’s Edition.
- No shipping charges.
- Convenient printing. You decide whether to print double- or single-sided, and whether to print one week or an entire year at a time.
- Eliminates waste. No partially used workbooks left behind when students leave the class mid-year.
- Reduced administrative duties. E-Leader’s Editions streamline annual distribution and storage of materials.

*Please see our website FAQ for more details regarding both electronic and printed resources.*

CDG’s electronic resources meet our needs perfectly and are much more cost effective for us (toner and paper costs included).
—Pastor from Colorado

A fast, flexible option. Here’s how it works.

1. **Place your order**
   Count your students to determine how many E-Workbook licenses you will need, and count the number of teachers and small group leaders who will need an E-Leader’s license. Add the electronic resources to your “cart” online and place your order.

2. **Download your files**
   Once you’ve placed your order, download the electronic resources at your convenience.

3. **Use your resources**
   You may print or distribute the electronic resources according to the number of licenses you have purchased. Your team members can print the resources you’ve ordered for them at their convenience.

There’s more at *childrendesiringGOD.org*

**Conference audio** from John Piper, C.J. Mahaney, Wayne Grudem, Bruce Ware, Paul David Tripp, and many others.

Sample of lessons and other materials to download and print.

**20+ Training Seminars** with audio and handouts to equip children’s ministry directors, teachers, small group leaders, and parents.

Plus, new features to come in 2010! Watch our website for details.

There’s more at *childrendesiringGOD.org*
Nursery & Toddler Curriculum Resources

A Sure Foundation introduces little ones to God through prayer, and provides simple God-centered lessons for toddlers, age 18-36 months.

A Sure Foundation:
A Philosophy & Curriculum for Ministry to Infants & Toddlers

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The church nursery should be an exciting and vital ministry in the church. It should be a launching pad for nurturing the faith of the next generation. A Sure Foundation: A Philosophy and Curriculum for Ministry to Infants and Toddlers is designed to help you transform your ministry to infants and toddlers into an integral beginning—a place of prayer for young children, a place where they hear foundational Bible stories, and a place where children learn simple truth statements and begin to memorize Scripture as they form their language skills.

This curriculum—with its big truths, simple words, and simplicity overall will really plant and water Kingdom seeds. And God will make them grow!—Teacher from Florida

Complete Nursery & Toddler Coordinator’s Kit

Each kit includes:

A. Nursery Coordinator’s Notebook
   Includes ministry overview and philosophy, prayer guide, 13 Bible lessons for toddlers, reproducible pages for toddlers, parents, and volunteers.

B. C. D. Infant, Young Toddler, and Older Toddler booklets
   2 copies of each for teachers and caregivers (contents also included in the coordinator’s notebook)

E. Story Pictures
   For each lesson (for both younger and older toddler stories)

F. Resource Packet
   Includes memory cards and posters

G. 12 laminated truth statement posters (11” x 17”) For infant nursery

H. Visuals CD
   Contains PDFs of prayer posters, memory verses, and parent pages

I. Praying for the Next Generation booklet
J. A Father’s Guide to Blessing His Children booklet with blessing cards
K. Foundation Verses Scripture Memory Pack (NIV)
L. Training DVD

Complete Nursery & Toddler Coordinator’s Kit
$225.00

Components to order individually

Small churches only need to purchase the Complete Nursery & Toddler Coordinator’s Kit, while large churches may need additional items to equip teachers, caregivers, nursery rooms, and toddler classrooms.

B. Infant Nursery Booklet
   For nursery caregivers: $8.50

C. Young Toddler Booklet
   For teachers: $6.50

D. Older Toddler Booklet
   For teachers: $9.00

E. Story Pictures
   Young Toddler: $10.00
   Older Toddler: $30.00

F. Resource Packet
   Color: $20.00
   B/W: $8.00

G. Truth Statement Posters
   for infant nursery: $40.00

I. Praying for the Next Generation Booklet: $4.00

J. A Father’s Guide to Blessing His Children Booklet and blessing cards: $7.50

K. Foundation Verse Pack
   NIV or ESV: $5.00
Preschool Curricula

The two preschool curricula work hand-in-hand to provide preschoolers with a chronological “big picture” of the Bible, and how God is not only the Author of the story, but the Main Character as well. Through the use of key theological themes, students are taught 116 great Bible stories from Genesis to Revelation. These themes and stories are reinforced through Scripture memory (using the Foundation Verses) and through the use of the Student Coloring Book. Parent Resource Pages are a valuable tool to help parents follow up on the lesson presented in class.

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I like your curriculum because it acknowledges the ability of young children to learn great things about God. It teaches all of Scripture, not just the "classic" Bible stories. And it focuses on God and His character, as opposed to smaller themes.
—Children's Ministry Director from Washington, D.C.

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Teacher’s Kit
Each teacher’s kit includes:

A. Teacher’s Notebook
   Includes introduction, lessons, appendix, and Parent Resource Pages
B. Visuals CD
   Contains PDFs of visual resources and Parent Resource Pages
C. Student Coloring Book
   Reinforces lesson truths and encourages discussion and review
D. Foundation Verses Scripture Memory Pack (NIV)
E. Introductory Audio CD
   On God-centered Teaching

*We recommend using felt visuals with a flannel board for the presentation of the Bible lesson. One source is www.bettylukens.com, or check with your local Christian bookstore.

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He Established a Testimony
Old Testament Stories for Young Children
TARGET GRADE: Pre-K  LESSIONS: 64

God has testified of His glorious deeds and mighty power. This curriculum explores God's greatness by noting key themes found chronologically throughout the Old Testament. Bible stories aren't written out; teachers prepare the lesson through the study of Scripture using a list of key themes to acquaint children with a great God whose character never changes.

He Has Spoken By His Son
New Testament Stories for Young Children
TARGET GRADE: Pre-K  LESSONS: 52

The New Testament beautifully unfolds the wonder and power of Jesus Christ. This curriculum explores the greatness of God in Christ by noting key themes found chronologically throughout the New Testament. Bible stories are not written out; teachers prepare the lesson through the study of Scripture using a list of key themes to acquaint children with a great God who has spoken by His Son.

In addition to the teacher’s kit:

F. Leader's Edition
   For use by small group leaders and co-teachers, including introduction, lessons, and appendix. One per additional leader
   Printed: $70.00
   E-Download: $40.00

G. Student Coloring Book
   Recommended for every student for use in class and review at home.
   One per student
   Printed: $9.50 or $10.50
   E-Download: $3.50

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Resource Packet*
H. A few teaching visuals for lesson hooks, professionally printed on cardstock (also available as printable PDFs on the Visuals CD included in the Teacher’s Kit).
   (Color or B/W): Price varies

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Sunday School Curricula

These seven studies are designed to build a framework of theological and biblical concepts about the greatness and glory of God as students progress through the elementary years. Each 40-week curriculum uses visuals, object lessons, and in-depth study of the Word to teach children that God is more than worthy of their worship. Learning is reinforced through the use of student workbooks and Scripture memory, and parents are equipped to review the truth of the lessons and guide in practical application at home with weekly Parent Resource Pages.

Teacher’s Kit
Each teacher’s kit includes:
A. Teacher’s Notebook
   Includes introduction, lessons, appendix, and Parent Resource Pages
B. Visuals CD
   Contains printable PDFs of visual resources and Parent Resource Pages
C. Student Workbook
   Reinforces lesson truths and encourages discussion and review
D. Verse Cards
   For Scripture memory work
E. Introductory Audio CD
   On God-centered teaching

One per classroom: $130.00

In addition to the teacher’s kit:

Resource Packet
F. Teaching aids and visuals professionally printed on cardstock (also available as printable PDFs on the Visuals CD included in the Teacher’s Kit)
   Printed (Color or B/W): Price varies

Verse Cards
G. One per student: $5.50

Leader’s Edition
H. For use by small group leaders and co-teachers, including introduction, lessons, and appendix
   Printed: $75.00
   E-Download: $45.00

Student Workbook
I. Recommended for every student for use in class and review at home
   Printed: $8.75
   E-Download: $3.50

Curriculum-specific components (not pictured)

FAITHFUL TO ALL HIS PROMISES Buttons (10/pkg.) One package per 10 students: $8.50

IN THE BEGINNING...JESUS Poster Set One per classroom (32” x 50”; Color, 2 Pieces): $75.00
Jesus, What a Savior!
A Study for Children on Redemption
TARGET GRADE: K  LESSONS: 40  NIV
We were created to enjoy the glory of God. But as sinners we fail to treasure Him as we should. Our hearts are full of sin and we stand in need of a Savior. This chronological study on redemption explores the incomparable greatness and worth of God, the desperate condition of helpless sinners, and the all-sufficient work of Jesus Christ to redeem sinful people.

The ABCs of God
A Study for Children on the Greatness and Worth of God
TARGET GRADE: 1st  LESSONS: 40  NIV
Right thinking about God is essential for the life of faith. Using the alphabet as a framework for teaching the attributes of God, this study explores the delight that God has in Himself as the source, means, and purpose of all things. Each lesson asks and answers three key questions—Who is God? What is He like? How should I act toward God?—as it presents the theology of God for children.

Faithful to All His Promises
A Study for Children on the Promises of God
TARGET GRADE: 2nd  LESSONS: 40  ESV or NIV
God’s promises are gifts to the believer. The challenge of the Christian life is not to simply know the promises of God, but to place unshakeable confidence in them. This study teaches children that God’s character is trustworthy; therefore, His promises are true and reliable.
Teacher’s kit includes 10 Promise Buttons and a sample of each of the two levels of student workbooks—one for students in lower-elementary grades, and one for students in upper-elementary grades. You will need a promise button and a workbook for each student in your class.

In the Beginning...Jesus
A Chronological Study for Children of Redemptive History
TARGET GRADE: 3rd  LESSONS: 40  ESV or NIV
The Bible is one complete true story that progressively reveals God’s redemptive plan, which comes to complete fulfillment in the Person and work of Jesus Christ. The study begins with a historical mystery—Jesus’ death on the cross—and asks the questions: What really happened here? Why did Jesus die? Who did it? Students go to Genesis and move chronologically through the Old Testament searching for clues that foreshadow Jesus’ coming and redemptive work on the cross. Special emphasis is given to showing that the Bible is God’s story from beginning to end, and that Jesus is the key to understanding the story.

In the Beginning...Jesus Poster Set, available for purchase as a separate item (not included in the Teacher’s Kit), is highly recommended for use with this curriculum. It includes two 32” x 50” layers, printed in full-color, with die-cut windows in the top layer to be opened over the course of the study.

To Be Like Jesus
A Study for Children on Following Jesus
TARGET GRADE: 4th  LESSONS: 40  ESV or NIV

What is salvation? How do you become a Christian? What does it mean to become like Jesus? This curriculum helps answer these important questions by explaining elements of the Gospel message, its purpose, and promise. A major theme is the doctrine of sanctification—the process by which a Christian becomes more and more conformed to the likeness of Jesus.

How Majestic Is Your Name
A Study for Children on the Names and Character of God
TARGET GRADE: 5th  LESSONS: 40  ESV or NIV
The names of God are wonderful revelations of His majestic character. This study presents the Hebrew names of God in the Old Testament and the names of Christ and the Holy Spirit in the New Testament. Each lesson encourages children to see and rejoice in the goodness and greatness of God as they explore the meaning of His glorious names. There are two levels of workbooks available, one for students in lower-elementary grades and one for students in upper-elementary grades.

My Purpose Will Stand
A Study for Children on the Providence of God
TARGET GRADE: 6th  LESSONS: 40  NIV
God is not an idle God. He is continually involved with all created things, directing them to accomplish His eternal purposes. This study teaches children to recognize God’s Providence in their lives and to joyfully trust His good purposes for them. Each lesson reveals that God is the sovereign ruler of the universe whose eye is watching over all things, and whose hand is working in all things. There are two levels of workbooks available, one for students in lower-elementary grades and one for students in upper-elementary grades.

We are soooooo enjoying your Sunday School curriculum! I really knew that the Lord wanted us to do this curriculum, and my teachers wanted to “beef up” what we were teaching the kids. The biggest thing was they did not think the kids could “do the work,” but I convinced them that we underestimate what the kids can do. And the kids rose to the occasion! Thank you for everything!
—Children’s Ministry Director from Ohio

It has been a privilege to teach through the CDG curriculum as a Sunday school teacher at my church. I enjoy simply preparing for the lessons each week. It encourages me in my own walk with Christ and has made me realize that there is always something to learn about the character of our God.—Teacher from Germany

Your focus on God as the main character has changed my focus! The notes in the teacher’s manual have been very instrumental in the passage opening up for me. I read them and the text over and over again, and then it becomes alive. The Holy Spirit is there to open His Word, but he uses this curriculum to assist! The gratitude in my heart is overwhelming and then I realized, “It goes to God!” I can thank God for your ministry!—Teacher in Tennessee
Midweek Bible Curricula

Midweek studies provide a “practical theology” to see how God reveals Himself and how Christians should live in response to God’s call. Workbooks, Scripture memory, and parent pages reinforce lesson themes. Buttons and badges encourage additional activities for understanding and life application.

He Has Been Clearly Seen
A Study for Children on Seeing and Delighting in God’s Glory

TARGET GRADE: K  LESSONS: 26  NIV

All creation gives powerful testimony to the greatness and worth of the one, true, eternal Creator. With special attention given to the Genesis account, the goal of this study is that children view creation as a wonderful gift from a good and loving Creator who wants them to see, understand, and delight in His glory.

I Stand in Awe
A Study for Children on the Bible

TARGET GRADE: 1st  LESSONS: 26  NIV

The Bible is precious and should be valued more than any other book. This study seeks to acquaint young children with the characteristics of the Bible and its message of redemption. The goal is for children to develop a deep affection for the Bible and learn to treasure its Author.

The Way of the Wise
A Study for Children on Wisdom and Foolishness

TARGET GRADE: 3rd  LESSONS: 28  NIV

Proverbs and other parts of the Bible contrast the ways of the foolish and the wise. Students learn about the characteristics and destinations of the foolish and the wise, the meaning of the fear of the Lord, the treasure of wisdom, and the only way to enter the way of the wise—through Jesus Christ. Way of the Wise Banner, available for purchase separately, is highly recommended. It’s full-color, 5½ feet long, illustrates the two paths, and has pieces to add during the study.

Fight the Good Fight
A Study for Children on Persevering in Faith

TARGET GRADE: 5th  LESSONS: 26  NIV

Christians must be fighters in the battle for faith! Study identifies various battlegrounds of temptation, and equips children with strategies for fighting sin. They are encouraged to fuel their faith in God by remembering that strength, help, and victory are assured in Christ. Scripture memory is encouraged, so a set of 500 Fighter Verses is included. A copy of The War for Mansoul (also included), a John Bunyan classic as told by Ethel Barrett, can be read in class or individually by students to earn the Reading for Victory Badge.

More To Come
Children Desiring God plans to develop more Midweek Bible curricula to be available in coming years, for a total of seven Midweek titles.

I’ve been using your curriculum for our Wednesday night children’s program for the past several years. I have found it to provide a depth of biblical teaching missing in other children’s curriculum that I’ve seen. I highly recommend it!—Children’s Pastor from Georgia

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D. Button and Badge Set
   Additional sets are available to encourage children as they continue their studies at home
E. Introductory Audio CD
   On God-centered Teaching
   One per classroom
   $120.00

In addition to the teacher’s kit:

Resource Packet
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Price varies

Leader’s Edition
G. For small group leaders and co-teachers, including introduction, lessons, and appendix

One per additional leader
Printed $70.00
E-Download $40.00

Student Workbook
H. Recommended for every student for use in class and review at home

One per student
Printed $8.50
E-Download $3.00

Buttons & Badges
I. Purchase one set of buttons and badges for each student as an incentive for additional learning activities

Set of five (enough for five students) $26.00

Curriculum-specific component

(Not shown)

THE WAY OF THE WISE Banner
One per classroom
(5½-Foot, Color) $65.00

888.346.4700
Youth Curricula

Youth curricula builds on the framework laid in elementary curricula with challenges for students to dig deep into the Scriptures for insight on how to grow in their faith and live according to God’s plan.

**AVAILABLE FALL 2010** Your Word is Truth
A Study for Youth on Seeing All of Life through the Truth of Scripture

**TARGET GRADE:** 8th  **LESSONS:** 40  **ESV**

In this increasingly postmodern world, “truth” has been redefined to meet the desires of the prevailing culture. Standing firm against the tide is God’s objective, universal, absolute, and unchanging Truth. Study shows how to use the Bible as the authoritative lens to see and understand the truth about marriage, the environment, friends, education, books and movies, sports, money, suffering, war, and everything else. Our hope is that not only will our youth know the truth, but that they will be lovers and proclaimers of the truth, standing firm against the lies of this present age.

**Abiding in Jesus**
A Study for Youth on Trusting Jesus and Encouraging Others

**TARGET GRADE:** 7th  **LESSONS:** 28  **ESV**

Youth are challenged to consider the daily impact of the cross in their lives as they turn from sin in repentance and place their faith in Jesus’ work on the cross. Inspired by John 15, students learn how to remain connected to the true vine, Jesus Christ, so they can bear fruit in their spiritual lives and have true fellowship with other believers. Interactive approach combines teaching and small group discussion, as well as application and prayer. Student Journal guides fellowship time at the end of each lesson, and contains an exercise for students to do at home. Teacher’s Kit also contains Instruments in the Redeemer’s Hands by Paul David Tripp for small group leader preparation.

**Teach Me Your Way**
A Study for Youth on Surrender to Christ and Submission to His Way

**TARGET GRADE:** 7th  **LESSONS:** 40  **ESV**

Students are encouraged to submit their minds, hearts, and wills to God and His ways with this theologically in-depth look at the Sermon on the Mount in Matthew 5-7. Physical realities demonstrate spiritual realities, and engaging questions guide students to discover the truths taught. Interactive approach combines teaching and small group discussions to help students think through critical issues such as salvation and surrender. Each lesson ends with small group application and prayer. Student Journal, for use in class and at home, encourages reflection and application of God’s Word, and interaction with parents as they work through The Pursuit of God by A.W. Tozer. Girls are also encouraged to read Hinds’ Feet on High Places by Hannah Hurnard, while boys are encouraged to read Kingdom’s Dawn by Chuck Black. A copy of each book is included in the Teacher’s Kit.

**During prayer time, the students voluntarily pray and thank God for the curriculum and the writers of it. They are understanding how it builds precept upon precept. I am seeing a hunger and a love for God from my students. Best years ever!**

—Christian Education Director from Iowa
Intergenerational Curricula

These curricula are designed to be taught to a wide spectrum of ages, encouraging people in all life stages to interact and learn from each other as they study the Word of God. Each has 13 lessons with in-depth Bible study and small group discussion. Family devotional guides, to be used at home during the week, help families start a tradition of regular devotions together.

The Righteous Shall Live By Faith
A Study for Children and Adults on the Ten Commandments

Grade Range: 1st through Adult  Lessons: 13  ESV

The Ten Commandments have much to teach us about our great and glorious God. They reflect God’s perfections and heart for His people, and are the foundation of His moral law. This intergenerational study of the Ten Commandments in their historical context examines each commandment while teaching the themes of law and grace. Small group discussions and a Ten Commandments game are part of each lesson. Family Devotional Guide is designed to help families further their understanding and application of the lesson material.

The Righteous Shall Live By Faith Banner, available for purchase as a separate item, is recommended for use with this curriculum. It includes pieces with the text of each of the Ten Commandments to add and display during the course of the study.

Lord, Teach Us To Pray
A Study for Children and Adults on Prayer

Grade Range: 1st through Adult  Lessons: 13  ESV

The purpose of prayer is not to change God, but to change the person praying, as God reveals our sinful hearts, makes known His will and kingdom purposes, and reveals Himself to His children. True prayer is getting to know God better. This intergenerational study on prayer uses the Lord’s Prayer as the framework for teaching. Jesus gave His disciples the Lord’s Prayer to show what should be in believer’s hearts when they come to their Heavenly Father in prayer. This study is not about the correct formula for prayer—it’s about God’s children learning to fellowship with Him in prayer.

I am in the process of teaching the intergenerational curriculum, The Righteous Shall Live by Faith, and our participants love it, as do I. Many children’s lives have been impacted by this message. Thanks for your faithfulness in serving the Lord.—Teacher from Texas

We have been so blessed by your ministry. We have seen the amazing fruit in our children’s lives, and maybe even more in our own lives as the teachers!—Missionary in South Asia

Teacher’s Kit
Each teacher’s kit includes:
A. Teacher’s Notebook
   Includes introduction, lessons, appendix, and Parent Resource Pages
B. Visuals CD
   With printable PDFs of visual resources and Parent Resource Pages
C. Family Devotional Guide
D. Introductory Audio CD
   On God-Centered Teaching

One Teacher’s Kit per classroom $70.00

In addition to the teacher’s kit:

Resource Packet
E. Teaching aids and visuals professionally printed in full-color on cardstock (also available as printable PDFs on the Visuals CD included in the Teacher’s Kit)

Printed (Color) Price varies

Leader’s Edition
F. For small group leaders and co-teachers, including introduction, lessons, and appendix

Printed $40.00
E-Download $25.00

Family Devotional Guide
C. 13-week guide for use by families with or without the curriculum

One per family $9.50

Curriculum-Specific Component

(not shown)

The Righteous Shall Live By Faith Banner

One per classroom (6-foot, full-color) $55.00
Backyard Bible Club Curricula

These five-lesson studies focus on an evangelistic approach to introducing elementary-aged children to the greatness and worth of God. They can used for a neighborhood 5-day program, or easily adapted for VBS. An overarching student project incorporates activities for each day. Accompanying parent pages allow even non-Christian parents to review what was taught during the lesson.

Wisdom Calls Aloud
An Evangelistic Study for Children on Wisdom and the Fear of the Lord
GRADE RANGE: K-6th  LESSONS: 5  NIV

Every day, children are faced with calls of wisdom and foolishness. It is against their sin nature to love what is good and right, and to do it. Only a heart change starting with the fear of the Lord will incline children toward wisdom, and give them the strength to reject foolishness and the lies of the enemy. When they are confronted with the greatness and the goodness of God and stand in awe of Him, and when they are led to the Source of Wisdom through Jesus and embrace Jesus, the Light in a dark world, then they will treasure wisdom and walk in its ways.

Teacher's Kit
Each teacher’s kit includes:
A. Teacher’s Notebook
   Includes introduction, lessons, appendix, Parent Resource Pages, and five additional copies of each lesson for other leaders helping with your program
B. Student Project
   Incorporates activities for each day based on the overarching theme of study
C. Visuals CD
   Printable PDFs of visual resources and Parent Resource Pages
D. Introductory Audio CD
   On God-Centered Teaching
   One Teacher’s Kit per classroom $60.00

Things Hidden
An Evangelistic Study for Children on Kingdom Parables
GRADE RANGE: K-6th  LESSONS: 5  NIV

Jesus’ parables contain glorious, life-changing truth, but its beauty and worth is hidden from those with blind eyes and a divided heart. Using hidden treasure as a metaphor for spiritual truth, this study exalts God alone as the source of spiritual sight and an undivided heart. The goal is to awaken spiritual interest in children, so they seek after and find satisfaction in the hidden treasure of God.

The Call of God
An Evangelistic Study for Children on the Work of God in Redemption
GRADE RANGE: K-6th  LESSONS: 5  NIV

God is calling people to be part of His family. Through the Gospel, God summons people to Himself. Different aspects of God’s call are addressed—both the general and effective call—to make children aware of His call, encourage them to respond in faith, and warn them not to harden their hearts.

God Always Wins
An Evangelistic Study for Children on the Greatness of God in Salvation
GRADE RANGE: K-6th  LESSONS: 5  NIV

God displays His power so we might see His greatness and respond in worship. That is what this curriculum is all about—showing the greatness of God so children come to worship Him. God is presented as the great Victor who triumphs over all enemies, including Satan, death, and sin.

I absolutely love this curriculum [The Call of God] and our great God more because of helping in this Backyard Bible Club. The club is going really well. Thanks for the service you extend to us!—Teacher from Minneapolis

In addition to the teacher’s kit.

Resource Packet
E. Teaching aids and visuals professionally printed on cardstock (also available as printable PDFs on the Visuals CD included in the Teacher’s Kit)
   Printed (Color or B/W)
   Price varies

Student Projects
B. Available in sets of projects for five students. See childrendesiringGOD.org for samples.
   One per student
   Price varies
Parenting Resources

The Bible consistently and explicitly lays upon parents the primary responsibility for teaching and modeling God’s truths to children. The following resources have been designed to help parents in their biblical role and to help churches minister to parents and families. CDG also publishes Family Devotional Guides, which can be used independently or in conjunction with our Intergenerational curriculum (see page 20).

A. Helping Children to Understand the Gospel

Prepare children’s hearts to hear the Gospel; discern stages of spiritual growth; communicate the essential truths of the Gospel message; and present the Gospel in an accurate and child-friendly manner. Also includes a 10-week, family devotional to help parents as they explain the Gospel to their children.

Booklet $7.50

B. A Father’s Guide to Blessing His Children

This instructional booklet and collection of blessings have been prepared with the hope that pronounced blessings will become as common in the Christian home as they are at the end of many church services.

Booklet & 24 blessing cards $7.50

C. Praying for the Next Generation

What kind of legacy do you want to leave for your children? Sally Michael encourages you to consider the spiritual inheritance you can give to the next generation through your faithful prayers, and equips you with a method for using Scripture to pray.

Booklet $4.00

D. E. Preparing Young People for Baptism

Pastor David Michael shares his vision for churches to equip and oversee mentors as they lead their young people through baptismal preparation. In this model, the church responsibly oversees the baptism ordinance without usurping the privilege of spiritual leadership God has given parents. Pastor’s Supplement includes a CD with forms and documents to be customized and used by churches. Order one pastor’s supplement per church and a mentor’s guide for each adult mentor.

Mentor’s Guide booklet $4.00
Pastor’s Supplement booklet $8.00

Bible Memory Resources

The Fighter Verses memory system (available in ESV or NIV) was created to help believers persevere in the fight of faith by arming them with God’s Word. Designed for preschool children through adults, this system allows individuals, groups, or entire churches to memorize and review at their own pace. Bethlehem Baptist Church uses this as a church-wide memory system with hundreds of adults and children committed to memorize one passage per week throughout the year. We invite you to join us!

G. Fighter Verse Table Top Verses
Printed 5x7 cards of the whole Fighter Verse system with color illustrations to use in the home and/or church, especially with children.

ESV or NIV $30.00

H. Foundation Verse Pack
76 illustrated Scripture passages on ring-bound notecards for children preschool through age five, designed to help children understand the truth of God’s Word in their hearts. Use as a home memory program.

ESV or NIV $5.00

I. Fighter Verse Review CDs
Set of 5 review CDs contains all the verses in the Fighter Verses Packs. Use at home, in car, or portable CD player as you learn and review the Fighter Verses.

ESV or NIV $12.00

J. Fighter Verse Songs CD, Set D
Songs written and arranged to be an effective tool to help you and your family memorize and recall God’s Word as a companion to the Fighter Verse Scripture memory system. Music CD contains the ESV Set D (of the five sets, A-E) Fighter Verses.

ESV only $7.50
ESV only: Packages of 10 $60.00

K. L. Fighter Verse Tote Bag
Children can earn a tote bag and stars to attach to the bag by memorizing Fighter and Foundation Verses. Bags encourage children to carry their Bibles and verses to church. At Bethlehem Baptist, the tote bag is an incentive for three- to five-year-olds. They earn a bag when they have five verses memorized and a star for each additional five verses. Blue canvas bag measures 12 x 14 inches.

Tote Bag $5.00
Stars (packages of 15) $4.00

M. Fighter Verse Knights
Five different miniature knights can be earned by memorizing Fighter Verses. Knights remind children that each time they memorize Scripture they are putting on the “full armor of God.” Knights measure approximately 1½ inches.

Packages of 24 $12.00

Fighter Verse Incentives

K. L. Fighter Verse Tote Bag and Stars

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New From Children Desiring God

Youth Curriculum
Your Word is Truth **Available Fall 2010**
A Study for Youth on Seeing All of Life through the Truth of Scripture

| TARGET GRADE: 8th | LESSONS: 40 | ESV |

In this increasingly postmodern world, “truth” has been redefined to meet the desires of the prevailing culture. Standing firm against the tide is God’s objective, universal, absolute, and unchanging Truth. Study shows how to use the Bible as the authoritative lens to see and understand the truth about marriage, the environment, friends, education, books and movies, sports, money, suffering, war, and everything else. Our hope is that not only will our youth know the truth, but that they will be lovers and proclaimers of the truth, standing firm against the lies of this present age.

Free Informational DVD
Children Desiring God exists to equip the body of Christ to spread to the next generations a passion for the supremacy of God in all things for the joy of all peoples through Jesus Christ.

Our main mission at CDG is to spread...In fact we strongly encourage individuals and churches considering using our curriculum to take time to understand the vision that shapes the development of our resources. If you are new to Children Desiring God, this DVD will help to introduce you to this vision. Our hope is that it will also benefit those of you who are already using CDG resources and would like a tool to help communicate this vision to others.

For a free informational DVD, email cdg@desiringGOD.org, or call toll-free 888.346.4700. Also available as a free download online at childrendesiringGOD.org.

Spanish Resources

We praise God for all those who have helped make our resources available in Spanish! As a result of their efforts, children in Argentina, Spain, Mexico, El Salvador, Peru, and many other places, are learning the truths of the Bible from a God-centered perspective. Please spread the word to any church, ministry, or missions department serving Spanish-speaking people that may be interested in utilizing these resources.

All of our Spanish resources are available as electronic downloads. Visit our website to purchase and download resources: nifiosdeseandoDIOS.org

Available Now

**El ABC de Dios**
TARGET: 1st Grade (Ages 6/7)  INTENDED USE: Sunday School  LESSONS: 40
(See page 14 for a description.)

**¡Cuán Glorioso Es Tu Nombre!**
TARGET: 5th Grade (Ages 10/11)  INTENDED USE: Sunday School  LESSONS: 40
(See page 15 for a description.)

**El Llamamiento de Dios**
TARGET: K-6th Grade  INTENDED USE: Backyard Bible Club/VBS  LESSONS: 5
(See page 22 for a description.)

**La Guía de un Padre para Bendecir a Sus Hijos**
TARGET: Parenting Resource
(See page 24 for a description.)

Coming in 2010!

**El Estableció un Testimonio**
TARGET: Preschool  INTENDED USE: Sunday School  LESSONS: 64
(See page 11 for a description.)

**Jesú, ¡Qué Gran Salvador!**
TARGET: K (Ages 5/6)  INTENDED USE: Sunday School  LESSONS: 40
(See page 14 for a description.)

Children Desiring God Seminar
June 2010: Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
David and Sally Michael will share the vision and philosophy of Children Desiring God during a two-hour seminar. Watch our website for details: nifiosdeseandoDIOS.org/events/
Truth. It used to be understood as something certain, unchanging, non-negotiable, unshakable, knowable, constant, absolute, authoritative, and universal. It had “definite edges” and “fixed parameters.” But that truth is no longer “in step” with today’s increasingly post-modern culture. So “truth” has been remade to be flexible and accommodating. Truth is now deemed to be relative and subjective, thereby making personal desires and preferences the only authority.

Though man may redefine his own truth, there is still one, absolute, authoritative, unchanging, God-constructed, God-defined Truth. In the midst of an eroding understanding of truth and an arrogant rejection of an authoritative word, the church must stand firm, boldly proclaiming the absolute authority of the Truth found in the unchanging Word of God. We must pass to the next generation, through the teaching of sound doctrine, by the power of the Holy Spirit, an attitude of humble submission to the Word, flowing from a relationship of love and respect for the one true God, the glorious, all-wise, loving, Author of Truth.

If we want the next generation to know and cherish the infinite value of God and the wisdom of His ways, we cannot be silent. We must hold fast to the Word of Truth. This is the focus of the 2011 Children Desiring God Conference. Join us as John Piper and other speakers and seminar leaders provide practical help and encouragement for parents, teachers, leaders, and all who are invested in ministry to children and youth. See childrendesiringGOD.org for details in months to come.