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VCKC EAST

ALL CHURCH NEWSLETTER

New Here?

We'd love to get to know you!
We don't have a traditional new-member class like some churches, but we are happy to meet up, hear your story and share information about Vineyard Church KC East! Email Jenn- jreese@vckceast.com if you'd like more info.



We Moved!

...to Oak Park HS!
More info below....



Save the Date!

visit vckceast.com for details

- 2/12 Women's Coffee & Connect
- 2/19 Men's Coffee & Connect
- 2/20 Youth Pizza Ranch 5-7
- 2/28 Vision Sunday!
- 3/6 Child Dedications- register at vckceast.com/kids

-Building Campaign-



Expanding Our Possibilities

Goal \$400,000 by 11/1/21

FIRST- The goal has been met! Wow!!! Continued giving to the building fund is appreciated as there will likely be renovations needed to whatever space we find. We are so thankful for your support!

SECOND- New Location! We are now meeting at Oak Park High School (still 9 & 11am) until we can move into permanent space.

We're working hard on every opportunity we come across for permanent space. Please pray for the details to line up for us to find it soon! What we do know is the Lord knows when and where we are supposed to be and we trust

His timing! This move to the school is an exciting step in our process of finding a permanent home! We'll update vckceast.com/buildingcampaign with news about the process. Email jreese@vckceast.com if you have any questions. We are so excited to be on this journey with each of you!



Park in the NW lot and enter through the doors indicated. We will have the coffee, worship and kids' classes ready to go for 9 & 11am!

February 27 is our annual Vision Sunday Service! Our leadership team has been seeking God for what he has for our church this year, and we are excited to share. There will be music, a message, giveaways, and an exciting announcement! If you call Vineyard East home or are just looking to see what's in store for 2022, be sure to join us!

Coffee & Connect

No agenda, just connecting with others over coffee!

Womens- 2nd Saturdays, 10am, Opera House Coffee 500 Walnut, KC, MO 64106

Mens- 3rd Saturdays, 8am, Red Apple Diner 211 NW Barry Rd, KC, MO 64155



A NOTE FROM THE DIRECTOR

Hi Vineyard Kids Families!

We successfully made it through a whole month in our new space! Thank you all for being so flexible as we navigate the new space and kids get comfortable in their new classrooms.

This month, preschool and elementary will be going through a 4-week series from the New Testament where they will be learning about Jesus' teachings. Two and three year-olds will also be learning about Jesus' teachings and will learn that he is the best teacher!

We are still looking for more volunteers in Kids Ministry, specifically in Check In, Nursery and Elementary. If you are interested, email me at cblanks@vkckeast.com.

Charla Blanks
Vineyard KC East Kids Director

IMPORTANT DATES

February 20th: *Communion Sunday*

Elementary students will be able to participate in taking communion. The whole class will go into Adult Service, and those children who have made the decision to follow Jesus will be able to take communion. Please have a conversation with your child(ren) before January 16th, so teachers will know which children will be participating.

March 6th: *Child Dedications*

If you are interested in having your child dedicated, go to the following link and fill out the form:
<https://vckceast.churchcenter.com/people/forms/201365>

Nursery/2's & 3's

During the month of February, little ones will learn that Jesus is the best teacher because He teaches us how to live God's way. When we obey Jesus, it's like building a house on a super strong rock. They will focus on the memory verse, "You call me 'Teacher' and 'Lord.' That is what I am..." John 13:13

Pre-K/Kindergarten & Elementary

February 6th: This week, kids will learn about how and why Jesus called the disciples. They will learn that following Jesus is the opposite of following ourselves.

February 13th: This week, kids will learn what Jesus had to say about blessings and woes. They will learn that our struggles bring us closer to Jesus

February 20th: This week, kids will learn that Jesus wants us to love our enemies. They will learn that our enemies help us learn to love.

February 27th: *Pre-K/Kindergarten* kids will learn who Jesus is through the transfiguration. They will learn that Jesus is with us even though we can't see him.

February 27th: *Elementary* kids will be learning the same thing as the adults for Vision Sunday. They will learn about the Old Covenant/Old Creation vs. the New Covenant/New Creation.



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A note from the Director

Hi there, I'm Lindsey! I am excited to introduce myself as your new Youth Director. My family and I have been members of Vineyard for over 8 years and almost the entire time I have been getting to hangout with the youth on a monthly basis teaching. My husband Tyler works with the elementary kiddos and our 3 kids, Brecken, Brooks, and Piper keep the nursery and Pre-School teachers busy! I am a native to KC and Liberty HS alum (Go Bluejay's!). I can't wait for the chance to meet you!



Events

February 20th- Youth Dinner and games at Pizza Ranch
4801 N Oak Trafficway 5-7pm

Sermon Schedule

What does "justice" really mean? Is it only about handing out consequences and punishment to the people who have wronged us? How do we balance forgiveness and grace with truth and consequences? In this 4-week series, the story of Joseph will help us see that justice is love in action.

February 6

Justice for All Week 1

February 13

Justice for All Week 2

February 20

Justice for All Week 3

February 27

Justice for All Week 1

Want to join the party?

The youth team is always looking for energetic adults that have a passion for serving with Middle School & High School students!

Email lhammer@vckceast.com to get involved!