

Dear Parents,

Welcome to Walnut Hill Bible Church's Alive! Ministry on Wednesday nights for children 3 years through 5th grade!

Our first night of ALIVE! this year is Wednesday, November 4. Our window for pre-registration is now closed and our Cubbies class is maxed out with a waiting list.

The mission of Alive! is to equip the next generation, both in our church and in our community, to know, love, honor, and treasure God.

The vision of Alive! is:

To impact children's lives, both in our church and in our community, by:

- Introducing them to the Gospel
- Teaching them to hide God's Word in their heart (Bible verse memorization)
- Praying for them.
- Leading them on a path to accepting Christ as their Savior.
- Teaching them to develop a life-long personal relationship with Christ that brings meaning to life.
- Providing a safe, secure and loving environment
- Helping them to live out their faith through Scripture memorization and the practical application of Biblical Truths.

ALIVE! PRE-K will continue using the AWANA Cubbies program for 3 and 4 year olds who are fully potty trained. As stated above, the class is capped at 15 this year; others will be placed on a waiting list. Cubbies parents will receive a separate email

ALIVE! K-5TH GRADE As in the past, we will be using the "Elements" curriculum from D6 (Deuteronomy 6). "Elements" is a large group/small group format curriculum designed to help kids learn the essential building blocks they need to become spiritual champions for Christ It uses monthly topics that are both personally relevant and biblically sound. More information about the curriculum may be found here

<https://d6family.com/elements/>

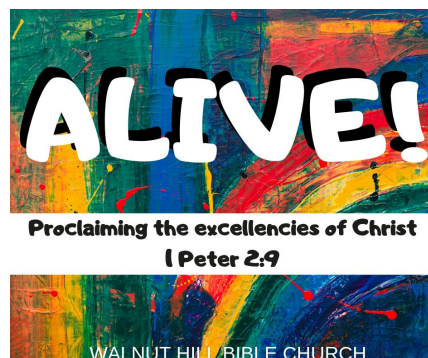
WHAT WILL THE ALIVE! K-5TH GRADE PROGRAM LOOK LIKE ON WEDNESDAY NIGHTS?

The format will be similar to last year and will consist of Large Group lesson time, Small Group time, gym/activity time and ends with worship in the Fellowship Hall. Children will be seated at tables and distanced from each other in both large and small groups. **Masks are recommended, but not required.** **Hand sanitizer will be available and encouraged.**

We will begin **promptly at 6:15 and end at 7:55.**

6:00-6:15 will be check-in time.

Bible Memorization is so important to us! Because the monthly theme verses are brought up each week in the teaching, and kids can work on it during the month at home, every child will have the opportunity to memorize and understand these key verses. There are also other optional memory verses that support what they learn each week. Because we anticipate many kids accomplishing this, we have set aside 6:00 to 6:15 as verse recitation time. This allows our small group time to be an application of the big group lesson as well as relationship building between students and teachers.



There are no uniforms, books, or book bags for Alive!

COST: FREE

We will have a number of ways to earn “Banana Bucks” to spend at our Alive! Store through verse memorization.

We will have “themed” nights as we have done in the past. The kids love ‘em!

Children will be picked up personally by parents each Wednesday evening at 7:55 in the Fellowship Hall.

COMMUNICATION:

We have an Alive! Facebook page (closed group) that you may join to learn more about upcoming Alive! themes, events and more. You can ask questions there, too!

Our email address for Alive! Is WHBCisALIVE@gmail.com.

Parents will be able to opt in to our email list to keep updated on weekly themes, events and important information when they register.

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

We will need **YOU** to ask God where you can be a part of this exciting new season for our kids!

CURRENT NEEDS:

Must be Child Safe Certified (we'll help you with that!)

MOST URGENT -

GAMES COORDINATOR

CHRISTMAS CRAFT person(s) for December 9

1 (female) Grade 3-5 GIRLS Helper (This is a MUST.)

NOT AS URGENT BUT STILL NEED...

CLASSROOM HELPERS as follows:

2 Cubbies Corallers

1 (female) Helper for Grade 1-2

2 (one female, one male) floaters

LISTENERS from 5:50 to 6:15 p.m. at our **Banana Bucks Booth** for Verses. Listen to verse recitation and check off when completed. This is a great place to plug in for those who are coming in for other activities such as choir. :-D

ALSO NEEDED:

4 Craft assistants (helping hands)

Please consider partnering with us as we honor Christ and minister to His children! Email us or call us at the contact information listed below.

Together for His Kingdom,

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