

## ***Scriptures, Hymns and Lots of M's***

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*Whatever your task, put yourselves into it as done for the Lord, and not for your masters.* – Colossians 3:23

### **Re-visioning your program with your ministry team:**

Children's Minister & Children's ministry team

Music Minister & Music team

Children's Music Coordinator

### **Develop a plan based on current and future needs:**

Number of children and age-groupings

Available facilities/resources

Volunteers and support personnel

### **CAM3 – Children Active in Music, Missions, & Ministry (formerly called WAM3)**

Celebration – grades K-1

Jubilation – grades 2 – 4

Exaltation – grades 5 – 6

(Preschoolers have their regular music time, missions education time, and free play.)

### **Rotation Times for each group each week includes:**

Music (choir) time

Activity time – can be music, art, crafts, or other

Missions or ministry time – working on specific mission projects; missions education; Bible drill; etc.

Closing Together/Devotional Time – all ages

### **Related Themes/Activities**

T-shirts – color coded by age groups

Theme verse: Colossians 3:23

Semester emphasis: Fall 2013 – The Fruit of the Spirit; Spring 2014 – Philippians 4:8;  
2014/2015 *Living in the Light* (John 8:12 & Matthew 5:16);

Yearly emphasis: 2015/2016 – we will be using *Choosing God's Way* (Psalm 46:10) & making direct connections to our church-wide theme: *Love Your Neighbor*.

## Missions/Ministry Projects

Open Hands  
Backpacks  
Welcome Bags for Visitors  
Operation Christmas Child  
Family Caroling Night  
A Taste of Balama – music and art projects  
Bird houses for shut-ins  
Spring Dinner “Theater” for Missions barbecue fundraiser

## Other related ideas

*Hymns ‘n’ M & M’s Hymn Memory – Games, take home cards, Hymn ‘n’ M&M-nal;*  
**Growing in Grace** has hymns built into the curriculum, or select your own.  
Theme Scripture memory – scripture cards; add rhythm, body percussion and instruments to aid memory.

## Sources/Resources

### Growing in Grace Children’s Music Curriculum

**Step by Step** – Resource from **Growing in Grace**; tips, theme art, fall and spring programs

**The Chorister** – Become a Choristers Guild member and receive subscription.

Devotionals – **Growing in Grace** and **The Chorister**; **Chuck Knows Church**; **Farmer Fred**

*pp* *p* *mp* *f*

Be still. (be) (still) Be still. (be) (still) Be still, (be) (still) and know that I am God.

5 *mp*

I am ex-al-ted \* \* a-mong all na-tions. I am ex-al-ted \* \* in the earth. Psalm

9 *p* *pp* whispering...

for - ty six, ten. Be still. (be) (still) Be still. (be) (still) Be still. (be) (still)