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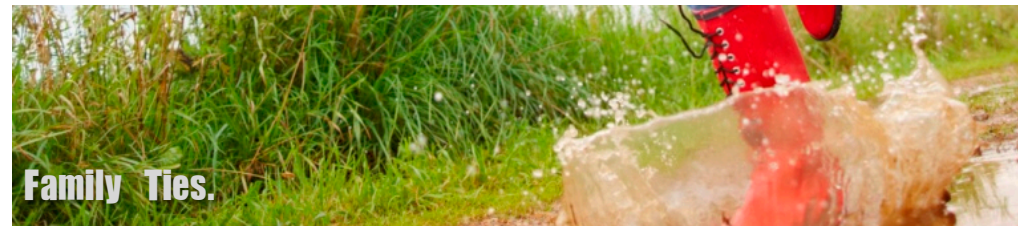
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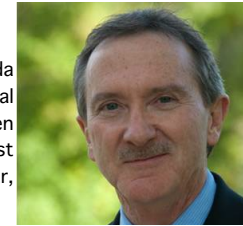
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Crock-Pot Potluck

We're two weeks away from our crock-pot potluck... our retro version of the classic church luncheon. Stick around after the church gathering on Oct 16 and plan on bringing either a crock-pot dish or a dessert (our hospitality team will provide the buns and other goodies). Make sure to sign up for your food item at the Welcome Centre.

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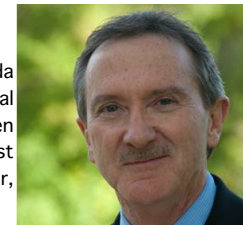
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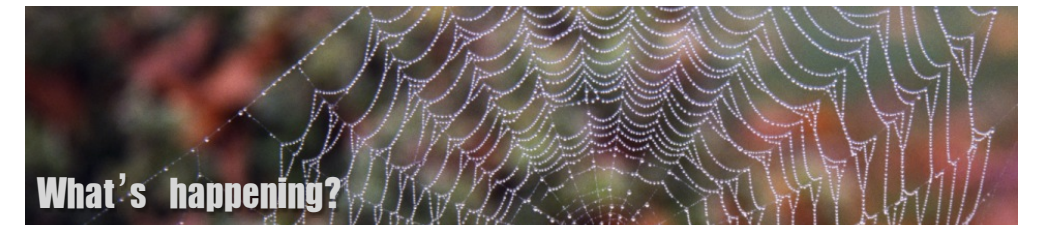
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Membership Info Luncheon

Join us for a luncheon and find out the purpose behind church membership. You'll learn about JRCC's history, theology, and vision and get the chance to interact with our staff and elders. The luncheon is scheduled for Sunday, Oct 30 (directly after the gathering). Childcare will be available for \$2 per child or \$5 per family. Please sign up at the Welcome Centre.

Coffee Garage

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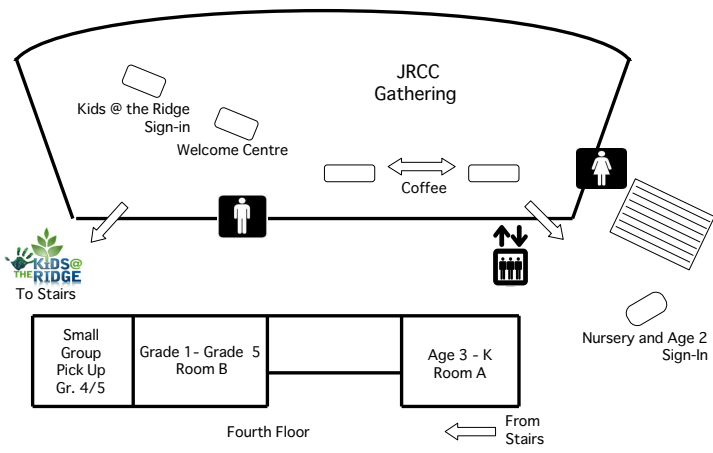
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The Source

During Coffee & Connection Time, the youth will duck out and have some fun with intriguing discussions from the Source (Bible), games and more. Meet Mike at the Welcome Centre at the end of the coffee break and we'll head down to the Rec Centre together.

Fusion Youth Night

It's the kickoff for Fusion... this time with another church added to the mix! Join JRCC and three other churches as we do youth ministry together. Our first meeting is Thursday, October 6 from 6:30-8:30 pm at the Mountainview Alliance Church. Come out for games, worship, and an intriguing discussion. See you there!

Kid's At The Ridge

Please remember our current room locations: the nursery and 2 year old class is located in the Events Lounge (across from the elevator outside the Banquet Hall); the age 3-K class is located in Room A (first room on your right on the fourth floor); and the grade 1-5 class is located in Room B (just down the hall from room A).

The Repurposing Project

Got any kids toys that you don't need anymore? What about lumber? Please consider giving the following items to our children's program: blocks, hotwheels, Lego, plywood (about 4' to use for a display), and corkboard. Ask Ruth Ellen for more details.

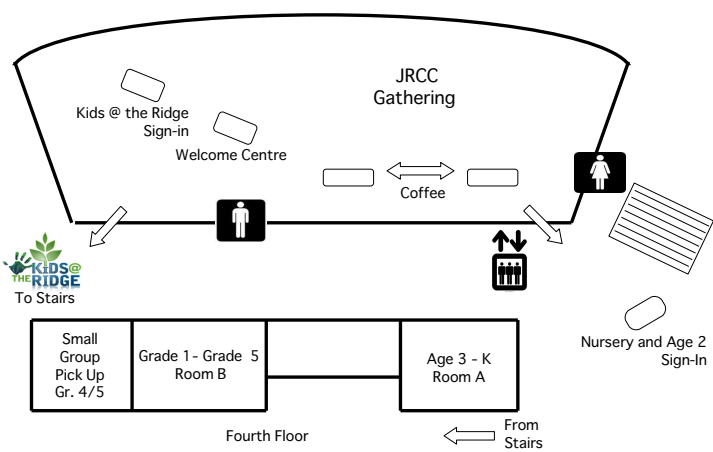
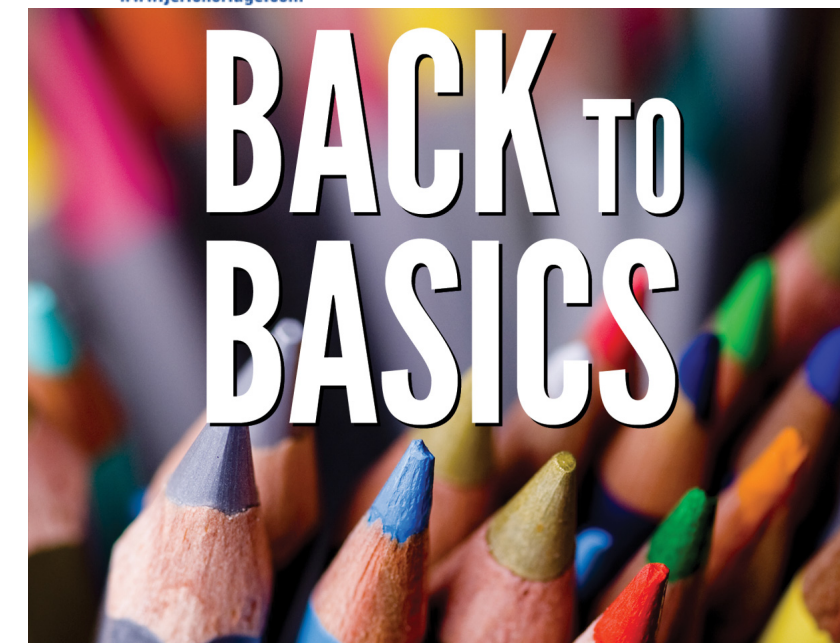
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