**RPC Sunday School & Childcare Information and Covid Guidelines**

**(As of March 2022)**

The guidelines outlined here will continue to be revised and updated as circumstances warrant, taking into consideration the guidelines provided by the Rye City School District.

1. **Registration:** Childcare for ages 3 months through 3 years old and Sunday School for ages 4 - 8th grade are being offered. Contact Rev. JP ([jmarshall@ryepc.com](mailto:jmarshall@ryepc.com)) or go to the church’s [website](https://ryepc.com/ministries/children/) to register your child(ren) for the 2021-22 school year.
2. **Location:** Childcare can be found on the first floor of the Education Wing. Sunday School classes for age 4-3rd grade are on the second floor of the Education Wing, and 4th-5th grade are in the Library. Middle school meets in the Youth Rooms downstairs in the basement. Grade/Classroom assignments might vary from week to week.
3. **Safety Protocols:** *Masks are optional for everyone.* All classrooms for Sunday School and Childcare will be thoroughly cleaned.
4. **Sick/Symptoms:** Please do not send your child to Sunday School if they are feeling sick, especially if they are experiencing Covid symptoms. If after having been in Sunday School, your child has a positive Covid test, please contact the church. Same guidelines apply for Childcare.
5. **Weekly Signup:** Parents are highly encouraged to sign up their children for Sunday School each week. It is appreciated if parents do so by Friday so that Rev. JP knows who is coming and what the headcount is. This can be done on the church’s [website](https://ryepc.com/article/childcare-sunday-school-sign-up/). As always, parents must be in worship for their children to attend Sunday School. Same process applies for Childcare.
6. **Dropoff/Pickup Procedures:** After the Children’s Message in worship, children will be dismissed to their classes. Parents will escort them to the classrooms and check them in with their teachers. At the end of worship, parents will come back to the classroom to pick up their child. For Childcare, parents may drop-off their children before worship and pick them up afterwards.