



## Crown of Glory Connect Ministry Information Packet 2024-2025

**Connect Ministry:** Where youth experience how Bible stories connect to life!

*Welcome, parents and youth, to Connect Ministry! Crown of Glory is very excited to continue this ministry with our youth! We encourage you to read through this packet. The information will help you get a better understanding of what the Connect program has to offer.*

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### What is Connect?

Connect is a two-year rotation of Bible lessons created for preteens (4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Graders). It is designed to help our youth connect the individual lessons they have heard in Sunday School into larger concepts found in the Bible. Each lesson will follow this outline:



Students watch a video that blends witty, slapstick, humor and solid theology to introduce the session theme.



As they explore the text, kids highlight, underline, sketch on, search through, and draw in the pages of the Connect Bible.

## Who is it for?

Connect Ministry has an open registration for any 4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> grade youth. Crown of Glory will provide this Christian Education opportunity lead by Senior Pastor Reggie Klindworth. Members and non-members alike are welcome to register for Connect. Youth are encouraged to invite friends and neighbors!

## When is it offered?

Connect is offered on Wednesday evenings from 6:00 - 7:00 pm. Each class will be about 60 minutes in length and include a large group session (25 min), from 6:00-6:30 p.m., as well as a small classroom grouped by grade from 6:30-7:00 p.m. The small group sessions will be led by an adult small group guides and will review the highlights of each lesson.

*Please Note: There is no Connect during Lent (March 5th through Easter).*

## What should my child do during worship?

- Your student will no longer be considered Sunday School age, but rather preteen or pre-Confirmation age. During the weekend they are encouraged to attend worship with their family!
- Worship is scheduled each Saturday at 5:00pm and Sunday morning at 9:00am, from September - May.

## Where can I get more information on the Connect program?

You can go to the website:

<http://connect.wearesparkhouse.org>

You can call or email Pastor Reggie

Rev. Reggie Klindworth

Senior Pastor Crown of Glory

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## What is the cost?

- The total cost for Connect is \$40 per youth. Please make checks payable to Crown of Glory and include the following in the memo line: Connect Registration.
- Option to Register and pay online at [www.crownofglory.org](http://www.crownofglory.org)
- We have included activities such as Buck Hill Tubing Night and Skyzone. These events will include a bus to and from the event.
- We also have our curriculum and other fun surprises throughout the program year.
- We would never want cost to defer youth from participating in Connect. Please talk privately with our church leader for scholarship opportunities.

# Connect Yearly Schedule 2024-2025

9/4/24	Connect Orientation at 6:00PM in the church Sanctuary
9/11/24	Unit 1- Beginnings: Creation
9/18/24	Unit 1- Beginnings: Fall
<b>9/25/24</b>	<b>SERVICE EVENT: Connect &amp; Confirmation Food Drive Night!</b>
10/2/24	Unit 1: Beginnings: Suffering & Flood
10/9/24	Unit 2: The Promise: Covenant
<b>10/16/24</b>	<b>NO CONNECT CLASS: MEA FALL BREAK</b>
10/23/24	Unit 2: The Promise: Jacob and Esau
<b>10/30/24</b>	<b>FAMILY NIGHT: IMPROV SHOW!</b>
11/6/24	Unit 2: The Promise: 12 sons
11/13/24	Unit 2: The Promise: Joseph
<b>11/20/24</b>	<b>EVENT NIGHT: SKYZONE!</b>
<b>11/27/24</b>	<b>NO CONNECT CLASS-THANKSGIVING BREAK</b>
<b>12/4/24</b>	<b>SERVICE EVENT: CHRISTMAS GIFT NIGHT AT TARGET</b>
12/11/24	Unit 3: Freedom: Moses & The Exodus
<b>12/18/24</b>	<b>SERVICE IN THE COMMUNITY: CAROLING NIGHT</b>
<b>12/25/24</b>	<b>NO CONNECT CLASS CHRISTMAS BREAK</b>
<b>1/1/25</b>	<b>NO CONNECT CLASS NEW YEAR'S BREAK</b>
1/8/25	Unit 3: Freedom: Commandments
1/15/25	Unit 3: Freedom: Promised Land
<b>1/22/25</b>	<b>EVENT: BUCK HILL TUBING NIGHT!</b>
1/29/25	Unit 4: Kings & Prophets: Judges
2/5/25	Unit 4: Kings & Prophets: David
2/12/25	Unit 4: Kings & Prophets: Prophets
2/19/25	Unit 4: Kings & Prophets: Solomon's Temple
2/26/25	Unit 5- Conquered: Diaspora
<b>3/5/25</b>	<b>ASH WEDNESDAY Worship Service at 6:30 p.m. NO CONNECT CLASS</b>
3/12/25	Lent 2: Worship service at 6:30pm <b>NO CONNECT CLASS</b>
3/19/25	Lent 3: Worship service at 6:30pm <b>NO CONNECT CLASS</b>
3/26/25	Lent 4: Worship service at 6:30pm <b>NO CONNECT CLASS</b>
<b>4/2/25</b>	Lent 5: Worship service at 6:30pm <b>SPRING BREAK-NO CONNECT CLASS</b>
<b>4/9/25</b>	Lent 6: Worship service at 6:30pm <b>NO CONNECT CLASS</b>
<b>4/16/25</b>	<b>Holy Week-NO CONNECT CLASS</b>
4/23/25	<b>EVENT: FMSC AT CHANHASSEN LOCATION Meet @ FMSC</b>
4/30/25	Unit 5- Conquered: Return
<b>5/7/25</b>	Unit 5- Conquered: Caesar
5/14/25	<b>END OF YEAR CELEBRATION</b>