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| Happy New Year! We can't wait to get started on a new year of ministry with you and your kids. |

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| Here’s what’s coming up in our ministry . . .**JANUARY 15, 2023: PARENT OPENHOUSE (IMMEDIATELY AFTER CHURCH)**This month, we are hosting a get-together for parents to encourage you and talk about how we can better partner with you in helping kids grow their faith! This meeting will last about 45 minutes to an hour. We hope to see you there!**JANUARY 29, 2023: YOUTH SUNDAY**The youth will take over service again. From the greeters to the alter call, our youth will continue to get practice with serving in our main sanctuary. Our guest speaker will be Rev. Keith Turner. |

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| **MEASURE UP:**A 5-WEEK SERIES FROM THE GOSPELS ON **JESUS' EARLY LIFE & MINISTRY****SERIES OVERVIEW:**“When I’m older!” “When I’m taller!” Every kid is excited to grow up — even if it’s just to finally ride that big kid roller coaster they’ve had their eye on. This five-week series is about another kid who grew up — Jesus! Through stories from Jesus’ early life and ministry, kids will learn five important truths to help them continue growing: **God guides us to safety, we can love God with our actions, we can follow Jesus, God makes us ready at the right time,**and **God's words help us make wise choices.****DOWNLOAD THIS MONTH’S FAMILY GUIDE**

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| Scaffolding is an essential piece of any large construction project. Within an intentional structure that supports the work and the workers for a while, and then can be easily removed when it's time for the building to stand on its own — the project could never be completed. CHECK OUT this amazing book for some ideas as to how parenting may have more in common with scaffolding than you think. |

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| Each month I want to recognize the volunteers that help keep this ministry afloat. This month we spotlight Sis. Emiley Davis. Emiley serves both the teens and children of Mount Zion. Since day one she has been an amazing asset to the team. She is humble, knowledgeable, passionate about youth. She serves faithfully and is always present when needed. We honor her service and dedication to our team!  |

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