



## BIBLE SUMMER CAMP 2022

### OVERVIEW

This year's Bible Summer Camp is a 6-week interactive curriculum. Children will spend the next few weeks exploring what it means to be Christ-like in our world today. This year's curriculum, which is intended to replace Sunday School lessons during the summer months, divides the lessons between Younger children (Kindergarten to 3rd Grade) and Older children (4th and 5th Grade).

The curriculum for younger children, *Journey with Saint Paul*, takes them on a trip with the Apostle as he visits the cities where our earliest churches were built. As children travel with the Apostle, they will learn how he addressed challenges of the early churches in Corinth, Galatia, and Ephesus, and how they can apply his lessons in their daily lives today.

For older children, the curriculum focuses on *Identity in Christ*. This year, more than ever, there is a need to address social and emotional issues that children are facing in our post-COVID world. Each lesson, based in scripture from the Pauline Epistles, will teach children how to handle day-to-day challenges and encourage a Christ centered self-reflection. Lessons will be discussion based, with scenarios that include practical and spiritual applications. Week by week, children will learn that in an ever-changing world, their identity in Christ never changes.

Both curriculums will be available to access through the Diocese of Los Angeles, Coptic Sunday School app under the "Bible Summer Camp" tab and on the Coptic Education website. **The younger children's curriculum will be available by June 3rd. The older children's curriculum will be available by June 13th.**

Churches will also be able to purchase supplemental resources such as posters and activities for the curriculums on the Coptic Education Website.

**Supplemental resources for the Younger Children's material (kinder to 3rd grade) will be available to order between May 30th and June 7th. They will be shipped to ONE address per church. Supplemental resources for Older children's material (4th to 5th) will be available to order June 10th to June 17th on the Coptic Education Website. They will be shipped to ONE address per church.**