

First Presbyterian- children's music

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Children's Choir families,

Just look at the plans for our choristers!

Children's Choir Spring 2024

We have a very special anthem to share on April 21. We will be singing with the adult choir, the youth handbells, the piano, and the organ! The lyrics and a recording link are available below.

We will be doing an updated video recording for our church family to share with family and friends on their birthdays. The children have made suggestions on how to improve our video.

Children's Choir Fall 2024

Our first rehearsal will be earlier than usual just like the start of the school year. We'll see everyone on August 28th!

Children's Choir Festival is back!! This is an overnight trip to Richmond, Virginia on November 15-16. The festival is for grades 3-7. We LOVE the clinician that will be working with the children.



Upcoming Events

April 10, 17, 24 & May 1

5:50 regular rehearsals

April 21

Choir sings for 9:30 service!

May 1

5:50 Final rehearsal, video recording session and celebration of 2023-24

August 28

First rehearsal of 2024-25!

November 15

Children's Choir Festival



April 21, 2024

Learn the Lyrics: “Look Around”

Chorus: Look! Look around! Look around at this holy place.

Look! Look all around! Thank you, God, thank you, God.

Thank you, God for the beauty and the space.

Look at the windows, with colors of rainbows, symbols of promise,
assuring God's love.

Look at the table, the cross and the candles. “The light of the
world,” God's gift from above.

Chorus

Look at the people singing and praying, receiving forgiveness,
beginning anew.

Look at the babies in arms of their parents: their baptism tells them,
“God's love lives in you.”

Chorus

So, fathers and mothers, sisters and brothers, grandpas and
grandmas and all of the others: Let us sing a song, a hymn of
adoration.

Joyful, joyful, we adore thee, God of glory, Lord of love:

Hearts unfold like flowers before thee, opening to the sun above.

Melt the clouds of sin and sadness, drive the dark of doubt away.

Giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day.

Chorus/Ending

Practice Recording - Look Around



Save the Date!

November 15-16, 2024

Children's Choir Festival in
Richmond, Va.

Our clinician will be Karol
Kimmel.

We will learn a series of
anthems before the festival.
Singing these anthems with
children from other choirs is
an invaluable experience for
the children.

The general plan is to leave
after school on Friday. We
stop for dinner on the way.
We try and check into the
hotel by 8:30ish.

We will need some parents
to go along.

The festival time is Saturday
morning with a concert
around 12:00. Everyone
heads home on Saturday
afternoon.

[More specific details later!](#)