

## WHAT IS STREET 2:52?

Street 2:52 is the children's Sunday School program at Zion Baptist Community Church. It's a place where kids:

- Experience the teachings and stories of the Bible
- Grow in knowledge and understanding of God
- Nurture a lifelong transforming relationship with God
- Experience community

## WHAT HAPPENS ON STREET 2:52?

- Kids study the same story for several weeks so that they form a deep knowledge of God's word and its application to their lives
- Bible stories are taught as children rotate through workshop style stations that are designed to teach through a wide variety of learning styles. We have cooking, art, games, computers, movies, drama and more!
- Kids are invited to participate in two workshops each Sunday (9:30 & 10:45)

## PRESCHOOL PROGRAM:

- Preschoolers are invited to join Street 2:52 in September of the year they turn three - late or early starts can be arranged when needed.
- Preschoolers participate in a modified program that cares for their special stage in life and development.
- Bible stories are taught through creative storytelling, hands-on activities and freeplay.

## FAQ'S

### I'M A PARENT, WHAT'S MY RESPONSIBILITY?

Street 2:52 cannot run without volunteers. **If your family considers Zion your church home** and you have children in the program we ask that you sign up for a **minimum of 3 rotations per year**. If teaching is not your forte, we'll find something that suits your interests/abilities.

If you are a visitor to Zion, we invite you to send your kids without any volunteer requirement.

### HOW DO I REGISTER MY CHILD?

If your child is interested in attending Street 2:52, registration forms are available at the info centre located in the church foyer. Please complete one so we can get to know you and keep in touch.

### HOW DO I KEEP UP TO DATE ON STREET 2:52 NEWS?

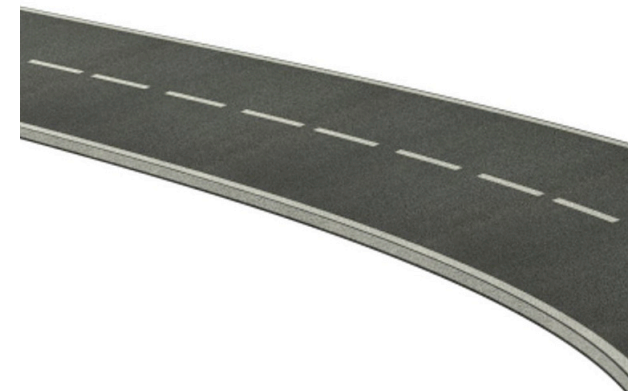
If your child is registered with Street 2:52, we send regular emails throughout the year to update families on special events, stories in focus, memory verses, schedules and other important information.

## CONTACT INFO

EMAIL: [street252@zbcc.ca](mailto:street252@zbcc.ca)  
Church Office: 780-433-8756



**SUNDAY SCHOOL  
AT ZION  
PRESCHOOL - GRADE 6**



## A TYPICAL SUNDAY

Children attend two unique workshops each Sunday morning. Schedules displaying where kids should go are posted around the church. Workshop times are as follows:

### **Workshop #1 - 9:30 AM to 10:30AM**

### **Workshop #2 -**

Children will join their families for the opening portion of the 10:45 service. Children will be dismissed to their workshop from the sanctuary. Parents are encouraged to pick their children up within 5-10 minutes of the service ending.

## WHERE DO I GO?

Street 2:52 is located on the west side of the church building.

The basement contains the following spaces:

- Kids Chapel/Palestine Productions
- Bible Times Square

The main floor contains the following workshops:

- Soul Station
- Thou Art! Studio
- Fishermans.net
- Loaves & Fishes Cooking Company

Our preschool classrooms are located on the upper floor.

## KEEPING KIDS SAFE

Plan to Protect® provides the HIGHEST STANDARD of abuse prevention and protection to organizations servicing the vulnerable sector! All volunteers must be screened and trained in Plan to Protect® before working with children at Zion.

Here are just a few guidelines that will be helpful for you to know:

**DROP OFF POLICY:** Children ages preschool - grade 2 must be signed into their classroom/ workshop by a parent or caregiver.

**PICK UP POLICY:** Children ages preschool - grade 2 must be signed out of their classroom/workshop by a parent or caregiver. Older children will be dismissed to find their families.

**WASHROOMS:** Please remember to have your child use the washroom before class time. Washroom breaks during class time operate on a peer-buddy system with volunteer supervision. Volunteers do not assist with toileting and parents will be requested to assist when needed.

**HALL MONITOR:** We have hall monitors that assist with extra supervision and provide a helping hand to students/teachers. They are also a great contact should you ever need directions or have questions.

**If you would like more information about the Plan to Protect program, please send us an email or give the church office a phone call.**

## FAMILY SUNDAYS

We think attending church services as an entire family is important so we've set up our church calendar to create opportunities for it!

Street 2:52 programming runs from September to June but takes a break on the first Sunday of every month (Communion Sunday/Common Breakfast), on long weekends and on certain holidays (schedules are posted and sent to families regularly).

We welcome your family to stay as a whole unit on these Sundays. Enjoy a family friendly time at the 9:30 REFRESH program (typically reserved for adults) and then attend the church service together. Staying in a service allows kids to participate in or observe worship, prayer and Bible teaching. It also helps kids feel connected to their entire church family.

We know sitting through a service can be a challenge for young children. Activity Binders (located in the foyer) and Busy Bags (found in Soul Station) are provided to help. It's amazing how much a child can learn and observe while "playing" in the pew.