

# Children & Youth Ministry Newsletter

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St. John the Baptist Norway

January 2021



new beginnings

**10am Sundays**

**Sunday School (via Zoom)**

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Hello Families of St. John's,

Happy New Year to you all and I trust that everyone had a safe and happy Christmas!

What a beautiful Virtual Pageant that the children put together! Given the ease of the format, we may try putting together more of these presentations, and then we can post on YouTube (so long as it's only the children's art/words/voices!). [There's now a channel set up here](#), and hopefully we can grow in sophistication as to how we produce material.

So, we will continue to hold Sunday school via Zoom every 10am.

For those who are unable to join, the list of Gospel lessons and video links for the month are in this newsletter.

Wishing you all a very happy New Year!

Elisabeth

## Zoom Information

Sunday School- 10am Sundays

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/213306952?pwd=M2s5ZmdJSHo2VnJWOVJwMGFZZHBWZz09>

Meeting ID: 213 306 952

Password: 3WMJx8

### NEW Family Worship Service

The last Sunday of every month, there will be no Sunday school. Instead, children and teens are invited to participate in the 9am zoom worship service. This is a great opportunity for the children to both integrate and minister to the broader parish.

The service will be designed around children and families, so the liturgy will be relaxed and informal. Participation is key and so we're looking for children to be readers and lead the prayers of the people. We would love to have your children take part! Please let Elisabeth know if interested or else we'll reach out individually. [youth@stjohnsnorway.com](mailto:youth@stjohnsnorway.com)

## January Lessons & Links

Day	Description	Scripture	Link
3	In the Beginning (word made flesh)	John 1:(1-9), 10-18	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qCKm_y-FJqE">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qCKm_y-FJqE</a>
10	John the Baptist appears in the Bible	Mark 1:4-11	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cROnNgHCYQw">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cROnNgHCYQw</a>
17	Jesus calls Philip & Nathanael	John 1:43-51	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9j5CPuAUCAg">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9j5CPuAUCAg</a>
24	Jesus begins his ministry	Mark 1:14-20	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=58Kw8A3wBQE">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=58Kw8A3wBQE</a>
31	<b>9am Family Worship</b>		<b>Children are invited to lead in readings and prayers</b>