Welcome!

We are so excited to introduce you to Volume 2 of the First Steps Nursery Program! This program provides insight and curriculum based on proven methods of teaching the littlest learners in your church and encouragement for their parents to keep the lesson going throughout the week.

Your church nursery should be so much more than a room. It should be a comprehensive ministry aimed at helping to lay a necessary foundation for spiritual growth and development. The information provided within this program is intended to be a springboard from which you can jump into a vibrant personal ministry to the families of babies in your congregation. Adapt this curriculum to meet the specific needs of your ministry and use the tools provided to help your church empower parents to begin forming a foundation of teaching their children biblical truths at home.

D6 IS DEUTERONOMY 6

Deuteronomy 6:5-9 (ESV)

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart. You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise . . . You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

First Steps Nursery Program is an all-inclusive guide for establishing and maintaining a teaching nursery ministry in the local church.

The program materials provide help for setting up a nursery, selecting equipment, recruiting and training staff, teaching toddlers, encouraging parents, and so much more.

One highlight is an emphasis on prayer and Scripture encouragement ideas for the parents and teachers of babies.

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