

Better Brighter Newsletter

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Turning Children to Jesus - One Leader, One Team, One Generation at a Time

Ministry That Multiplies

Multiplying ministry doesn't start with bigger rooms, bigger budgets, or bigger events. It starts with bigger leaders.

When God wants to grow a ministry, He grows the people who carry it. This month, we lean into the truth that healthy ministry multiplies, and multiplication happens when leaders build teams, develop others, and release ministry beyond themselves.

You are not just serving kids - you are shaping a ministry that will outlive you. Thank you for being a leader who builds something bigger than yourself.

March Focus: Ministry That Multiplies

A multiplying ministry is built on three pillars: teams, leaders, and systems. Each one matters, and each one can grow.

1. Build Teams That Carry the Mission

Teams multiply when:

- * Every person knows their role and why it matters
- * Communication is clear, simple, and consistent
- * Wins are celebrated often
- * New people are invited into meaningful responsibility

Kid-Friendly Translation:

Kids grow when leaders grow. Strong teams create strong environments.

2. Develop Leaders Who Develop Others

Multiplying leaders don't just serve - they raise up others.

They ask: "Who can I bring with me?" instead of "What can I do alone?"

Practical ways to develop leaders:

- * Share the "why" behind what you do
 - * Let others shadow you
 - * Give away small responsibilities first
 - * Encourage leaders publicly and coach privately
 - * Celebrate progress, not perfection
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3. Create Ministry That Grows Beyond You

A ministry grows beyond you when:

- * Systems are simple enough for anyone to follow
- * Values are clear enough for anyone to repeat
- * Culture is strong enough to shape new volunteers
- * Leadership is shared, not hoarded

This is how ministry becomes sustainable, scalable, and Spirit-led.

Teaching Spotlight: "God Uses People to Build His Kingdom"

This month's teaching theme reinforces the multiplication mindset.

Key Scriptures

- * Exodus 18:21 - Moses learns to share leadership
- * 2 Timothy 2:2 - "Entrust to faithful people who will teach others also"
- * Ephesians 4:11-12 - Leaders equip God's people for ministry

Big Idea for Kids

"God can use me, and God can use others too!"

Volunteer Teaching Tips

- * Share a story of someone who invested in you
- * Highlight a volunteer in front of the kids

* Ask kids: "Who helps you grow closer to Jesus?"

* Reinforce teamwork in every activity

Leader Development Corner: The Three Multiplication Questions

Every leader should ask these three questions each month:

1. Who am I developing?
2. Who am I inviting?
3. What am I giving away?

Multiplying ministry is intentional. It happens on purpose, not by accident.