

FAITH PATH OVERVIEW

Waterloo Road Baptist Church highly values our partnership with parents as they guide their children's spiritual journeys. The Faith Path program is designed to encourage and equip parents through each spiritual milestone. Ages are approximate and your family can request any Faith Path packet at any time. For questions or additional resources, contact Emily Townley.

Thank you for your dedication to raise your child in a God-honoring home!

- **PARENT DEDICATION (0-2 years)** When a child is under two years old, we recommend a focus on parent commitment to model, teach, and reinforce the Christian Faith.
- **BLESSING (3 years)** When a child reaches three years old we recommend a focus on giving them a blessing.
- **FAMILY TIME (4 years)** When a child reaches four years old we recommend a focus on starting a family time routine.
- **PREPARING TO LEAD YOUR CHILD TO CHRIST (5 years)** When a child reaches five year old we recommend a focus on preparing yourself to talk to them about salvation when they are ready.
- **PRAYER (6 years)** When a child reaches six years old we recommend a focus on teaching your child about prayer.
- **BIBLE (7 years)** When a child reaches seven years old we recommend a focus on establishing a practice of reading and memorizing Scripture.
- **WORSHIP (8 years)** When a child reaches eight years old we recommend a focus on establishing a practice of adoring God.
- **GIVING/SERVING (9 years)** When a child reaches nine years old we recommend a focus on establishing the discipline of giving and serving others for God's glory.
- **PREPARING FOR ADOLESCENCE (10 years)** When a child reaches ten years old we recommend a focus on discussing the changes and challenges of puberty.
- **PURITY (11 years)** When a child reaches eleven years old we recommend a focus on preparing them to cherish and commit to purity.
- **RITE OF PASSAGE (16 years)** When a child reaches sixteen year old we recommend a focus on giving them a vision for their future as an emerging adult.
- **LAUNCH (18 years)** When a child reaches eighteen years old we recommend a focus on helping them launch into adulthood.
- **SALVATION & BAPTISM** When a child makes a salvation decision, this packet provides essential resources.

