



Dear Parents,

SuperStart! is just around the corner. This is a Salemkids event for our 5th graders only! We wanted to make sure you are as informed as possible before signing up your child to join us on this amazing weekend event specifically designed for your preteen student.

In case you've never heard of **SuperStart!** before, here is a quick overview. It's a weekend event produced by Christ In Youth, an organization that has been putting together age-intentional events all over the world for the last 50 years (you can check out their website at www.ciy.com/superstart). **SuperStart!** takes place in a large auditorium, where your child will worship alongside thousands of other students their age. **SuperStart!** is literally an experience they'll get nowhere else, and it is also one of the safest and most well-organized events for preteens in the country!

The theme this year is "Game Changer." Have you ever played a card game or board game and things just looked bleak? Sometimes when we get to the end of a game it seems impossible to win, but then we draw the "wild" card and suddenly it doesn't matter what happens next. You know because of that "wild" card you can get through anything the game may throw at you. It completely changes the way you play. It gives you hope that you can win. It's a Game Changer. A lot of preteens today are starting to feel like the odds are stacked against them. What do they do when they're not sure how to get through what life throws at them?

This year's SuperStart tour is about finding hope in those moments through God's promises. Preteens will learn that when they trust God and hold tightly to His promises, they'll discover the hope that can carry them through any circumstance and into the abundant life of a Kingdom worker. Knowing that changes everything. It's a Game Changer. We're very excited about the teaching this year and can't wait to see what God will do in and through your preteen!

Who: 5th grade students
When: March 6-7th (meet at the church at 4 PM on Friday, March 6th)
Where: Northern Kentucky Convention Center (Cincy)
Students and adult leaders will spend the night at Springhill Suites by Marriott
Cost: \$95 / Includes SuperStart ticket, meals, lodging, snacks and Plug N Play
(Extra \$ for cost of souvenirs)
Registration Due: By February 2, 2019 | Price increases \$5 by 2/21, and \$10 by event | Register online at Salem.church/salemkids (up by 1/1)

We're excited for **SuperStart!** and the amazing experiences we'll have over the weekend. We took a group last year and they LOVED it! If you have any questions that can't be answered by visiting www.ciy.com/superstart, please contact me at o.dixon@salemchurch.org. We will send packing list and trip details out at the end of February.

Sincerely,
Olivia Dixon