

CATHEDRAL INTERNATIONAL MINISTRIES FOR YOUTH



Involvement in church activities is a fundamental part of grounding our children in the Christian faith.

Talk with your child about how they would like to participate in the many ministry options available at Cathedral International.

REGISTER TODAY!

[Bit.ly/YOUTHREG2024](https://bit.ly/YOUTHREG2024)



What Sundays look like for youth...

	1st Sunday	2nd Sunday	3rd Sunday	4th & 5th Sunday
9:30-10:00	Breakfast	No Sunday School. Families Worship Together In Service.	Breakfast	Breakfast
10:00-11:00	Sunday School Breakout Groups		Children's & Teen Church CI Nation	Sunday School Breakout Groups
11:00-11:45	Choir Rehearsals		Nailah Ministry (Girls) Khalfani Ministry (Boys)	Choir Rehearsals



ACOLYTE MINISTRY

Contact: Sis. Khama Davis

Acolyte means helper. Girls and boys, ages 8-21, perform a valuable service assisting pastors and leaders who are in charge of the service.

SERVES: During the 9:30AM Service



BIBLE BEE

Contact: Sis. Leslie Lukoma

Children in grades Pre K—7 memorize scripture and compete for prizes. Grades 8-12 compete in an essay contest for their awards.

STUDY/ESSAY WRITING

PERIOD: Sep. 15—Jan. 5

FINALS COMPETITION:

Feb. 9, 2025



CHILDREN & TEEN CHURCH

Contact: Dr. Valerie Dupree

Children participate in and perform vital church roles to conduct their own church service.

MEETS: Third Sundays during the 9:30AM Service



CHILDREN'S MUSICAL

Contact: Sis. Leslie Lukoma

During the summer, children ages 4-17 rehearse and prepare for a full-scale musical production that is performed at the end of the summer.

REHEARSALS: JULY & August 2025

PERFORMANCE: Weekend of Sept. 6



CONFIRMATION

Contact: Dr. Valerie Dupree

Children ages 12-17 learn the fundamentals of their faith through a series of instructional classes which culminate in a confirmation ceremony.

MEETINGS: Classes take place during Sunday School Feb—June 2025

CEREMONY: June 8, 2025



DANCE MINISTRY

Contact: Min. Sentheia McLeod

Kingdom Dancers (Ages 6-12) and Ladies of Virtue (Ages 13-17) make up our youth dance ministry that serves during our church services and special occasions.

REHEARSALS: Fridays 7PM-8PM

SERVES: 2nd and 4th Sundays





KHALFANI BOYS MENTORING MINISTRY

Contacts: Bro. Cranston Chester
Boys (8-17) develop character, confidence, and commitment to Christ.

MEETS: 3rd Sundays
from 11:00AM to
11:45AM



MEDIA PRODUCTION MINISTRY

Contact: Min. Brian Major
Youth are invited to learn and actively engage with audio, video and computer technologies.

MEETS: During church services and events



NAILAH GIRLS MENTORING MINISTRY

Contact: Min. Sentheia McLeod
Girls (12-17) develop character, confidence, and commitment to Christ.

MEETS: According to a custom schedule



NEW JERSEY ORATORS

Contact: Pamela Banks-Johnson
Children learn confidence and vital public speaking skills as they study the art of persuasion and presentation.

MEETS: Complex,
Tuesdays 7:00PM—
8:00PM



NURSERY

Contact: Seeking Volunteers
Bring your children to our beautiful, safe, and secure nursery. Children ages one-five are welcome.

MEETS: During the
9:30AM service



SUNDAY SCHOOL

Contact: Sis. Karen White
The message of Christ is taught through interactive bible instruction. Breakfast and snack are also served while children have valuable Christian fellowship.

MEETS: 1st, 4th and 5th
Sundays during the
9:30AM service





SYMPHONIC ORCHAstra

Contact: Bro. Nathaniel Russell

Players of brass, percussion, strings, and woodwinds to join our vibrant symphonic orchestra.

MEETS: According to a custom schedule



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Contact: Sis. Karen White

Children are taught the Word of God in a nurturing, creative, and hands-on environment.

MEETS: July 2025



YOUTH CHOIRS

Contact: Sis. Leslie Lukoma

It is a blessing when children sing His praises! Joy Bells (Ages 4-8), Keita Praise (Ages 9-12), and New Generation Teen Choir (Ages 13-18) is where it happens!

REHEARSEs: 1st, 4th & 5th Sundays, 11:00–11:45AM

SERVEs: 2nd Sundays



YOUTH USHERS

Contact: Robert Williams

Youth Ushers, ages 6-13, perform the vital role of greeting and escorting the congregation and guests to their seats.

SERVEs: Second Sundays during the 9:30AM Service



CINATION

Youth Conference

Fall 2025

YOUTH ACTIVITIES TO LOOK OUT FOR:

- INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL
- MOVIE NIGHT
- COLLEGE TOUR
- TOP GOLF
- SKIING
- COMMUNITY SERVICE
- YOUTH LOCK-IN

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