

Dream Teamer, we are so thankful for you, and we hope you're having a splendid week! // Scroll below to directly download your Small Group Lesson. Thank you for serving with Oaks Kids.



Did you make it to **EQUIP**?  
It was fantastic!



**kids weekly**



## **DREAM TEAM UPDATES**

---

### **THANK YOU**

Thank you so much to all of our Dream Teamers who came to EQUIP last Sunday! What an amazing time of fellowship and preparation to love our kids in the way God has called us. We love you all very much!

### **VOLUNTEER PICNIC**

We love and appreciate you and your family, and want to invite you to come to the annual Volunteer Picnic on...



Sunday, October 21  
4:00 - 6:00PM  
Getzendaner Park

We will provide the food and games and love for you to provide the sweets! We are looking forward to seeing you there! Tell us how many you expect to join you by clicking a number below.

How many people (including yourself) will be joining us for an awesome volunteer picnic?

1

2

3

4

5

6

7

8

9

Powered by **Typeform**

## **FREEDOM ONE DAY**

We hope you have been enjoying the Freedom series we have been walking through in main service and in Small Groups. It has all been leading up to this special day for God to bring powerful change in your life!

Freedom One Day  
Saturday, November 3  
9:00AM - 5:00PM

Through worship, teaching, and interactive sessions, you will have opportunities to experience healing and restoration. Be free from fear, trauma, abuse, blame, grief, addiction, and regret through Jesus Christ! You do not want to miss this day! Click [here](#) to find more information and to register.



He goes around not only praising students, but also praising teachers *in front* of students!

In their classrooms, they focus solely on the positive behaviors of the kids, not the negative. I have heard this before, but to hear the results that have been produced because of it changed my mindset completely.

**heart & soul from pastor bree:**

## Positive Reinforcement

Mother Teresa said, “Kind words can be short and easy to speak, but their echoes are truly endless.”

I have been thinking a lot about how much of an impact my words can have on others, not only on the kids I see in my kindergarten classroom everyday, but also the adults I get to speak to on Sunday mornings.

Honestly, this started out of my frustration with my kindergarten classroom management. The students I have been teaching have been through a lot of transition, and I was struggling finding a way to structure my teaching in order to get them to listen (which for kindergarten is no easy task).

I talked to an elementary school principal that gave me some of the best advice I have ever heard. The best method he has found for classroom management is positive reinforcement.

Just after a week of using this approach in my own classroom, I noticed a world of difference. I can't help but think how this could not only affect classrooms, but also affect families and adults as well. If we intentionally looked for the positive things to say to our co-workers, kids, friends, and the people we walk by, how many would be changed because of those kind words?

Ephesians 4:29 says, *“Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen.”*

I challenge you this week, do not become so distracted by the negative the things the enemy throws at you. Instead, be intentionally looking for encouraging words to speak over others and yourself!

Blessings,  
Bree Manning  
Small Group Pastor

**NURSERY & TODDLERS LESSON**

**PRESCHOOL LESSON**

**KINDERGARTEN & 1ST GRADE LESSON**

**2ND & 3RD GRADE LESSON**

**4TH & 5TH GRADE LESSON**

*Copyright © 2018 Oaks Church: Oaks Kids Ministries, All rights reserved.*

**Our mailing address is:**

777 South I-35E, Red Oak Texas 75154

**Our contact number is**

214-376-8208

Clicking unsubscribe below will unsubscribe you from ALL CHURCH communication. If you would like to unsubscribe to this department's emails, please simply reply back to this email.