



*Teaching Kids  
the Heart  
of Worship*

## Do Your Kids WORSHIP in Church?

The time has come to worship God in spirit and truth. We know this, but how do we teach our children to worship? Who even teaches us how to worship? Sunday school curricula teach our children important Bible stories and faith lessons, but often students enter the sanctuary and zone out, assuming worship is not for them. If we want our children to become active worshippers of our Lord Jesus and committed members of our churches in the future, it is our responsibility to train and involve them in worship now.



## The Solution

Spirit and Truth: Teaching Kids the Heart of Worship introduces our children to the themes and words of our worship service. It teaches them what it means to worship God and how to participate in their church's liturgical worship throughout the church year.

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## The Curriculum

Spirit and Truth lessons engage children in active learning by utilizing original skits, stories, and activities to teach the meaning of worship and the liturgical language used in the various settings of the Lutheran liturgies. Half of the lessons walk students through the traditional liturgy and the other half introduce students to the meaning of the major festivals of the church year.

### Early Elementary (PK-2nd Grades)

The Early Elementary School lessons engage students with a Bible-based story each week that teaches the theme in a fun, kid-friendly format. Each lesson is reinforced by activities designed with young children's creativity and energy in mind.

### Upper Elementary (3rd-6th Grades)

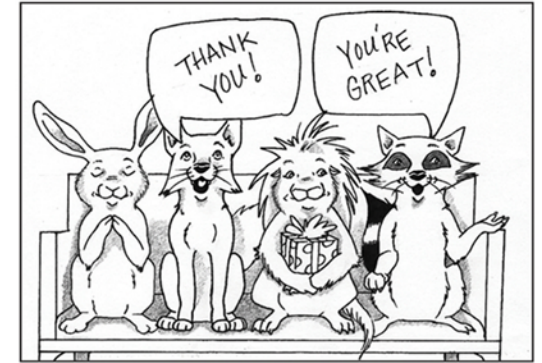
The Upper Elementary School lessons involve the students in teaching each other by acting out an original humorous skit each week. The theme is further emphasized with a short Bible Lesson and engaging activities.

## About the Author

Gregory Rawn holds an M.A. in Christian History and Theology from Luther Seminary (St. Paul, MN) and is a graduate of the Institute of Children's Literature. His theological and artistic experience, coupled with his experience as a father of two, inspired him to create and publish the curriculum. His aim is to create resources to engage our youth in the joy of worship, thereby helping them to mature into lifelong worshippers of Jesus Christ.

## Giving Back

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