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- We take a 10-minute break during the gathering to fill up on coffee, talk with one another, and dismiss children to their classes. We call it [Coffee & Connection Time](#). It's a good time. We hope you aren't scared off by it.
- [Nursery care](#) is available for babies who are 24 months and younger. The nursery is located on the 4th floor past the Sunday Cinema rooms. You can take your child there at anytime and our trained staff and volunteers will put your mind at ease.
- [Kids @ the Ridge](#) is the name of our program for children who are age 2-grade 5. Most 2 and 3 year olds can't be trusted in large concrete buildings, so please escort them to their classroom on the 4th floor during our Coffee & Connection Time. The older kids can line up with their teachers and they'll play follow the leader to get to the same destination. Please visit the check-in table to get your child ready for their class. And be prepared for your child to come home with an assortment of papers and stories to tell. Make sure to ask them what they learned. They might teach you something.
- If you're a student in grades 6-12, you should check out [The Source](#), our small group Bible study that meets on the first and last Sunday of each month in Room 3 of the Rec Centre. You'll want to ask other students about our youth functions on Thursday nights. The group has some awesome times together.
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We'd love for you to fill out a Welcome Card at the Welcome Centre. This will give us an idea of who you are and help us respond to any questions that you might have. It's also a good idea to visit our website, www.jerichoridge.com, and join our weekly e-newsletter group or facebook page. Don't worry, we won't bother you with annoying phone calls or spam mail. Promise.

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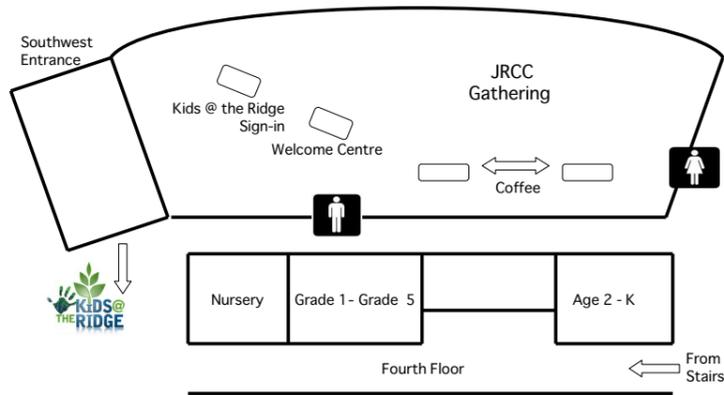
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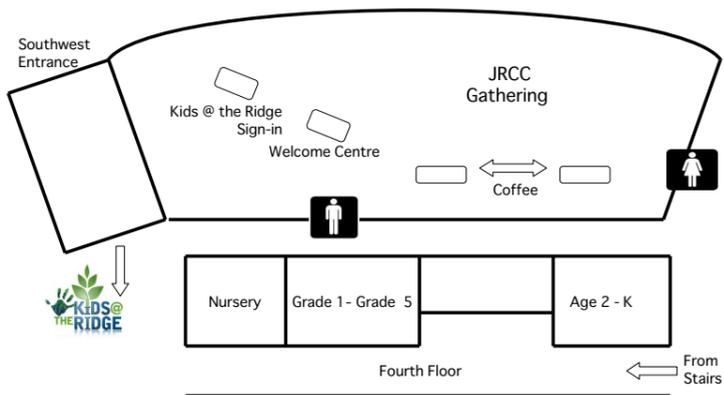


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