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Christmas Gift Guide

Less than a week until Christmas! Instead of giving or requesting a gift that will likely be forgotten, consider giving a gift that has the capacity to change someone's life. We invite you to pick up our 2011 Gift Guide and browse through the various ministry requests of our supported workers from around the world and then submit your order form this week (via the Welcome Centre today, church office this week, or through the mail). We've already received over \$1,000 worth of orders! (The Gift Guide is also available online at jerichoridge.com).

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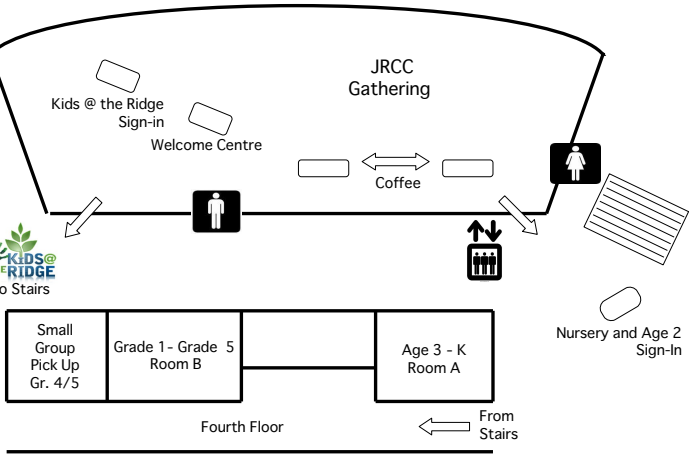
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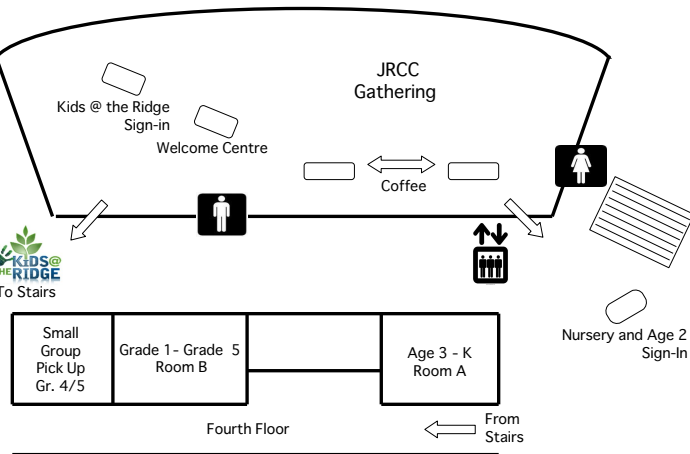
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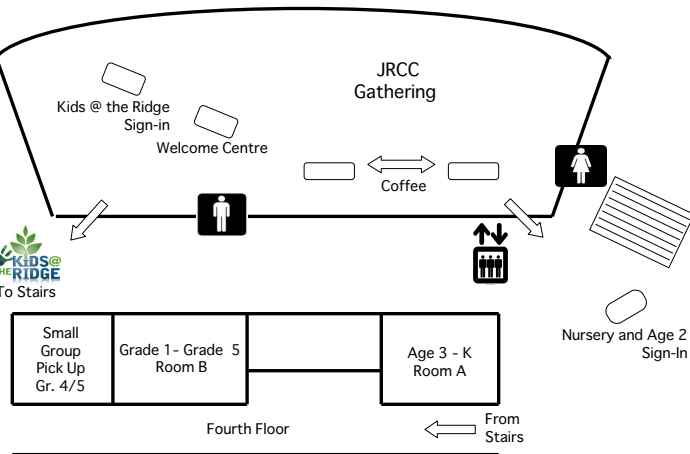
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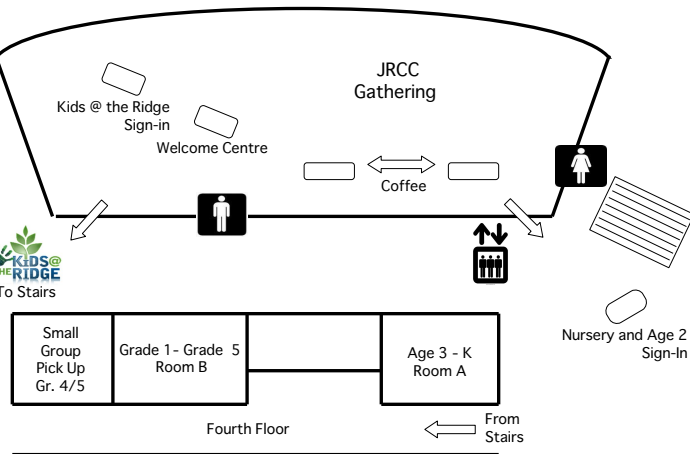
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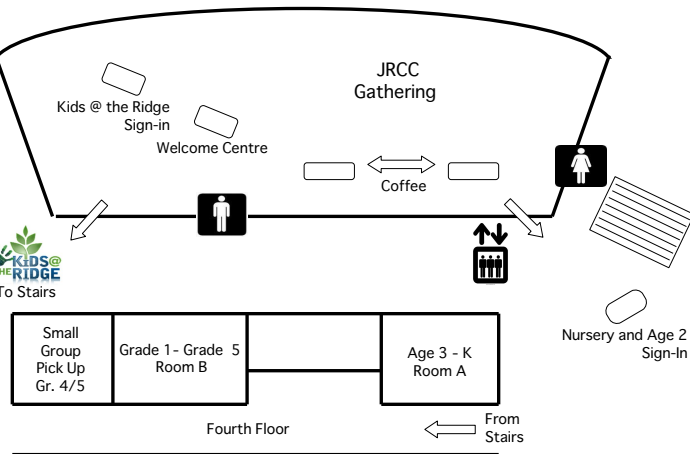
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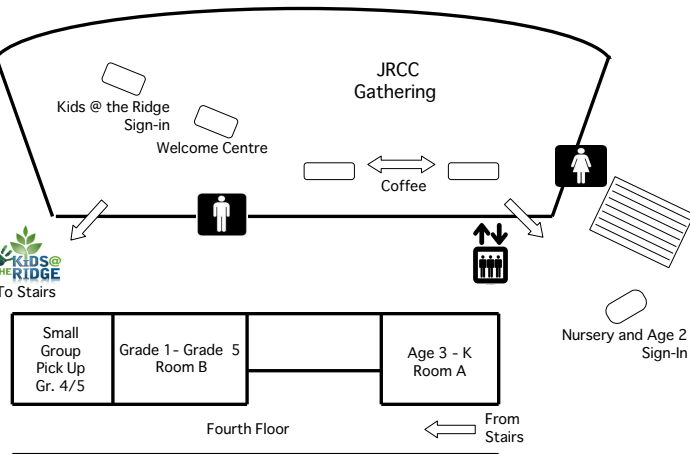
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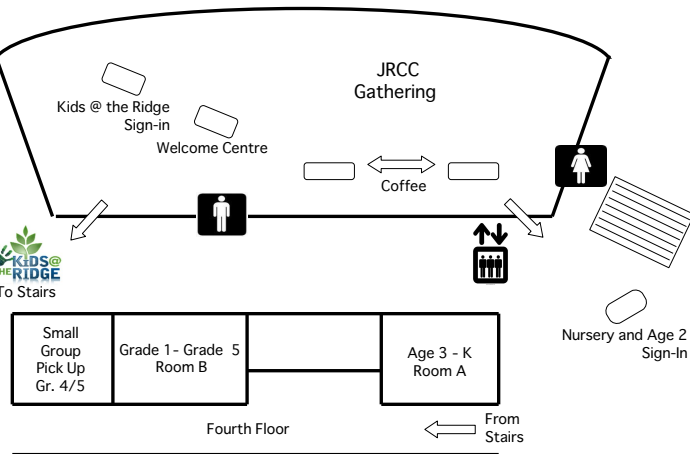
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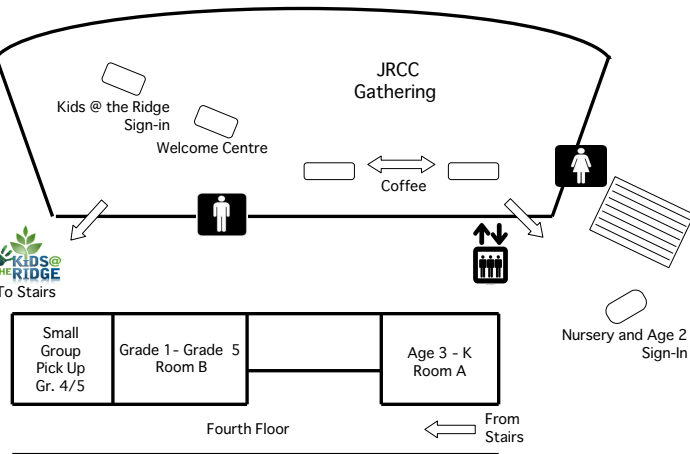
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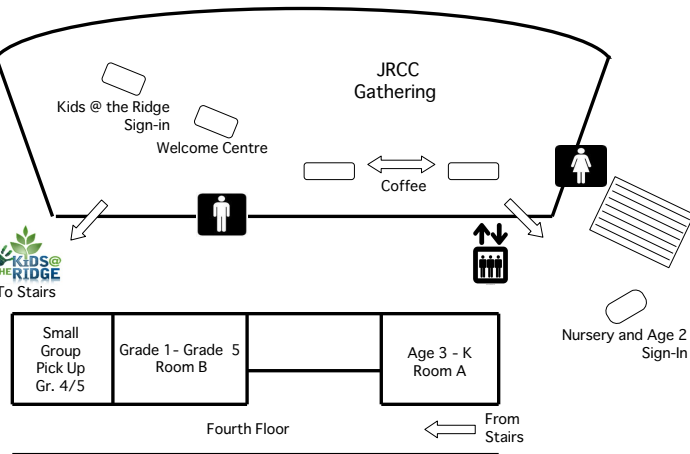
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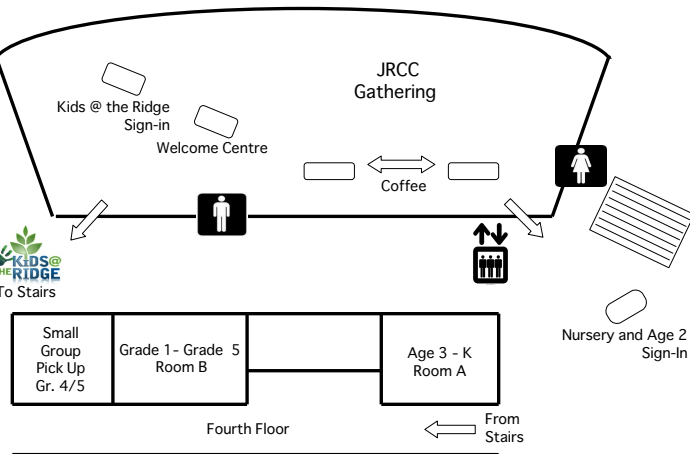
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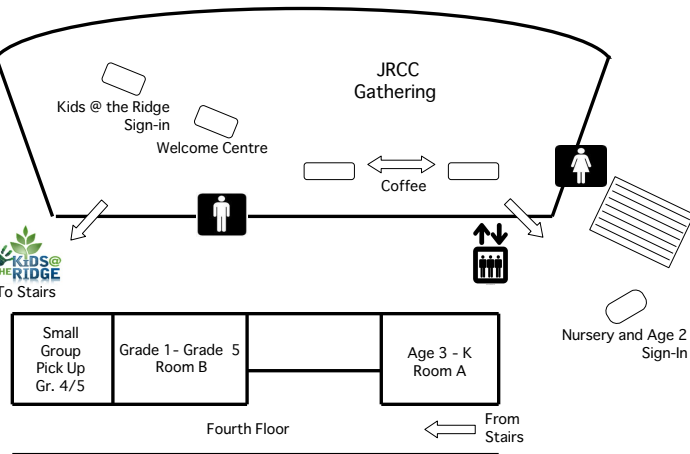
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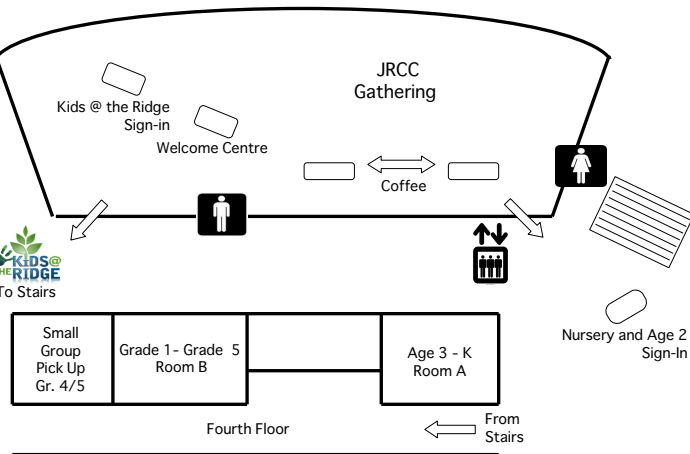
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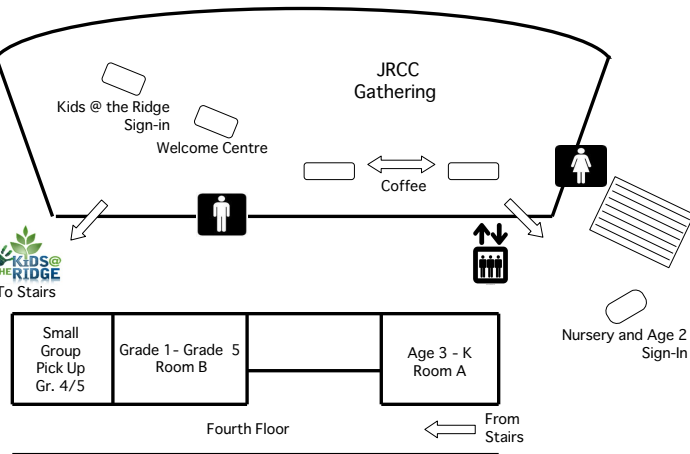
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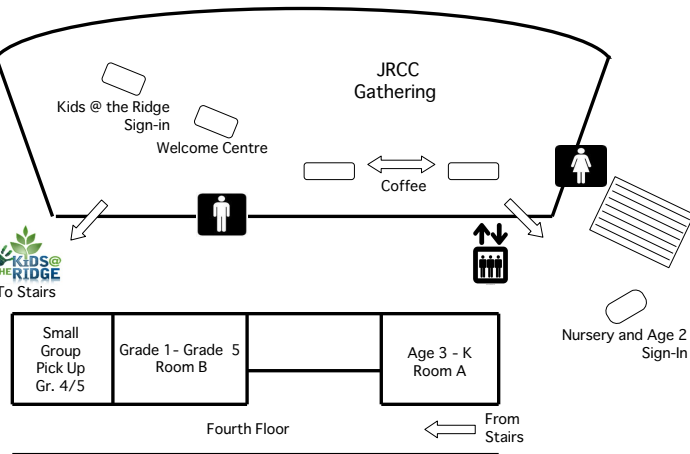
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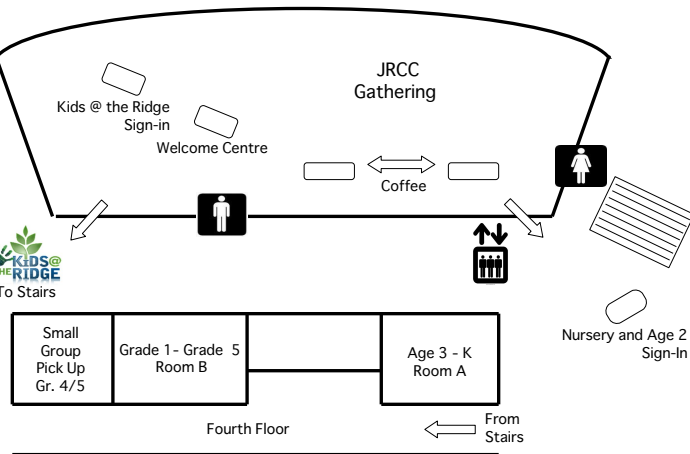
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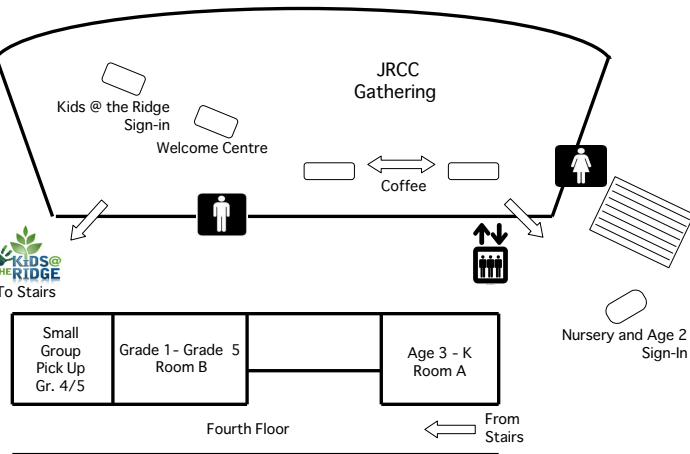
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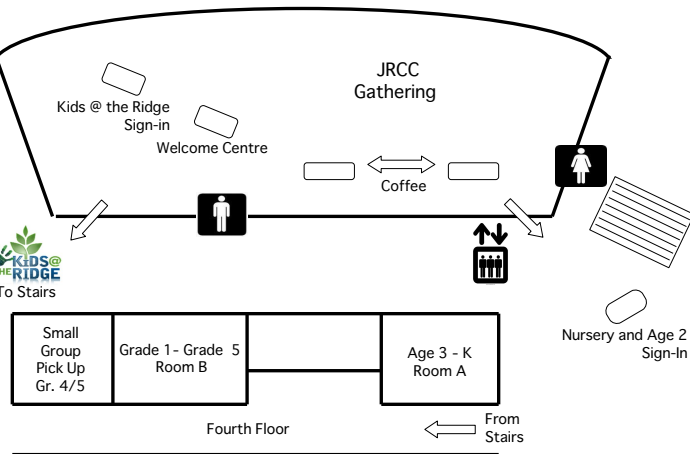
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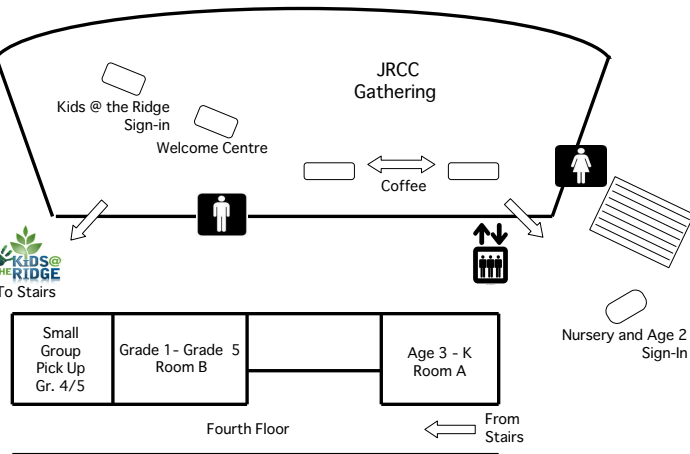
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