



# ZCT SUNDAY SCHOOL PROSPECTUS 2019

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**Our Core Values are:**

**Guide** children to understand and spread God's Word (Proverbs 2 v 1-5)

**O**bey the Word of God (John 14 v 23)

**D**evelop the gifts given by God with a Christ-like attitude (1 Peter 4 v 10)



# Welcome

## From Our Head

"Welcome to ZCT Sunday School!

We hope this prospectus will enable you to make an informed decision about your child's spiritual education.

The department has been in operation for more than 10 years and has always been a fun and safe environment for the students to learn about God's Word.

I have always enjoyed working with young people and ZCT Sunday School gives me the opportunity to work with them week in week out. I enjoy seeing children get excited by God's word.

There's something very unique and special about ZCT Sunday School. It's enjoyable being part of a team that are keen to work for God's Kingdom and are caring of the students.

These are exciting times for the department. We have more than 50 students registered with the department and we can only see that number growing. There are many activities and new initiatives that we have lined up for 2019. I am looking forward to what God has planned for our future at ZCT Sunday School."



Roberto Gocan  
Head of Sunday School

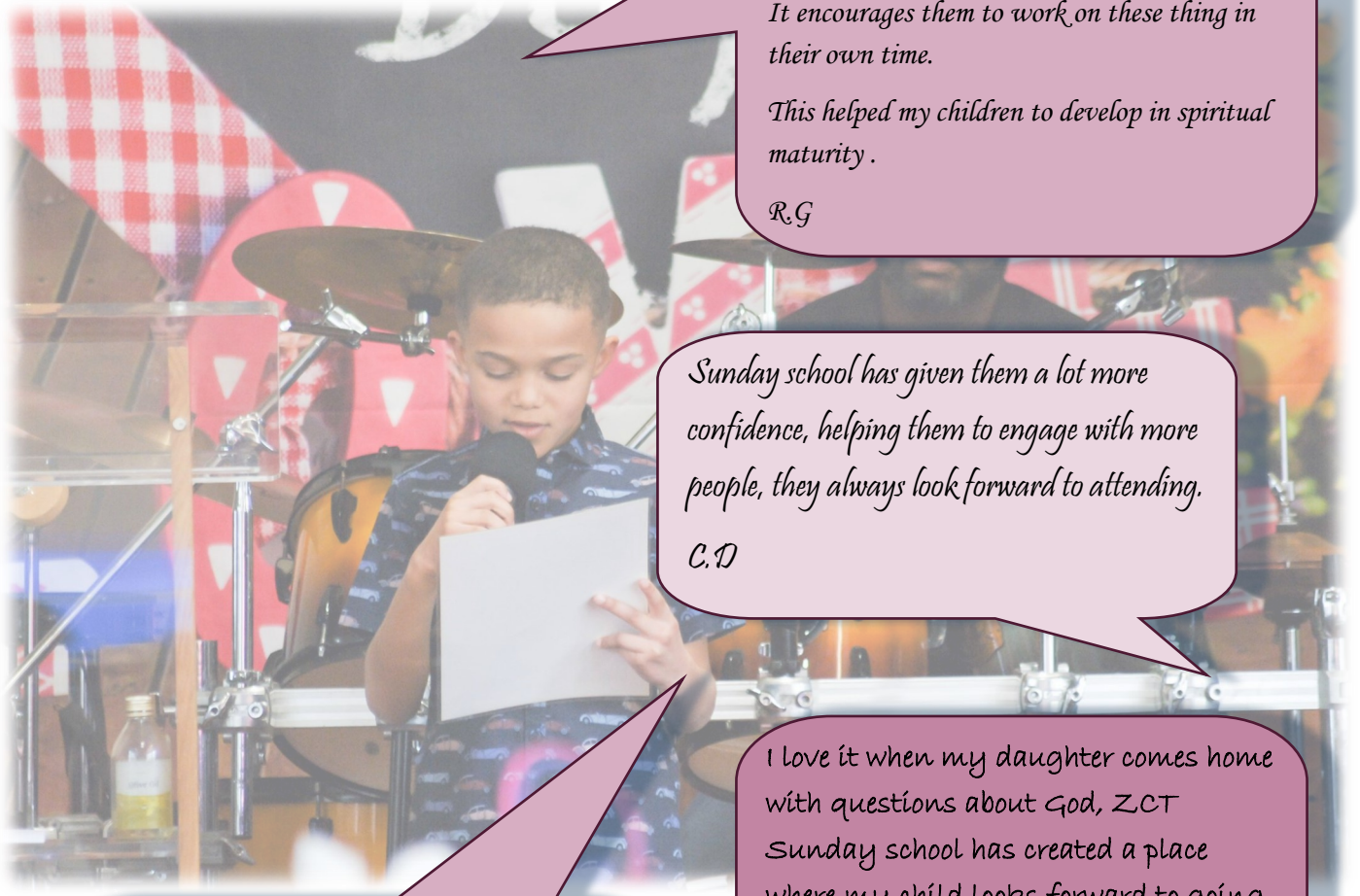
"Please help us pray for willing and committed workers to be commissioned to the work of bringing in the harvest."

# PARENT'S MESSAGES

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*I like the topics that my children cover i.e. prayer & fasting they are relevant & pertinent.*

*It encourages them to work on these things in their own time.*

*This helped my children to develop in spiritual maturity.*

*R.G*

*Sunday school has given them a lot more confidence, helping them to engage with more people, they always look forward to attending.*

*C.D*

Since attending Sunday School she has become more mature in her faith not ashamed to tell her school friends she's a Christian. She understands more about God's character & how he loves us Sunday School has taught her that Christ is important in our lives & that if she gives to him he'll give back ten-fold.

J.W

*I love it when my daughter comes home with questions about God, ZCT Sunday school has created a place where my child looks forward to going, build her confidence and celebrates our faith.*

*C.H*

HAVE YOUR SAY!

YOUR CHILDREN  
ARE OUR FUTURE!

# Sunday School Curriculum

## Topic 1 – Church Characteristics / Principles / History of Christianity / Different Religions

**Learning Objectives** – Dress code / service structure / praise and worship / doctrine / behaviour / lifestyle.

**Learning Aims / Outcome** – Understand how to live a Christian life and applying the word of God through living and understand the doctrine (baptism / fasting and prayer etc)

## Topic 2 – Fasting & Prayer (How God communicates with us?)

**Learning Objectives** – Learn how to effectively pray & fast, what's the purpose, how does God speak to us.

**Learning Aims** – Why do we pray and fast? How do you practically apply what you've learnt?

## Topic 3 – What would Jesus do / The cross (To tie in with Easter)

**Learning Objectives** – Cover the life of Jesus

**Learning Aims** – Gain knowledge of salvation and the redemptive plan and how to live like Jesus

## Topic 4 – Bible study and being a witness

**Learning Objectives** – Obtain a deeper understanding of the bible and how to navigate it / how to use the bible to witness and live

**Learning Aims** – Gain the knowledge required to stand up to what opposes Christianity / Why we believe in God and his word / What you will be able to provide the world (forgiveness love deliverance empowering)

## Topic 5 – Relationships and self-discipline

**Learning Objectives** – Sexuality / friendships / relationships

**Learning Aims** – Understanding Godly principles and wise decision making

## Topic 6 – Sins and Forgiveness

**Learning Objectives** – Identify why sin exists / how to overcome it / importance of forgiveness

**Aims** – Understand how to avoid sin and how to correctly forgive

## Topic 7 – Overcoming

**Learning Objectives** – Learn how to effectively overcome situations

**Learning Aims** – Obtain knowledge of how to effectively overcome situations

## Topic 8 – Life after death / End times / Rapture / Evolution vs Creation

**Learning Objectives** – Understand the importance of the second coming and life after death

**Learning Aims** – Learn how to understand why and how the bible teaches on this topic



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# BEYOND THE CURRICULUM

## ZCT Sunday School Youth Choir

Formed by willing and talented young people, we look to expand and build on this wonderful part of our young peoples growing ministry.



## ZCT Youth has Talent

ZCT Sunday School children and friends grace us with their God given talents. Our children are encouraged & praised for expressing & sharing the gifts they have been given with the hope that along their Christian walk they have the ability & confidence to share their love of God through these gifts.



## Learn To Play

Drums, Piano, Bass or Guitar.  
What ever your chosen Instrument is you can learn  
Saturdays at ZCT.



## Kids Camp

Coming soon!

### **Matthew 18: 15-17**

**15** Moreover if thy brother shall trespass against thee, go and tell him his fault between thee and him alone: if he shall hear thee, thou hast gained thy brother.

**16** But if he will not hear thee, then take with thee one or two more, that in the mouth of two or three witnesses every word may be established.

**17** And if he shall neglect to hear them, tell it unto the church: but if he neglect to hear the church, let him be unto thee as an heathen man and a publican.

## ZCT Sunday School Behaviour Expectations

Our Vision ZCT is to offer a nurturing and inclusive environment where all children experience God's love and begin their spiritual journey according to ZCT Sunday School Departments apostolic beliefs.

To make this vision a reality, ZCT Sunday School teaching staff, Support workers, students and parents/guardians will work together to build a positive and respectful environment.

ZCT is extremely grateful for the excellent and valued volunteers who give of their limited time to teach our children about the love of God.

ZCT Sunday School Department is thankful for the cooperation of parents/guardians in partnering with us and the Sunday School teachers to work toward our vision.

### Behaviour Expectations

To make the classroom a beneficial learning environment for our children, ZCT and our volunteer Sunday School teachers expect certain behaviour from students. Sunday School teachers and students are expected to work toward a goal of mutual respect. The behaviour expectations for ZCT Sunday School pupils are:

- Be on time or early (Sunday School begins at 11:00)
- Be ready to have fun and learn about God (please bring your Bibles)
- Participate in classroom activities
- Follow the teacher's instructions
- Show respect to others in the classroom
- Keep phone out of sight unless otherwise instructed
- Keep hands to self
- Speak in turn and listen when others speak
- No food to be consumed in class room outside of designated snack times
- Take care of the classroom (use materials wisely and help clean up)
- Endeavour to complete set homework tasks continuing your spiritual journey at home

### Corrective Action Plan

If a student does not meet the behaviour expectations, the teacher will inform the student that his/her behaviour does not meet expectations and will inform the student of the expected behaviour.

The student will be given an opportunity to correct their behaviour using a 1, 2, 3 method:

**1 = Grace**  
**class activity.**

**2 = Warning**

**3 = Removal, from**

Disruptive behaviour will be reported to and discussed with parents/guardians.

If a child's disruptive behaviour requires a child to be removed from a classroom or activity, parents must accompany the child for at least one session/class upon return. For example, parents will need to accompany the child to Sunday School for one Sunday.

If disruptive behaviour continues to be reported to parents, the Head of ZCT Sunday School will suggest a conversation with the Bishop. A mutually agreeable action plan will be created to promote and encourage appropriate behaviour for future classroom experiences.

ZCT Sunday School Department ask that you support our policy and encourage your child to adhere to the guidelines put in place to support the development of our young people.

If you are happy to support us and agree to our behaviour expectations please fill in for below.

# THE CHILDREN SAY...

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I like learning about prayer,  
there are no rules on how to  
pray, just speak to God  
where ever. You are free.

Marley-Rae C

I Like that it is fun!

Yasmin V



It great to be learning  
new things.

Learning more about  
scriptures.

Marcus V

I Like Sunday school, as I like  
learning things about Jesus and  
sharing what we have learnt  
through our productions.

Nevaeh M



I love everything about  
Sunday school. Especially  
when we get to do plays  
and stuff.

Namari M





# OUR PASTOR

"ZCT Sunday School has come on in leaps and bounds year on year and in the last few years we have seen a particular focus on Christian living and learning the doctrine; which after all is a very important feature of Sunday School. In ZCT we have worked with the various leaders who all have differing skill sets, to mould and shape the Christian learning of our children. In a world that is competing to instil its own value system into our children...which often creates confusion; we here at ZCT will continue to teach the biblical principles of Loving thy brother as thyself, do good to all men, patience, kindness and gentleness, etc. while at the same time teaching them core values such as respect for others, respect your parents, respect yourself as we see these as just as important virtues and a good education.

So while we endeavour to strive for excellence on the quality of our Sunday school, I encourage you to support us in every way that you can...we are always looking for volunteers and will always welcome advice on how we can do things better."



Pastor Derrick Campbell  
Sunday School Superintendent

*"My vision is that we work together to un-lock the potential of our children and ensure that they grow up rounded and grounded"*

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# THE **ZCT** SUNDAY SCHOOL DEPERTMENT



**Head  
Brother**

**Roberto Gocan**



**Assistant Head  
Brother**

**Michael Gordon**



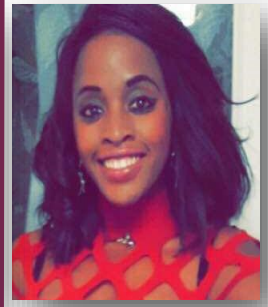
**Safe Guarding  
Sister**

**Georgina Gladstone**



**Secretary  
Sister**

**Charlene Hemans**



**Treasurer  
Sister**

**Chantel Auty**

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## LITTLE ANGELS TEACHERS



**Sister**

**Pearl Gordon**



**Brother**

**Roberto Gocan**

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## GODS DISCIPLES TEACHERS



**Sister**

**Valerie Orr**



**Sister**

**Ruth Gordon**

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## GOD SQUAD TEACHERS



**Brother**

**Daniel Hemans**



**Sister**

**Coral Chandra**



**Brother**

**Christian Darby**

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## A.R.M.Y TEACHERS



**Brother**

**Stephan  
McLennan**



**Sister**

**Lorna Allen**



**Brother**

**Andrew  
Nembhard**



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## TEACHING ASSISTANTS



**Sister**

**Beverly Francis**



**Sister**

**Pearline Philips**



**Sister**

**Nadine Campbell**



**Sister**

**Betty Hibbert**



**THIS COULD BE  
YOU!**



**Brother**

**Michael Gordon**



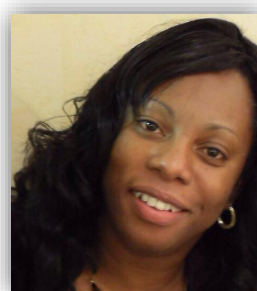
**Sister**

**Angela Davidson**



**Sister**

**Riane Hazel**



**Sister**

**Joanna Munroe**



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YOU!**

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## SUPPORT WORKERS



**Sister**

**Tina Vanes**



**THIS COULD BE  
YOU!**



**Sister**

**Karen McLaren**



**THIS COULD BE  
YOU!**



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# ZCT SUNDAY SCHOOL CALENDAR

September	1st	8th	15th	22nd	29th
October	6th Harvest Sunday	13th	20th	27th	
November	3rd	10th	17th	24th	
December	1st	8th	15th Christmas Production	22nd	29th
January	5th	12th	19th	26th	
February	2nd	9th	16th Parents evening	23rd	
March	1st	8th	15th	22nd Mothers day	29th
April	5th	12th	19th	26th	
May	3rd	19th	17th	24th	31st
June	7th	14th	21st Fathers Day	28th	
July	5th	12th	19th	26th End of year Presentation	



# SUNDAY SCHOOL INFORMATION

Class	Year Group
Little Angels	Reception —Year 2
God Disciples	Year 3 – Year 6
God Squad	Year 7– Year 9
Army	Year 10– Year 13

## Lesson Timetable

**11:00– Sunday School Join Praise and worship**

**11:30- 12:30 Sunday School Lesson Begins**

### Dates for your diary!

***Friday 8th May— Sunday School Fete***

***Every first Sunday –Sunday school staff prayer and fasting***



**Sunday School Services**



**Sunday School Breaks**

**Normal Sunday School Rota**

# THE TEACHERS

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I wanted to help guide the young people in learning and developing a personal relationship with God

I love ZCT and I wanted to give back to the ZCT family. I am also blessed to work with humble, caring and likeminded teachers.

**GOD SQUAD ARE THE BEST!**

We as a department have huge potential. I can see us all growing and moving forward in our walk with God.

**What a time to be alive!**

**Brother Daniel Hemans**

I would like to thank God for the opportunity in becoming a member of the Sunday school as one of the Teachers. My love for the children has given me joy, watching them grow in wisdom, all the classes.

**Our Sunday school children start from age 3—18 years.**

I am blessed and honoured as our children are the men and women of tomorrow so they need to be trained in the word of God and I Pray that they keep it in their hearts.

I Delight in watching the talent and presentations our children are involved in. Teachers and parents, may the good Lord bless and keep you all.

Amen

**Evangelist Pearl Gordon**





# OUR BISHOP

I believe that children are our future'

So begins the lyrics to The Greatest Love of All, sung by the one and only George Benson. Well, by the help of the Lord our future at Zion City Tabernacle is looking great!

It's a privilege to be a part of this church, and our Sunday School is one of the greatest ministries that we have. It bodes well for our future, knowing that we are planting seeds that will blossom and flourish long after some of us are gone, unless Jesus comes back first.

Let's make no mistake though, the times that our children are being raised in are dangerous. Of course we see the physical dangers all around us. The epidemic of knife crime and youth on youth violence casts a haunting shadow over our communities. But I am equally concerned with the psychological warfare unleashed on our children, often through the very system that should have helped protect them. So called 'gender fluidity' is a devilish assault on the minds of young people in attempt to confuse their identity. It's not something I want to make into a hobby horse, but neither is it something that I can ignore.

So what's our response? Build our children on a sure, biblical foundation. Bolster their confidence so that they are not ashamed of what they believe. Also, equip them to skilfully navigate the pitfalls that are being set for them. They need to know how to live within this society, and yet maintain a godly distinction.

There's perhaps no better examples in the Word of God than Daniel and the three Hebrew children. In a strange and hostile environment they managed to rise to the very top, with much sought after skills. But when the enemy thought those skills were for sale they stood resolutely, completely unashamed and unwavering in their faith?

What can parents do? Work with us in partnership. Get your child to Sunday School regularly and on time. Then afterwards ask them what they learned and help reinforce the message.

Stay connected with whatever other initiatives the Church is implementing. Talk with teachers regularly.

Pray for your child everyday in front of them so that they can hear you. Let them hear you call their names before the God of Heaven, so they know you are making the greatest effort to call on the greatest power, motivated by the Greatest Love of All.



Bishop Windsor Queensborough

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**I BELIEVE THE CHILDREN ARE OUR  
FUTURE TEACH THEM WELL AND  
LET THEM LEAD THE WAY**

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