

Colonial Presbyterian Foster Adopt Ministry Events (Summer 2019)

Upcoming Special Events

Empowered to Connect (South Kansas City Campus)

Experience practical teaching in a safe and supportive community as we work to equip families, churches, and professionals to better serve children impacted by adoption and foster care. For Licensed Professionals this course includes 11 (NASW Approved) CEU's (additional fee applies). This year's conference includes Trust-Based Relational Intervention® (TBRI®) methods. Colonial Presbyterian Church, South Kansas City Campus (9500 Wornall, Kansas City, Missouri) Dates: April 26 & 27, Time: 9:00-5:00 pm,

Register: www.colonialkc.org/empoweredtoconnectcolonial

Summer Respite Night

****Alert to Foster Adopt Parents**** Our infamous Colonial Foster Adopt Respite Nights are back. This year, we're offering two Respite Nights during the hot summer months. You won't want to miss this chance to drop your kids off at our Overland Park campus for a night of fun filled activities, so you can have a night to yourself. Our Summer Respite Nights are on June 22 & July 20 5:00pm - 8:00pm. Registration is required to reserve your child's spot.

Child Registration: <https://colonialkc.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/1690/responses/new>

Colonial Volunteer Opportunity

Would you consider serving our local community of foster adopt families by giving parents a night out during the long summer months? There's an amazing variety of way to jump in a serve! Volunteer Training 4.5 hours are available. Details in registration form:

Volunteer for Respite Night: <https://colonialkc.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/1700/responses/new>

Protective Homes Training

This training is for a family interested in becoming a Protective Home (short-term emergency foster placement). This project is guided & managed by JIAC (Juvenile Intake and Assessment Center) in both Johnson County and Wyandotte County. This training will require a background check process, a home walk-thru by KVC Behavioral Healthcare, and the submission of an application with references. Dates: June 3rd or July 18th

Register for Protective Homes Training: www.colonialkc.org/protectivehometraining

Meets Weekly

Foster Parent Licensing Class :: TIPS MAPP Overland Park Campus

This class is taught in partnership with KVC Behavioral Health Care. This 10 week group allows a individual, couple or family to begin the process of becoming a licensed foster home. Dates: June 5 – August 7th (Once a week, Wednesday nights); Meeting Location: Overland Park Campus; Childcare: No childcare is available. Time: 6:00-9:00 pm

Please register: <https://colonialkc.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/1660/responses/new>

TBRI: Trust Based Relational Intervention

KPARC TBRI Parents Circle 10 week class. This is a FREE relationship and parent education program for parents who have adopted children from Kansas foster care or current foster parents who are planning to adopt. Participants will learn skills necessary to parent children who have experienced trauma. This class includes a kids program for children 12 and under to learn the same skills their parents do. This program is for one parent and one child (per family). Meeting Location: Overland Park Campus Dates: April 23- June 25th (once a week, Tuesday nights). Time: 6:00-8:00pm

Please register: Kimberlin Voth kvoth@kcsf.org

Meets Monthly

Foster Adopt Community (Overland Park Campus)

Dates: May 5th Meeting Location: Overland Park Campus, 12501 W 137th St, OP KS 66221; Childcare: Free (with a reservation) for children ages infant to 5th grade. Time: 5:30-7:30

This group is for any foster or adoptive parent, or those in the process! Join other foster adopt parents, as we talk about issues relevant to this space in a friendly and supportive environment. Adults enjoy community fellowship, food and a facilitator led evening, while the kids enjoy a fun night with our wonderful children's ministry staff! Attendance to this group, including childcare (with a reservation), is FREE! 2 hours of training credit are offered.

Please Register: <https://colonialkc.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/1379/responses/new>