

LET'S MAKE SOMETHING BEAUTIFUL TOGETHER!

This is an invitation to all CCPC Kids (you do not have to be in choir) to participate in a collaborative project during this time of social distancing. We will be recording a group video of us singing a couple fun, short Christmas songs, and I would love to broadcast it during one of our live-streamed services.

Parents, we will need your help to record your beautiful children's voices.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED

- Computer with a camera & mic
- Internet access
- Headphones
- Cellphone with video recording ability
- Quiet room
- Spirit of adventure

INSTRUCTIONS

- Prepare for singing by listening to the lyric video linked on the Kids Choir tab on the OneFamily page. You may choose either the younger or older songs, or do both! You may sing with a sibling, or all by yourself, whatever you prefer!
 - If you want sheet music, it is linked in the same spot
 - **After practicing along a few times, prepare to record.**
 - Ensure your background is fairly neutral—your room doesn't need to be pristine, just not too visually "busy" behind you. Or...sing in front of your Christmas tree.
 - Light your face from the front.
 - Quiet your environment. Turn off fans and make sure there are no other background noises.
 - Plug in your headphones to your computer so you can listen the lyric video (see link above). We do not want to hear the accompaniment track on your recording.
 - Do a test recording of your voice to a) make sure your voice recording level is audible and b) ensure your head and shoulders are in the frame. You may either use a cell phone to record or a Chrome extension such as Loom (loom.com). We are looking for an MP4 file.
 - You can redo your part until you are satisfied. While quality is appreciated, perfection is not expected.
 - Then share your video by emailing me at crathke@cherrycreekpres.org
- I'll then compile all the videos and begin (along with our trusty Media team) to sync up, mix, and compile into one large video.
- The deadline for submission is Wednesday, December 16, 2020.

Thank you in advance for being brave and trying something new and blessing our congregation in a special way this season!