

**Letter to the Southern California Churches regarding Children’s Service  
at the 2015 Southern California Blending Conference**

*Mark 10:13, 16: “And they brought little children to Him so that He might touch them...  
and taking them into His arms, He fervently blessed them, laying His hands on them.”*

Dear leading brothers and saints in Southern California,

As indicated in an announcement letter sent to the churches in Southern California a few weeks ago, we would like to provide further details regarding the children’s service being provided at the 2015 Southern California Blending Conference, scheduled for the weekend of March 14-15, 2015.

We are pleased to be able to gather all the dear children of the saints in the churches for a wonderful time of blending. Your children will enjoy a number of supervised activities, such as singing, story-telling, games, crafts, and snacks, as well as meeting children of the same age from all over Southern California (most activities will be conducted by grade levels).

Age Restriction	Children’s service will be provided only for those children in levels Kindergarten through 6 <sup>th</sup> grade. (Parents may supervise infants, toddlers and pre-K in an overflow room with a live audio/video conference feed. No children should be left unattended.)
Registration	All children need to be registered beforehand via the following link: <a href="http://tinyurl.com/childrenregistration">http://tinyurl.com/childrenregistration</a>
Registration Deadline	Please register all children no later than <b>Lord’s Day, March 1, 2015</b> . Register as early as possible to ensure that we can provide an adequate number of serving ones.
Sessions	Children’s service will be provided <b>only</b> for the two conference sessions on Saturday: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Session 1 (Sat.): 4:00-5:45pm</li> <li>• Session 2 (Sat.): 7:00-8:45pm</li> </ul> <b><u>No children’s service will be provided for the final session on Lord’s Day, March 15.</u></b> Each locality will make arrangements to provide children’s service in their respective localities.
Check-In/Check-Out Time	Parents can check-in their children during these times: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Session 1 (Sat.): 3:30-4:00pm</li> <li>• Session 2 (Sat.): 6:45-7:00pm</li> </ul> Parents should check-out their children immediately after each conference session.
Check-In/Check-Out Procedures	We will use a check-in/check-out procedure that will require each child to wear an ID identifying their parents and their contact info; parents will be required to present matching ID or other means for verifying identification before a child is released by the serving ones to the parents.
Check-In/Check-Out Location	Children’s registration desk (precise location to be provided in the coming weeks).
Break Time	While the children will be provided some basic snacks, dinner will NOT be provided as part of the children’s service. Parents must pick up their children during the conference break time between Sessions 1 and 2.

The check-in/check-out procedures described above are being implemented to ensure the security of your children. We give first priority to the safety and well-being of your children and have made all arrangements with this in view.

If you have any questions or concerns, you may direct them to Allan MacVicar at (949) 439-2380 ([a.macvicar@gmail.com](mailto:a.macvicar@gmail.com)) or Renan Ochoa at (714) 588-9693 ([renan4ism@gmail.com](mailto:renan4ism@gmail.com)).

In Christ,

The brothers coordinating the Southern California blending conference