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4) Help urgently needed for Sunday and midweek children's activities

God has blessed us with a good problem - lots of children in church! Historically we have been able to provide age-specific groups for them so that the ministry can be as effective as possible. However, our groups are currently struggling for leaders and helpers. Please can you take some time to think and pray to decide whether you could help with one of these groups? Below are the details of each group. Chat with Ross for more details.

2) Jesus desires to give us sight

(35-43)

Midweek:

Mini Mischief - 0-3 year olds - Thursdays 10-11am - 40-50 children and adults

After School Club - 3-7 year olds - Tuesdays 4-5pm - 5-10 children

Awesome! 8-11 year olds - Fridays 4-5:30pm - 10-15 children

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Scramblers - 3-4 year olds

Starters - 4-7 year olds

Followers - 8-11 year olds

Pathfinders - 11-14 year olds

Exiles - 14+ year olds

Further Application Questions

- Will you cry out for mercy?
- Will you follow with your eyes open?
- Will you follow with joy?

- Where do you see spiritual blindness today?
- Which "brand" of false Jesus do you desire to follow?
- When does the blind man first see Jesus?
- What will it mean for you to follow Christ "with your eyes open"? With joy?

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