# H O M E P O I N T E T O O L S

HomePointe offers a wide variety of tools available to help those in any life season take steps toward creating a God-honoring home.

#### Appraisal

We encourage you to take the HomePointe Appraisal several times a year to assess how intentional you have been at home and to help you decide what small steps you can take next.

#### **Pointers**

With more than two dozen topics, HomePointe Pointers provide a biblical perspective on the most common family seasons and challenges, along with recommended resources and a description of ministries available at Lake Pointe for additional support.

## **Idea Cards**

Idea Cards make it easy for couples, parents and grandparents to take one small step to become more intentional at home, including marriage date nights, family time activities, connecting with your teen, mealtime conversations, movie night chats, etc.

#### Initiatives

Initiatives support a specific theme and/or intentionality habit such as date nights, prayer@home, meals@home, wise technology use, etc. Families will have access to free resources that will make it easy to incorporate faith conversations and relationship building routines into the fabric of family life.

## **Faith Path Kits**

On select birthdays for your child, you should receive an email offering a free kit that will train and jump-start you on the age-appropriate strategy for your child's faith formation from birth through age eighteen. Each kit includes a training video, guide, starter ideas, and other helpful elements.

## Faith-Filled Holidays

Most holidays are either rooted in a Christian faith tradition or can be used as natural launching points for faith and relationship building conversations. We provide tools to help you become intentional during holiday celebrations.

## **Going Deeper Opportunities**

While we believe the home to be the primary place of spiritual formation, the church is an important partner in that journey. That is why Lake Pointe Church offers a variety of classes, ministry programs and resources designed to come alongside your family's faith journey.



Thank you, in advance, for taking steps to become more intentional at home. You can do it! We are here to help.



GOING FURTHER resources

*It Starts @ Home* by Steve Stroope & Kurt Bruner *My Faith Box* by Lydia Randall

> BECOME INTENTIONAL IN YOUR HOME

> > Visit homepointe.org

Visit your campus HomePointe Center



# Helping You Build a Strong Family One Step at a Time



# O V E R V I E W

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# What Is HOMEPOINTE?

One of our core values at Lake Pointe Church is that God designed the family as the primary place for faith and character formation. We seek to inspire, equip and assist you to become intentional about building a God-honoring home one step at a time. HomePointe exists to create a culture of intentional families using three simple objectives.

#### Make It Easy

We hope to make it easy for you to become intentional at home by providing bite-sized, life-season specific ideas and resources available from our campus HomePointe centers and online at homepointe.org

#### Make It Likely

We hope to make it more likely that you will become intentional by nudging you to incorporate holy habits into your existing family-life routines. We will remind you several times a year with church-wide initiatives and resources to incorporate into your home.

#### Give It a Clear Path

We coach parents to nurture the faith of their children one step at a time using birthday specific Faith Path kits.

# IT STARTS AT HOME

Young adults can become intentional about their future.

Couples work toward becoming one and create times of connection to thrive.

Parents can launch simple faith formation routines.

Grandparents can use their significant influence to point the next generation toward God.

# THE POINTE OF HOME

HomePointe is designed to help you take simple steps toward creating a God-honoring home. Since most of us are called to worship God through the intimacy of marriage and the blessing of children, we need to understand the purpose and priority of family life.

# SHOWING CHRIST

Every marriage is intended to be a masterpiece reflecting THE marriage between God and His people. (Genesis 1:27, Genesis 15, Jeremiah 3, Ephesians 5:22-33, Revelations 21:9)

For this reason a man will leave his father and mother and be united to his wife, and the two will become one flesh. This is a profound mystery – but I am talking about Christ and the church. However, each of you also must love his wife as he loves himself, and the wife must respect her husband.

-Ephesians 5:31-33



#### **RAISING BELIEVERS**

Those blessed with the gift of children and grandchildren are called to disciple the next generation as life's greatest honor and highest priority. (Exodus 20, Deuteronomy 6, Psalm 78:1-8, Ephesians 6:1-4)

He commanded our forefathers to teach their children, so the next generation would know them, even the children yet to be born, and they in turn would tell their children. Then they would put their trust in God.

-Psalm 78:5-7

## **BE JESUS**

A strong Christian family attracts the next generation and next door neighbor to Christ as The Word becomes flesh and blood and we conform our lives to the image and example of Christ. (John 1:14, Philippians 2, 1 Timothy 3, 1 John 3:16)

This is how we know what love is: Jesus Christ laid down his life for us. And we ought to lay down our lives for our brothers.

-1 John 3:16

# These truths become a reality in our home when we consistently...

# HONOR MARRIAGE

Pursue a God-honoring marriage by giving oneself to a husband or wife through mutual submission and faithful devotion.

# **PASS THE FAITH**

Intentionally disciple our own children and grandchildren by capturing and creating experiences that deepen the roots of faith.

# WALK THE TALK

Live out our faith at home in ways that will attract the next generation and next door neighbor to Christ.

HomePointe exists to increase the likelihood that you will...

Build a life-long, thriving marriage Introduce your children to Christ Launch your teens as committed believers