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## FINDING GOOD PLAY SPACE

For the past couple weeks, knowing that the fall gear up is nearly upon us, I have been thinking a lot about our kids and our youth group. George and I have talked a good deal about fun ideas, and even our Secretary, Susan (veteran mom of three), has come up with some very fine suggestions.

Now, along with thoughts for great youth group and kid events, I have also been thinking about Sunday mornings and good play spaces for kids before (if they are not in Sunday School) and after Church. My mind keeps coming back to the undercroft as a great place for fun. Could we use more toys or games?

Of course to me, the worship area and sacristy upstairs are probably not good places to play, especially after church when folks are trying to tidy up pews and others are trying to take care of the traditional mess that the priests make on Sunday mornings. But that said ...I really want to see areas of this building open and welcome to our youngest members and visitors.

So, parents, grandparents and all interested others, can you help me with some good suggestions? I would really like to get input on this one.

And thanks to all of you for helping to make All Saints' a place for every generation. Love ja+

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