

1 Corinthians 1: 26 - 2: 5 The priority of pre-school ministry

→ Laying the invisible foundations

1) God chooses the weak to show his strength (v26-31)

→ One day, we will all only boast in the Lord

Start children off on the way they should go,
and even when they are old they will not turn from it..

Proverbs 22: 6

⁵For you have been my hope, Sovereign LORD,
my confidence since my youth.

⁶From my birth I have relied on you;
you brought me forth from my mother's womb.
I will ever praise you.

Psalms 71: 5-6

¹⁴When Jesus saw this, he was indignant. He said to them, 'Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these.'¹⁵Truly I tell you, anyone who will not receive the kingdom of God like a little child will never enter it.'

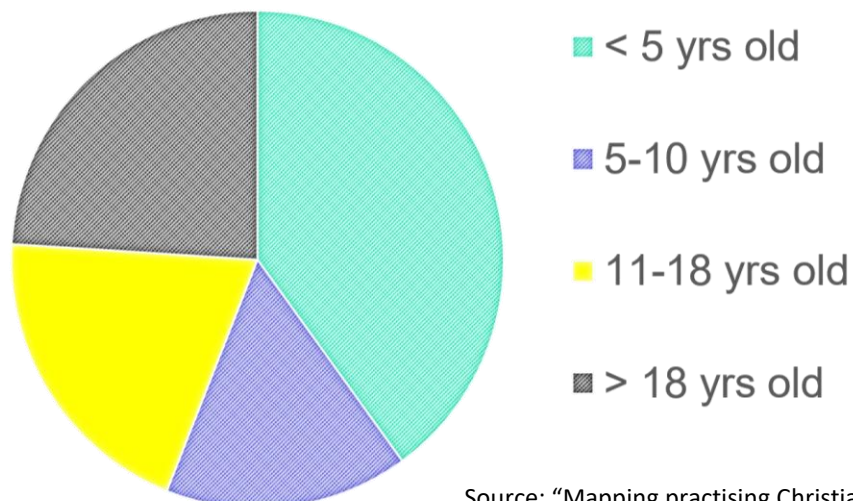
Mark 10: 14-15

²⁵At that time Jesus said, 'I praise you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and learned, and revealed them to little children. Matthew 11: 25

2) We choose to teach the truth about Jesus to show his power (v1-5)

→ Their faith will rest on God's power

Practising Christians were asked at what age they came to faith



Source: "Mapping practising Christians". Britain. 2017