

## **CREATIVE KIDS' MINISTRY SPACE DESIGN IDEAS - Resource List**

A great source for low cost or free materials is **Facebook Marketplace**. Search for items you are looking at using in your space. A word of caution and advise. If you are not comfortable with buying from people you do not know or feel unsure about the legitimacy of what they are selling, find a member of your church that regularly uses the marketplace. Post a comment on your church public social media wall asking anyone who is willing to do the legwork for your kid's ministry and research what might be available on the marketplace or other online used marketplaces. These people have been doing this for a very long time and have learned to spot bargains vs scams. Give them a reasonable budget to work with and encourage them to run any large purchases by you before committing to purchase a particular item. When the seller finds out the item is to be used by a church, they often will lower the price or just donate the item at no cost.

Other links:

<p><b><i>Mobile Church solutions</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="http://www.ChurchOnWheels.com">www.ChurchOnWheels.com</a></li> <li>• <a href="http://www.portablechurch.com">www.portablechurch.com</a></li> </ul>	<p><b><i>Furniture, Supplies, and Free Design Plans</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="http://www.kaplanco.com">www.kaplanco.com</a></li> <li>• <a href="http://www.discountschoolsapply.com">www.discountschoolsapply.com</a></li> <li>• <a href="http://www.adirondack.com">www.adirondack.com</a></li> </ul>
<p><b><i>Shelving and Display solutions</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="http://www.merchinv.com">www.merchinv.com</a></li> </ul>	<p><b><i>Free Supply sources for used furniture (varies by location)</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="http://www.freecycle.org">www.freecycle.org</a></li> <li>• <a href="http://www.trashnothing.com">www.trashnothing.com</a></li> <li>• <a href="http://www.1001Pallets.com">www.1001Pallets.com</a></li> </ul>

***Here is a link to an article from Childrensministry.com that has some great ideas.***  
[How to Make the Most of the Space Your Church Has \(childrensministry.com\)](http://www.childrensministry.com)

## **PREPARING YOUR SPACE - Resource List**

Decorating Made Easy Book w/DVD Rom

Links:

- Lifeway VBS Community / <https://www.facebook.com/groups/614148902331659/>
- VBS 2022: Lifeway Spark Study unofficial Lifeway Group  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1693178294230039/>
- Mr. Mark's Classroom / <https://mrmarksclassroom.com/category/vbs-2021/>
- <https://vbs.lifeway.com/resources/#clipart> / <https://vbs.lifeway.com/>
- Under Resources you will find logos