

5 WAYS TO CONNECT WITH YOUR GEMS GIRLS THIS SEASON

CONSIDER YOUR OPTIONS

Talk to your church leadership about how to safely host your GEMS Club this season, following the guidelines from your state or province. After prayerful and careful consideration, choose one or more of these options to stay connected with your GEMS this season:

- ❑ **IN-PERSON CLUB** — Meet together with your GEMS girls and leaders, using the *GEMS Friended* curriculum. Follow appropriate safety measures and social distancing, as required.
- ❑ **VIRTUAL CLUB** — Gather with your GEMS girls and leaders on a streaming or video call service (Zoom or other kid-friendly, safe, virtual platforms) using the *Friended Plus Virtual* curriculum.
- ❑ **AT-A-DISTANCE CLUB** — Stay connected with your GEMS using creative ways outlined within the *Friended Plus Virtual* curriculum. Suitable for all clubs; ideal for those with limited or no internet access.
- ❑ **HYBRID CLUB** — It's a great mix! Meet together in-person (trunk parties, drive thru kickoff) *and* virtual *and* stay connected in creative ways this season. Check out the specific ideas in the *Friended Plus Virtual* curriculum.
- ❑ **GEMS ON THE GO (GOTG)** — Encourage parents/grown-ups to continue GEMS at home through GEMS magazines, the *LOVED. U & ME* Conversations Kit, or the GOTG activity box. (See enclosed flier for more information.)
- ❑ **OTHER** — Contact Amy Brooks, Program Director, at **616-241-5616 x3063** or **amy.brooks@gemsgc.org** to discuss your GEMS 2020-2021 club season.

