

# “Church Ninja” Treasure Chest

A “Church-Ninja” Package is fun, easy, and pretty inexpensive way to remind the children of your community of faith that you’re thinking of them this summer.

## How Does it Work?

The concept is basically to create a treasure box of fun activities and items, and then secretly drop it off at the homes of the kids in your congregation . It’s pretty straight-forward stuff – just think of a wine/book ninja adapted for church kids.

Have fun with it! Invite members of the congregation to fill the boxes and make the Ninja-deliveries! It’s probably best to let the parents/adults know that a package is coming, but try to keep it a secret from the kids!

## Greeting Message from the Church Ninja

- Personalise the message with the child’s name, community of faith, and contact info for ministry and/or volunteer leaders.
- Template is included, but feel free to change or create your own.

## Treasure Box Container

- Depending on budget, the Treasure Chest could be a purchased box or simply a decorated shoebox.
- Just remember to personalize the box with the child’s name!

## Considerations for Contents (pics on next page):

- Sidewalk Chalk (3-4 sticks)
- Bubbles
- Sticker page
- Hot Wheels Car
- Play-Doh
- Rubber Band Bracelets
- Glo-Sticks
- Facemask
- Neighbourhood Walk Bingo – pdf (*courtesy of Lumsden Beach Camp*)
- Colouring Sheets – pdf (*copyright-free images only*)
- Other creative ideas....?

## Budget

All contents purchased at local dollar store. Approx. cost per treasure box is below:

Wood box (w. latch):	\$4
Play-Doh:	\$1
Hot Wheels:	\$1.50
Sidewalk Chalk:	\$0.50
Bottle of Bubbles:	\$0.35
Sticker Sheet:	\$0.25
Face Mask:	\$0.35
Rubber Band Bracelets:	\$0.35
Glo-Sticks:	<u>\$0.50</u>

**\$4.80** (not including the wooden box)

