



Christ Memorial Christian Preschool

November 2019 Newsletter

Give thanks to the Lord for He is good. Psalm 107:1

November marks the start of the holiday season; a time of sharing, togetherness, and reflecting on life's blessings. We will begin the month discussing Harvest time and all that fall has to offer. We will then switch to focusing our learning on "God and My Family". As we discuss families, we will spend time learning about the many other things we are thankful for - food, homes, friends and clothing.

This month our Bible lessons will focus on the Psalms. You will see different Psalms shared and discussed throughout the month.

I would like to offer a big THANK YOU to all of our preschool families that help make our preschool a safe and wonderful place to work, learn and play.

Happy Thanksgiving from all of us at Christ Memorial Christian Preschool!



ANNOUNCEMENTS:

* **Coats:** As we transition into cooler weather and bring out those winter jackets, please make sure your child knows what his or her coat looks like. This can be accomplished in part at school by allowing them to take off and hang up their jackets by themselves. A label with your child's names inside the coat is also very helpful for us.

* **Change of Clothes:** With the colder weather upon us please also remember to switch out your child's change of clothing to reflect the Fall season.

* **Drivers Licenses & Car Insurance:** If you have not already, please provide Mrs. Gallagher with a copy of your drivers license and car insurance card. This is necessary for future field trips.





Our Preschool Prayers

Our preschool children pray each day before enjoying snack. Below are the various prayers we teach throughout the year.

God is Great.
God is Good.
And we thank Him for our food.
By His hands we are fed
And we thank Him for our daily bread.

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Come Lord Jesus be our Guest.
Let this food by Thee be blessed.

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God we thank You for this food,
For rest and home and all things good.
For the wind and rain and sun above,
But most of all for those we love.

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Thank you for the world so sweet.
Thank you for the food we eat.
Thank you for the birds that sing.
Thank you God for everything.

Father we thank Thee for the night,
And for the pleasant morning light.
For Rest and home and loving care
And all that makes the world so fair.

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Thank you God,
For the food before us,
The friends beside us,
And the love between us.

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Thank you God for home and school
For rain and sunny weather.
Thank you for the food we eat,
And that we are together.

Upcoming:

We will be learning all about families this month. Please have your child bring a family picture to school to keep for a couple weeks by Friday, November 8th. Thank you!



Show & Tell

3-Year Old Classes:

November 7th - **Something that is a TRIANGLE**

November 14th - **Something that is ORANGE**

November 21st - **No Show N Tell**

4-Year Old Classes:

November 8th - **A Picture of Your Family**

November 15th - **Something You Are Thankful For**

November 22nd - **No Show N Tell**



Field Trip Schedule for 2019/20 School Year

Below are the field trips scheduled for this school year.

Please be sure to add them to your calendar!

4 Year Old Classes:

February 19, 2020 - Howard County Public Library - Central Branch

April 22, 2020 - Robinson's Nature Center

May 8, 2020 - Mother's Day Event
(Please make sure you mark this special day to be available to come to the preschool!)

3 Year Old Classes:

January 22nd or 24th , 2020 - Rivers Park Fire Station (Date cannot be confirmed until December)

April 23, 2020 - Sharp's Waterford Farm

May 7, 2020 - Mother's Day Event
(Please make sure you mark this special day to be available to come to the preschool!)

Basic Concepts for November

2 Day Classes:

Numbers: 1-7

Colors: Black, Gray and White

Shape: Triangle

Skill: Patterns

3 & 5 Day Classes:

Numbers: 1-15 & 1 to 1 Correspondence

Colors: Brown, Black & Gray

Shapes: Circle, Square, Triangle & Rectangle

Letters: R, M & N

Skills: Sorting

Thanksgiving Holiday

The preschool will be closed starting Monday, November 25th - Friday, November 29th for the Thanksgiving Holiday. We will be celebrating all we are thankful for on our last day of preschool before the holiday break on Thursday, November 21st (for 3-year old classes) and Friday, November 22nd (for 4-year old classes). The children will be baking a special pumpkin treat in their classroom. Please note that this treat will meet all the allergy needs of each classroom. If you signed up to help with this "Thanksgiving Feast" your classroom teacher will be in touch. Classroom Hope and Classroom Joy (2-day class) are still in need of a parent volunteer for this event.



