



Christ Memorial Christian Preschool

November 2023 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.

During Bible Time Pastor Scott will reinforce the understanding of thankfulness as we talk about all that God has provided for us.

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!



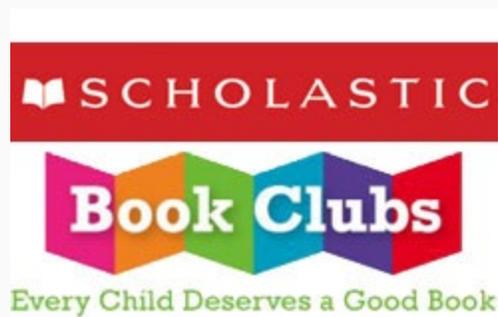
ANNOUNCEMENTS:

*** 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.

* **Boots:** If your child is wearing rain boots or snow boots into school, please provide a change of shoes for them to run and play during the morning.



Holiday Scholastic Book Orders:

Our next opportunity to order discounted books from Scholastic Books is open now. They have lots of great Holiday book offerings. This order will arrive before Christmas if you are looking for some books for gifts.

Our Class Order Due Date: 11/12/23

Shop Our Class Page: <https://orders.scholastic.com/H7YVP>

Shop Digital Flyers from the website with Your Child: <https://clubs.scholastic.com/all-flyers/>

Feel free to share the Class Page link to extended family and friends.

An example flyer will be coming home with your child this week in their purple tote bag. The flyer shows just a small amount of the books available to purchase. Be sure to check the website links above to see all the offerings.

Any questions please ask Mrs. Gallagher



Guest Readers!

We are excited to announce that we will be welcoming parents into the classrooms this year to be guest readers. As a guest reader you can bring a book of your choosing from home or ask the teacher to provide one. You will then get to spend about 10 minutes sharing the book during a circle time determined by the teacher.. Be on the lookout for a Sign-Up Genius Invite to schedule a time to guest read in your child's class. Please only select one visit to your child's classroom so all parents that want to participate are able.



FAMILY PICTURES NEEDED!

Our 4-year-old classes will be creating a special craft this month using a picture of their family. Please email a family picture to your child's teacher as soon as possible but definitely before the following dates with the picture will be shared for Show & Tell in class and used for their craft.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9th - Mrs. Smith & Mrs. Scheid's class
Email - k.smith@cmpcusa.org

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10th - Mrs. Nienhuis & Mrs. Wheelock's Class
Email - julie.nienhuis@cmpcusa.org

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10th - Mrs. March & Mrs. Benzing's Class
Email - t.march@cmpcusa.org

SNACK REMINDER:

When sending in snack for your child's class please be sure that you including packaging with ingredients listed. This is important for our teachers as they determine if the snacks provided are safe for children with food allergies. Thank you!



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.





Pajama Day

Our classes will be celebrating the start of November with PAJAMA DAY!

- * Our 3-year-old classes are invited to wear their pajamas to class on Thursday, November 2nd.
- * Our 4-year-old classes are invited to wear their pajamas to class on Friday, November 3rd.

We will still have indoor and outdoor gross motor play on these days so make sure your pajamas won't hold you back from having fun!

Show & Tell

3-Year Old Classes:

November 2nd - **Something that is a TRIANGLE**

November 9th - **Something that is an OVAL**

November 16th - **Something that is a CIRCLE**

4-Year Old Classes:

November 3rd - **Something you see at a FARM**

November 9th (5-day class) - **A FAMILY PICTURE**

November 10th (3-day classes)- **A FAMILY PICTURE**

November 17th - **Something You Are THANKFUL For**



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

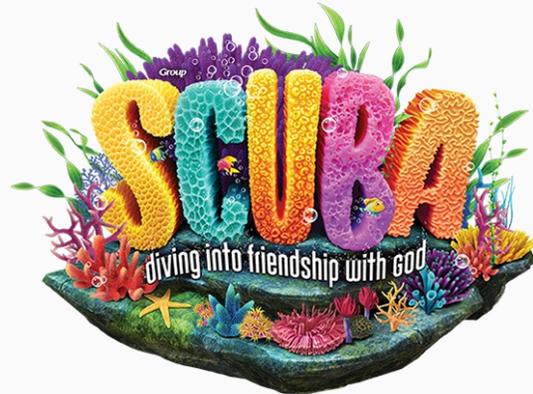
Letters: P, B, R, N

Skills: Sorting

Vacation Bible School
at
Christ Memorial Presbyterian
Church

MARK your calendars to join
us next summer

Week of July 8th - 14th



Classroom Supplies Needed:

With the coming winter months please consider helping us keep our supply of needed sanitizing and health items replenished for our classrooms by visiting our Amazon wish list. Please note: The items we need the most right now are set to HIGHEST priority. Thank you for your Support!

Christ Memorial Christian Preschool Amazon
Wishlist



Thanksgiving Holiday

The preschool will be closed starting Monday, November 20th - Friday, November 24th for the Thanksgiving Holiday. We will be celebrating all we are thankful during our last week of preschool before the holiday break. The children will be baking a special fall treat in their classroom. Please note that this treat will meet all the allergy needs of each classroom.



