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| **March 2025**"Let the little children come to Me." Matthew 19:14We are excited for another fun month at preschool! During March we will continue with the theme of God and My World as we learn about dinosaurs and animals that God created. This is a topic everyone loves.  We will also learn a little about St. Patrick's Day and the weather in our world.  We will have so much fun talking about how special our dads are this month, creating some special items for the Donuts with Dad’s day! |

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| IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR MONDAY, MARCH 3rdDuring preschool hours on Monday, March 3rd there will be a funeral taking place in the sanctuary at Christ Memorial Presbyterian Church.  As a result, there may be limited parking during pick up at 12 pm.   Please be aware so that you can plan accordingly and be cautious when walking through the parking lot with your children.  |

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| ***Howard County Public Schools Kindergarten Registration***Kindergarten registration kick off for the 2024-25 school year at Howard County Public Schools is the week of March 3rd - 7th. You need to register your child at your designated school.  No appointment is necessary.For additional information please visit[*www.hcpss.org/enroll/kindergarten*](http://www.hcpss.org/enroll/kindergarten) |

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| **Let's Celebrate All Our Awesome Fathers!**We will be celebrating our Dedicated Dads with a special snack time at Christ Memorial Christian Preschool.  Please be sure to put the following dates on your calendar to ensure you will be able to join us during the school day.  All fathers are expected to join us!  Please make every effort to join your preschool child without siblings.**2 Day Classes - Thursday, March 13th at 11:00 am3&5 Day Classes - Friday, March 14th at 11:00 am** |

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| **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL****July 7th - July 11th from 9 am - 12 pm**Christ Memorial Presbyterian Church will be holding Vacation Bible School! Many of the preschool teachers help with this special time at the church.This is such a fun event for children in **preschool through 5th grade**!  Registration is **NOW OPEN**!  Elementary grades are on a waitlist but preschools still have spots available.  Please use the following link to stay on top of details.  <http://www.cmpcusa.org/vbs>**Mrs. Gallagher will be helping to coordinate parent and youth volunteers for VBS.  If a parent can volunteer all 5 mornings one child's VBS registration fee is waived! When signing up, mark yourself as a volunteer to participate!**  |

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| **Picture Day is Coming!**3- and 5-Day classes will have their pictures taken on Friday, March 7th and 2-Day Classes will have their pictures taken on Thursday, March 6th. Every child's picture will be taken, as well as class pictures.  Approximately 2 weeks after picture day you will receive information via email directly from the Irvin Simon, our photographer that will include proofs of your child's picture.   Once you receive this email you can order directly from their website.  [DETAILS FROM OUR PHOTOGRAPHY COMPANY](https://mcusercontent.com/e15761b9438fd8f8b2f0a3942/files/83aaeca0-8933-5dc6-162e-aec3eb380b07/Christ_Memorial_Christian_Preschool_PARENT_BOOKLET.pdf) |

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| **Pet Day is Coming!** To enrich our study of animals we are inviting all our children to bring in a pet to share with their class.  Children are encouraged to bring in either a favorite stuffed animal or their live pet. For those sharing live pets, please only bring pets that will be comfortable receiving love from the students and lots of attention.  If your child has any concerns around live animals, please let your child's teacher know so they can be prepared to support them and make it a fun day!If you want to share you live pet, we will ask the parent to arrive at 11:00 am and find their designated spot along the sidewalk outside the building.  Classes will take turns coming outside to meet the animals. Please sign up to bring your pet on the day for your child's class link below. [3-Year-Old Classes - Thursday, March 27th](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080A45AEA92AA6F85-55279997-petday)[4-Year-Old Classes - Friday, March 28th](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080A45AEA92AA6F85-55280003-petday) |

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| Christ Memorial Christian Preschool will be closed for Spring Break beginning Saturday, April 14th - Monday, April 21st.  We will reopen on Tuesday, April 22nd. Enjoy this time with your family celebrating the Easter holiday! |

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| **SUPPLIES NEEDED!**We are running low on some of the donation requests from our [Amazon Wish List](https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/SRPAZLZURNF2?ref_=wl_share) (<-- Link Here) at the preschool.  Specifically we could use:**Paper TowelsGallon Size Ziploc BagsDisinfecting WipesTissues**If you are able to donate, it would be greatly appreciated! |

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| **Show & Tell****3 YEAR OLD CLASSES:**March 6th - No Show & TellMarch 13th - Your **DAD!**March 20th - Something that is **GREEN!**March 27th - Your **PET** or Favorite Stuffed Animal**4 YEAR OLD CLASSES:**March 7th - No Show & TellMarch 14th - Your **DAD**!March 21st - Your favorite **DINOSAUR**!March 28th - Your **PET** or Favorite Stuffed Animal  |

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| Basic Concepts for March2 Day Classes:Numbers - 1- 10Colors - Green, Gold & BlackShape -Diamond & StarSkills -Patterns3 & 5 Day Classes:Numbers - 1 - 20Shapes -SemicircleColors - Green & GoldSkills - Positional Words & RhymingLetters - C, O, Q, & G |

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