

CHRISTIAN DAY NURSERY SCHOOL  
THREE YEAR-OLDS  
NOVEMBER 2024



*"GRATITUDE helps us see what is there instead of what isn't."*

*Author unknown*

November is here and this is our "I'm So Thankful" month. We emphasize the many blessings that God gives to us each day. We will talk about turkeys, Pilgrims, the Mayflower, American Indians, and the foods we eat. This month we will emphasize identifying our names and the letters in our names. Now that the weather is starting to cool down, many of the students are beginning to wear jackets. We work on teaching independence in preschool and are working with your child to put their own book bag and jacket on. We would love for you to practice this skill at home as well. At the end of the month, we will begin our Shapes Unit.

#### **Give Thanks & Sharing Snack**

**Monday, November 25th** we will be making cornbread muffins and sharing our snack with the 4s and PreK classes in a "Thanksgiving Feast" Celebration.

This is an opportunity for our students to reenact the first Thanksgiving. We will try new foods and meet new friends while we celebrate our Thanksgiving together!

#### **Potato**

Our class will be making a turkey using a potato. This activity helps strengthen our fine motor muscles, not to mention it makes a very cute centerpiece for our Thanksgiving table. Please allow your child to bring in one potato for this activity. **They may bring their potato in on November 20th or 21st.**

#### **Social and Emotional Learning**

For many of our students, joining our classroom is the first consistent interaction they have had with peers. This presents a great learning opportunity. This month we will begin to learn how to engage and communicate with each other. We will role play and practice using our words, taking turns, playing together, etc. Learning some of these skills will help us to create a friendly learning environment in our classroom and provides your child the life long skills they need for conflict resolution. Watch your child's folder for more information.

#### **Reminders**

Family Feather due: November 4th/5th

Potato due: November 20th/21st

Sharing snack: November 25th

No School: November 27-29

*We pray that you have a blessed and Happy Thanksgiving! We are so thankful to have such wonderful families be apart of our preschool class.*

***Mrs. Cole & Mrs. O.***

## ***FYI's from....***

### **Christian Day Nursery School**

First I would like to thank everyone who came out to the 3rd Annual Trunk or Treat Family Literacy Night. We had a perfect evening and it looked like everyone was having fun.

**Holiday activities...** teachers are busy organizing all the fun filled activities and events. Please read the newsletter to keep up and see if there are any items needed by the classrooms. If you have any questions, feel free to call the school.

**Labels...**with cold weather comes the wearing of coats and hats. Please label all outer-wear (coats, hats and mittens). This gives everyone a chance to see whose things are who's.

**Cold And Flu...**It is that time of year again. Good hand washing practices will help to cut down on the spread.

**Save...**Schild's IGA receipts, each year CDNS is able to bring in extra monies from collecting IGA receipts. Thanks so much for saving these for the school.

**Contact phone numbers...**When calling the school you can call direct to the office or your child's classroom to leave a message. The numbers are as follows:

CDNS office: 419-668-2856 ext.2

Cole: 567-805-1846

Perry/Siggs: 567-805-1845

Rhod: 567-805-1640

Michelle Schaffer

CDNS Director

### **Large Motor and Music**

**Large Motor** - Students will be working on eye-hand coordination as they work on cupstacking. We are participating in setting a world record for "Multiple Sights Cup Stacking at one time on November 12 - 14. On Veteran's Day we will host a BOOT CAMP and students will be working on their large muscles!

**Music** - Tambourines will be our next musical instrument. We will learn musical patterns that goes along with songs. On Veteran's Day we will be singing, marching and waving flags to patriotic songs!

**Body System** - The Muscular System will be our next system of the body to learn about. We will feel and locate muscles on our bodies and on Mr. Muscles. Students will be taught how to keep their muscles strong, flexible and Healthy!

Thank you,  
Becky Parcher

### **Temple Talk**

Greetings,

The children are being such good listeners. They are hearing a variety of stories about important people God guided and singing a variety of songs.

During the month of November we will hear the story of *Joseph and his coat of many colors*, the story of *Tower of Babel (with Miss Parcher)*, *Joshua and the Battle of Jericho* and *Let's give Thanks*. Our Bible verse for the month will be "It is good to give thanks to the Lord." Psalm 92:1

We will collect food items during the of November, These items will help fill the St. Peter Blessing Box.

Have a wonderful Thanksgiving.

Blessings,

Michelle Schaffer



### **St Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church**

How do you Love and Serve in your church/ community/world? How can you teach your children to become generous and giving people? What example do you set for them to follow?

As we approach the holiday season, there will be numerous opportunities for you to Love Serve and Give. I hope you find some ways to do so and that involve your children so that they see how important it is to care for others and to share what God has given us.



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# November

Sun      Mon      Tue      Wed      Thu      Fri      Sat

					1 Acorns (stamp cork & brown paint)	2
3	4 I am thankful for...	5 I am thankful for...	6 Turkey Feather Name Pilgrim Hats	7 Turkey Feather Name Pilgrim Hats	8 Stained Glass Acorns	9
10	11 Thanksgiving Placemats Journals	12 Thanksgiving Placemats Journals	13 Turkey Faces	14 Turkey Faces	15 Juice Box & Scrapbook Turkeys	16
17	18 Harvest Blessing Mix Pumpkin Pie	19 Harvest Blessing Mix Pumpkin Pie	20 Potato/Turkey Centerpiece Turkey Drumsticks	21 Potato/Turkey Centerpiece Turkey Drumsticks	22 Breadstick turkeys	23
24	25 Card Thanksgiving Feast	26 Thanksgiving Fun	27      28      29      30 <b>No School - Thanksgiving Break</b> <b>Have a Blessed Thanksgiving!</b>			