

April 2024 Newsletter

Important Dates

4/9 CLOSED/Teacher Conference Prep Day
4/11 Yoga for 3's & 5's
4/15 & 4/16 Preschool Chapel
4/17 & 4/18 Librarian visits
4/22 & 4/23 Music classes
4/24 NO CLASS for 4's & Ext 4's; 5's have class
4/24 Conferences for 4's & Ext. 4's
4/25 NO CLASS for 3's & 5's
4/25 Conferences for 3's & 5's
4/29-5/3 Teacher Appreciation Week
4/30 11am-1pm Flower Order pick up

Save the Date

5/15 Last day 4's & Ext. 4's with; early dismissal at 11:30 am 5/16 Last day 3's & 5's with early dismissal at 11:30 am

*On the last days of school (5/15 & 5/16) all children will be dismissed at 11:30 am. Weather permitting we will have picnic lunches for families on the lawn; everyone will bring their own packed lunch. If we experience inclement weather, picnics will be cancelled; however, all children will still need to be picked up at 11:30 am. You will be notified by the REMIND app if picnics are cancelled.

Teacher Appreciation Week

With the end of the school year quickly approaching, we want to make sure that our teachers are recognized for their dedication and hard work. More information will be sent to all families in the upcoming weeks.

Parent/Teacher Conferences are Coming

Conferences are scheduled during April. As a reminder, <u>we ask that you find care for your child</u> <u>while you attend his/her conference</u>. It can be challenging to have a focused and meaningful conversation with children in the room. Teachers will be sending out more information.

Spread the Word

Next school year we will have a Young 3's class which starts in January for children who turn 3 years old between October 1, 2024-January 31, 2025. Also, we currently have a few spaces open in our 3's and 4's program for the upcoming school year. Please help us promote the preschool to your neighbors, family, and friends. If you are in a "moms" group, please provide our information when someone is looking for a preschool. If you are on Facebook, please "like" the preschool's page and share posts. Your recommendations are important and valuable. We appreciate your support and help!!!

Free Books for Children

Since 2019 more than 15.3 million Imagination Library books have been mailed to Ohio children. Dolly Parton's Imagination Library of Ohio mails kids one free book each month until their 5th birthday. Any child in Ohio between birth and age five may enroll. It's easy! Click on the following link to start your child's free monthly book delivery.

OhioImaginationLibrary.org

Enrollment Paperwork for '24-'25

If your child will be attending our preschool next fall, then you should have received an email by 3/22 with the 2024-2025 enrollment papers. <u>Hard copies</u> <u>of these papers need to be completed and</u> <u>returned to us, along with the May 2025 tuition</u> <u>deposit and supply fee, by April 26th.</u> If you have any questions, reach out to the preschool office and we will be glad to help. If your plans have changed and your child will not be attending in the fall, please let us know so that we can offer the position to another family.

Spring Cleaning

Are you spring cleaning at your house? If you have any craft supplies or toys that you aren't using anymore, please consider donating them to the preschool.

Simply email us a photo of the toy(s) and we will let you know if it is something we need or can use in our classrooms.

Flower Sale Update

A HUGE thank you to everyone who purchased items during our spring flower sale. We exceeded our goal by

64 items and our profit was \$3861.00. Absolutely Amazing! This will allow us to continue our enrichment programs in the preschool.

Reminder: Flowers may be picked up on April 30th between 11 am—1 pm.

Events Sponsored by the Church for

<u>Everyone:</u>

Egg My Yard

Sign you to have the church youth group fill your yard with plastic eggs full of candy and treats the night before Easter. For more information and pricing click on link https://forms.gle/iF8DeFHs4RDoHDRz8

Spring Festival for Families

April 14th at 11:15 am here at the church. There will be activities and a food truck. <u>https://forms.gle/xWBhN9VaS67y88Nn6</u>

Vacation Bible School

The Church has announced that Vacation Bible School (VBS) is scheduled for 6/17-6/21. I will notify preschool families when a registration link and more information are available.



Thanks for all of the lids!