

# December

## 3 Day Enrichment - Mrs. Caprara & Mrs. McDonough

### DATES TO REMEMBER

Monday, December 4

Saturday, December 9

**Friday, December 22**

Through Monday, January 1

Wednesday, January 3

Friday, January 19

Monday January 22

Tuesday, January 23-26

Monday, January 29

**Tuesday, February 6**

Thursday, February 8

Tuition payment (#5) is due.

Cookie Walk 9:00

**CLOSED, CHRISTMAS VACATION**

CLASSES RESUME

Progress reports

Registration paper available from teachers.

Visitation in classrooms for 2018-2019  
school year registration

Evening visitation for prospective students for 2018-2019 year

**In-house Registration for 2018-2019(9:00AM-Fellowship Hall)**

Open Registration for 2018-2019 Preschool Office



Dear Parents,

Thanks to all of you who helped to make our Thanksgiving show a success. The children enjoyed preparing the program for you. We hope you enjoyed watching your stars. They did a great job! Make sure to look in the hall to see if any of your child's creations are hanging up there!

December promises to be a very busy month here at Cross Roads as we prepare for the holidays with crafts, songs, and books. We'll concentrate on the letters Mm, Nn, and Oo. The children will practice writing the upper and lower case letters and will listen for beginning sounds we have already introduced.

In math, we will concentrate on the numerals 11 through 20. We will practice recognizing and writing them, as well as identifying the corresponding number of objects in a set, and identifying which set has more or less.

**Extended Day:** Afternoons will be busy this month! We will study magnets with many hands on activities. The second part of the month our focus will be on literature, featuring Chicka-Chicka Boom Boom, Where the Wild Things Are, A Bad Case of Stripes and The Gingerbread Man.

Just some reminders for everyone. . .

- Please check the snack list for your child's upcoming snack day.
- Please label all coats, mittens, hats, boots, etc.
- Remember to drive slowly through the parking lot. There are many children here at the preschool.
- Please stay warm in your car until you are under the church roof.
- **No pull-ups.** We are half way through the year, at this time there should be no children needing them.

If you have questions, concerns or just want to know how your child is doing in school please feel free to speak to us by calling 412-372 -6589 before or after school or make an appointment to meet with us.

Have a joyous holiday season with your family and friends.

Sincerely,

Lisa Caprara and Samantha McDonough

TELL A FRIEND! YOUR REFERRAL IS THE GREATEST COMPLIMENT. THANK YOU!

## **2018-2019 REGISTRATION FOR PRESCHOOL CLASSES & KDO**

Monday, Jan 22 -Registration papers will be available in the classroom.

Tuesday, Jan. 23- Friday, Jan. 26 - Parents can visit prospective classrooms for 2018-2019. Please call 412-372-6836 to make an appointment.

Monday, Jan. 29 – Evening Visitation for prospective 2018-2019 students and parents to visit the new classrooms from 7:00-8:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, Feb. 6** - Registration papers accepted at 9:00AM in Fellowship Hall on a first come/first serve basis for current Cross Roads families. Snow date will be Wed. February 7. Open registration for families not currently enrolled at Cross Roads begins Thursday, February 8 at 9:00am in the Preschool Office.

### **DIRECTOR'S NOTES**

#### **BACK DOOR LOCKED AFTER 9:30 AM**

If you are running late or need to come into the building after that time, please enter through the front circle doors or on the church office side of the building. If you have any questions please see Kelley.



#### **SNOW POLICY:**

**Look for Cross Roads Preschool on your TV or Internet for any Cancellations or delays.**

**If there is a delay;  
Morning class will meet from 10-12.  
Afternoon Class will meet from 1-3pm**

#### **Dec 16<sup>th</sup>-Family Christmas Party 6-8PM**

This month, instead of a movie night Pastor Lori wants to invite you all to a Family Christmas Party. Come and carol along with friends, enjoy making a craft and having hot chocolate and cookies. It's sure to be a festive time!! Look for sign up card in your child's backpack ☺

### **CHURCH HAPPENINGS:**

**December 3- Hanging of the Greens-** Come and carol in the season as we adorn our sanctuary for the holiday season

**December 10- Gift of the Fourth Wiseman**  
Presentation of gifts for those less fortunate. Names available on Church entrance hallway.

**December 17-Christmas Cantata**  
A beautiful service performed by Our Sanctuary Choir, Bell Choir and Children's Choir, accompanied by ensemble of professional musicians.



**December 24 Christmas Eve**  
10:00 AM Family Worship  
10:00PM Traditional Candle Light and Communion Service.



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