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**3 Day Enrichment Class-Mrs. Caprara & Mrs. McDonough**

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

Monday, November 2  
**Tuesday, November 3**  
Monday, November 9  
**Monday, November 23**

Tuition Due  
**CLOSED-ELECTION DAY**  
**CLOSED-VETERANS DAY**  
**Thanksgiving Program 9:00am: Please stay tuned. We are working on how we can safely make this happen for the students and families.**



**\*\*\*\*\*ALL STUDENTS WILL BE FINISHED FOR THE DAY AFTER THE PROGRAM.\*\*\*\*\***

**Wednesday, November 25**      **CLOSED, Thanksgiving Break**  
**Through Monday, November 30**

Thursday, November 26      Community Thanksgiving Service-Old Stone Church 10:00  
Saturday, Dec. 12      Cookie Walk (9:00-10:30)

**Wednesday, December 23**      **CLOSED, CHRISTMAS VACATION**  
**Through Friday, January 1**

Hello, Everyone!

November's crisp days will soon be here, and we're looking forward to another busy month. Much of this month will be spent learning about the Pilgrims and Native Americans and their way of life so many years ago. We'll be learning songs, sign language, and stories. Our craft projects will compliment the Thanksgiving harvest theme and we'll be using some of them as props for our Thanksgiving program. Listening to and following directions as well as developing scissors skills will be stressed.

In reading readiness, we'll continue working on positional words, and recognizing upper and lower case letters, and their sounds. Much more incidental learning takes place throughout the normal span of the school day. Please review the upper and lower case letters at home. Some children are still weak in this area.

Have your children take their time printing their names at home. We are trying to get them to write legibly.

Now that Halloween is over and the candy is done, we are studying nutrition and healthy foods .

**Tentatively:**The Class will present a Thanksgiving program on Monday, Nov. 23, at 9:15 a.m. in the church sanctuary. . Although our program is short and simple, the children always enjoy doing it, and we think it is a good learning experience for them to perform in front of an audience. There will be **no regular class** that day. **The children should report to the drop off area at 8:45 a.m.** The parents and guest can go into the sanctuary to wait. After the show, the children will be dismissed. Unfortunately we will not be able to have refreshments afterwards.

In Extended Day this Month, we will extend our study of Nutrition. We will focus on each of the five food groups as well as healthy vs. junk food. We will conclude the unit with a special day focusing on popcorn.

We had a wonderful time in our Pumpkin Patch. Thank you for helping make it a success! You are truly appreciated.

Sincerely,  
Lisa Caprara and Samantha McDonough

## DIRECTORS NOTES:

## CHURCH HAPPENINGS:

### ❖ GIVING TREES



At Cross Roads Preschool we like to encourage children sharing in everyday life. In the spirit of the season, we are asking the children in each class to bring in different items that our Food Pantry has identified in their Christmas Dinner shopping list. As a preschool we will first work separately to bring item in and then as a school we will deliver the food to the food pantry. It is a great way for the kids to see how we individually and collectively can make a difference.

#### Your class is asked to bring all or any of the items below:

Dinner Rolls  
Gravy/ Gravy Mix  
Muffin Mix

### ❖ Yoga Classes

Stressed? Come breathe, relax and take a minute for yourself. Mondays 7:00pm in Fellowship Hall. \$7/class. Come when you are able.



**SNOW POLICY: Look for Cross Roads Preschool on your TV or Internet for any cancelations or delays. If there is a delay, our class will meet from 10-3.**

### ❖ THANKSGIVING SERVICE

If you are looking for a place to give Thanks on Thanksgiving morning, we invite you to the Community Thanksgiving Service at the Old Stone Church in Monroeville, at 10am. Come as you are!



### ❖ GIFT OF THE 4<sup>TH</sup> WISEMAN

A wonderful opportunity to celebrate the spirit of giving to those less fortunate this holiday season. Gift list will be posted in the church Entryway starting 11-9.

**Collection will be 12-3**



