

November

St. Paul's Lutheran Preschool

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Give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

1 Thessalonians 5:18

Thanksgiving: is a special time for families to stop and pause from the busy rush of living and give thanks to our dear Lord for His abundant goodness toward us. Do plan to worship together with your whole family. We would like to take this opportunity to invite you to our Thanksgiving Day worship service that is held at 9:00 A.M. at St. Paul's in the church sanctuary. Visitors are always welcomed. (Thanksgiving break is November 25,26 & 27)

Student Evaluations: You received your child's preschool checklist last week. Please remember that these are only a guideline to help us and you to help your child. Remember some children know more than they are willing to tell us in a testing situation at school. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your child's teacher.

Book Club: The November Firefly Book Club order form is attached. Thank you for ordering already this year. The due date for ordering books is November 13. (Please make checks payable to St. Paul's Lutheran Preschool.)

Stone Soup: To celebrate the Thanksgiving holiday we will be making "stone" soup with the children on November 19 & 20. Each child is asked to bring one vegetable to cut up and add to our soup. (They may also bring a can or small package of frozen vegetables.) Family and friends may join us at 11 a.m. to taste our soup. This is a fun tradition at our preschool and one that helps some children to learn to like vegetable soup. Watch for further information, as the days get closer.

Show 'n' Tell: Show and tell for the T-Th class will be Nov. 5. They should bring something that is blue.

Christmas Program: Please mark your calendars for the evening of December 17. We will be having our annual Christmas program at 7 p.m.

Book Bags: If at all possible, please provide your child with a book bag or plastic bag to hold papers, projects, and library books that are brought home. PLEASE TAKE TIME TO REMOVE AND LOOK AT YOUR CHILD'S WORK AND OTHER IMPORTANT PAPERS! When sending payments or notes to preschool, **please put them in the main pocket** of the child's school bag. We check those pockets daily.

Clothing in Cold and Inclement Weather: Please remember to dress your child appropriately for the weather. Boots, coats, hats, and mittens/gloves should be worn. (It is helpful if hats, mittens, scarves, and boots are labeled.) Please remember that your child needs to bring along another pair of shoes (preferably sneakers) to be worn at school.

F.Y.I.: Parent Teacher League received a check from Hacienda for \$326.75 for the Sept. 15th fundraiser! Thank you to all who participated. We had a wonderful turn out.

New Playground: Playground update – A deposit has been made, equipment ordered and we are waiting an installation date!