

Grace Bible Christian Preschool - 3 year olds  
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2023

*"Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; for His lovingkindness is everlasting." Psalm 107:1*

Dear Parents,

As the Thanksgiving Holiday is upon us, let's thank the Lord for His goodness to us. We rejoice that He provides for our needs each day!

### Topics

In November, we will learn about the Triangle, the color Brown, Turkeys, Thanksgiving and the things we are thankful for. **Brown Sharing Day** will be Thursday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, so please bring one item to share and wear the color brown! We will even begin learning about Christmas and the color red! **Red Sharing Day** will be Tuesday, November 28<sup>th</sup>, and again, only one item to share, and please wear red!

### Christian Education

During this month, we will focus on being thankful for the many blessings God allows us to be a part of! He is so good! Our Bible verse this month is Psalm 136:1 "*Give thanks to God.*"

### Save the Date

Our 3's Christmas Program will be Thursday, December 14<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 AM for **all** 3's classes. More specific information to come! **Note that this year we do have school the following Tuesday, December 19<sup>th</sup>.**

### Conference Day

Tuesday, November 21<sup>st</sup> is the scheduled 3's Conference Day. This is a day that we look forward to meeting with you and discussing your child's progress and goals. Please note that babysitting will not be provided. See the attached form to select a time that works for you. If you would like to schedule a conference, **fill in the form** provided and return it to school no later than **Tuesday, November 7<sup>th</sup>**. The teachers will try to schedule your appointment as close to the time slot you selected. Conferences will be no longer than **15 minutes**. **If you do not have any concerns and do not schedule a conference, we will simply send your child's Progress Report home with him/her.**

### Thanksgiving Holiday

Thanksgiving Vacation is November 23<sup>rd</sup>.

### School Closing Due To Weather

If Carroll County Schools are closed due to weather, we are closed. If Carroll County Schools open one hour late, we open one hour late with morning dismissal, afternoon arrival, and afternoon dismissal times remaining the same. If Carroll County Schools open two hours late, we open two hours late. The morning sessions will be 10:50 a.m. - 12:25 p.m.; the afternoon session will be 1:20 p.m. - 2:55 p.m. If Carroll County Schools close early, the afternoon session is canceled.

### **Tuition Due Date**

The November tuition is now due and the December tuition is due by the first of December. You may mail your payment to **Grace Bible Preschool, 3250 Charmil Drive, Manchester, MD 21102**. If you choose to hand carry your tuition, it may be placed in the lock box in the main entrance of the church. ***Please do not place your child's tuition in their school bag.*** Remember to include your child's name and Grace Bible Preschool on the front of your sealed envelope. **Please include your child's name in the memo field of your check for proper allocation.**

### **Registration for the 2024-2025 School Year**

Beginning in **December**, we will start registering children for preschool, pre-K, and kindergarten. If you have friends, neighbors or relatives who have a child eligible for any of these programs, please feel free to invite them to contact Melissa Rhoads at (410) 374-9286. If you are interested in registering a child for kindergarten, pre-K, or preschool for this next school year, please contact the school as soon as possible. You are also welcome to set up a time to come in and observe our classes, if you wish to do so.

In Christ,  
Karen Breen, Kim Harcus, Diana Mosley,  
Cindy Myers & Vicky Wilmer

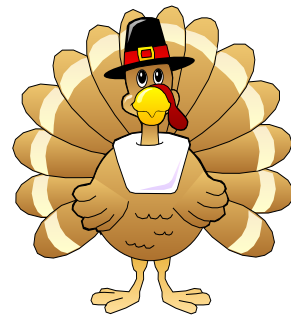
Here are some additional fingerplays/poems we thought you and your child(ren) would enjoy at home:

### **FINGERPLAYS**

#### **Hello, Mr. Turkey**

Sung to: "If You're Happy and You Know It"

Hello, Mr. Turkey, how are you?  
Hello, Mr. Turkey, how are you?  
With a gobble gobble gobble,  
And a wobble wobble wobble.  
Hello, Mr. Turkey, how are you?



#### **Thank You**

Mother, Father, Sister, Brother,  
Baby too will say,  
"Thank you, thank you, thank you  
On this Thanksgiving Day."  
— HAPPY THANKSGIVING —

#### **Thank You, God** (sung to: *London Bridge*)

Thank You, God, for our food,  
For our food, for our food.  
Thank You, God, for our food. Thank You, God.  
Thank You, God, for our friends,  
For our friends, for our friends.  
Thank You, God, for our friends. Thank You, God.  
Thank You, God, for our toys,  
For our toys, for our toys.  
Thank You, God, for our toys. Thank You, God.

**Preschool Conference Request**

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Circle the most convenient time slot for a conference:

8:40 - 9:30 AM

9:30 - 10:30 AM

10:30 - 11:30 AM

Parent's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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