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Let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith.

Hebrews 12:1-2a

Preschool Staff:

Mrs. Christie Wonnacott- Director Mrs. Kelly Thornton - Teacher

<u>Snacks:</u> We provide a snack during the morning, but we would appreciate your assistance to keep our costs down.

Please feel free to sign up on the bulletin board between the classrooms, or just bring something for our cupboard or refrigerator.

Show and Tell: Show and Tell is a way for children to develop verbal and social skills. The children in the **Beginner class** will have this twice a month and they will be asked to bring specific things. Watch the monthly calendar for details. We sent home a plastic bag to use for this in the first day folder.

The Me Bag: The children in the PreK class will bring the Me Bag home once during the year (we choose one child a week). The child may fill the bag with several pictures or things that tell about him or her. A note will accompany the bag.

NO PRESCHOOL on Monday, Sep. 2nd

PreK Class: If your child cannot write their first name yet, please help them practice at home. When they start class (not extended care) in the morning, they have to sign in by writing their name on the board. They also have to write their name on papers done in class. We appreciate your cooperation!

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Weather Closings/Delays: WNDU-TV and WSBT-TV give information about changes in school schedules. It will also be posted on Facebook. In the event of a 2-hour delay, Preschool begins at 10:00 am and dismisses at 11:30 am; extended care will be available.

<u>GYM:</u> Please note dates for gym on our monthly calendar so that your child has sneakers to wear that day. Students can keep shoes in their cubbies if you prefer.

<u>Family Info:</u> Please notify us of any changes that occur in your family (a move, illness, death in the family, etc.) so that we can better serve your child.

Backpacks: Please provide your child with a backpack large enough to hold papers, projects, and library books. Please take time to remove and look at your child's work and important notices! Please check your email & texts for invoices and announcements. Please put payments, etc. in the main compartment of the backpack, not in a side pocket.

PTL Meeting: The Parent-Teacher League will meet on Tuesday, Sep. 10th at 6:00 pm in the small meeting room. All parents are invited to attend and get involved in the planning of events and activities for the students.

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Walking to the Whitlock: The PreK class will be walking to the Whitlock for Chapel (along with our Kindergarten class) on Friday, Sept. 27th at 9:45 am. We'll share our songs, and Pastor Wonnacott will share the message of Jesus with the senior residents of our community. Please make sure your child is dressed for the weather, and is wearing shoes appropriate for walking.

Chapel: Every week Pastor Wonnacott leads a service at 9:30 am for the preschool children. The first chapel is on Friday, Aug. 16th. We'll have chapel time with K-8 students and staff on the last Wednesday of each month at 11:00 am.

Book Orders: The first Scholastic Book Club flier was sent home in the folder on the first day of school. Please note you can only order books online. When you go to the website, click on "Connect to Teacher" and use code WD468 so that we will receive bonus points to use for our classrooms. The due date is Sept. 27th.

PTL Fall Rummage Sale:

Saturday, Sept. 7th from 8 am - 2 pm. You can bring items for the sale (no large furniture please) to the school gym until Sept. 6th. PTL also needs volunteers to set up, supervise, and take down the rummage sale. Please contact the school office if you can help!

COMING UP NEXT MONTH:

Picture Day: October 2nd

Fall Break: October 18th - 21st