

## October 2016 at Joyful Noise Theme: God Made My Family

"As for me and my family, we will serve the Lord"

Joshua 24:15



Music Theme: Music is Rhythm

Turtle Class:

Miss Ann & Miss Linda

We want to again welcome all of our new Joyful Noise families! Everyone is settling in and getting more comfortable with our daily routine. It is always a delight to hear the children begin to greet their new friends by name when they arrive in the mornina.

This month we will be exploring secondary colors, developing our tripod grip and working with number 1, 2, and 3. Look for green turtles, orange pumpkins, as well as many other colorful projects to make their way home. Letters T, S, M, B and P will be part of our alphabet awareness. We are planning two "special days" this month. On 10/5 and 10/6 we will have Pajama Days. On 10/27 and 10/28 we will have a Fall Fun Day. Weather permitting, we will take a wagon ride to a local park for pumpkin picking and return for a snack, craft and games. The park is within a block of the school. If anyone has a wagon that we may borrow for those days, please let us know. A sign-up sheet will be posted outside our room by 10/11 for other ways parents can help.

October gives us so many opportunities to explore and use our senses to delight in the world God has made. Please remember to send in a jacket as the weather cools down. Also, please return the questionnaires, as well as the subscription for Our Big World magazine. Thank you!

We have truly joyed getting to know each of your precious little ones during our first month of school. They are learning our classroom routines and making new friends. Thank you for all who participated in our fall field trip. What a great day God provided us!

Teddy Bear

Miss Greta &

Class:

We have been having fun working with colors and numbers, and we will continue this during the month of October. We will also spend time learning about the season of fall as we rake leaves in our classroom, sing about autumn changes, read fall stories, and make some fall goodies.

Our Bible theme this month is "God Made My Family." We will be learning about lives that Jesus touched, how He showed them love, and how we can show others love. You can follow along in your child's Bible that he/she should be receiving this month.

Please remember to dress your child appropriately for seasonable, outdoor play and make sure your child's name is labeled in their jacket and backpack. Also, a reminder that book orders are due. Thank you!



Important Dates & Reminders November Tuition Due SCHOOL CLOSED 10/110/10Columbus Day 10/12 & 13 Class Pictures <u>Please return</u> order form by 10/11

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Leaping Frog Class: Miss Chrissy & Miss Gabby Our



Leaping Frogs are off to a FANTASTIC start! We have enjoyed getting to know your little ones. They are so precious! They are learning the expectations and routines of the classroom, as well as forming bonds with their classmates. Thank you to all who joined and helped us on our Fall field trip to Johnson's Farm. God blessed us with a wonderful dav!

The theme for Bible this month is "God Made My Family" to show how special our families are. Our memory verse is, "As for me and my family we will serve the Lord", Joshua 24:15. This verse shows the children our families should be united in God and work for Him.

Our music theme is "Music is Rhythm". We will encourage the children to sing, make motions, dance and follow directions.

We will continue to learn colors and numbers through our stories, songs, centers and art projects.

Please LABEL all of your child's belongings they bring to school. Thank you!



## Shining Star Class: Miss Theresa Miss Kim

We are beginning to dig in now. We're enjoying getting to know your children...and you, as we settle into our regular class routine. As we stated at Back to School Night, we are excited to watch your children grow this year as we learn and play in the Shining Stars Class.

Now that fall is upon us, we will be making projects geared toward a fall theme, such as leaves and Indian corn. We will also celebrate fall in a big way at our Harvest parties on October 19th and 20th. Keep an eye out for a sign-up sheet to be posted on October 5th for ways you can help!

Other projects this month will include ice cream cones, paper bag houses, shape trains and bumblebees. We hope you are enjoying seeing your child's handiwork. They take such great pride in their work!

The children (and teachers) are looking forward to our first road trip on a bus to Duffield's Farm on October 7th. Please remember to have your child at school by 8:50 AM that day so we can be bathroomed and board the bus by 9:00 AM. We will be eating lunch at the farm, so please pack a disposable, bagged lunch. There is a nice market there if you choose to purchase your lunch.

During the month of October, we are giving YOU some homework. Please send in a picture of your family to be displayed on our bulletin board in November.

Don't forget picture days on October 12th and 13th!

## Smilev Face Class: Miss Barbara & Miss Linda



We love fall in the Smiley Face Class. We enjoy watching the leaves change color and eventually fall off the trees. The air is cooler, delightful for playing outside with our friends. We have some special events in October. Our first Field Trip is on Friday, October 7th. We are going to Duffield's Farm to pick pumpkins and enjoy a hayride. On October 12th & 13th, we will have individual and class pictures taken. Then on October 19th & 20th, we will have Harvest Parties. We will post a sign-up sheet in the front hallway on October 5th for party helpers and donations of supplies and food.

There will also be lots of learning going on! We will focus on the letters Ff, Ii, Hh, Bb, and shapes. We will make fall leaves, frogs, ice cream cones, Indian corn, houses, a shape train, a triangle fish, shapes people, a bee, a bear and baby Moses in a basket. We will learn about some families in the Bible and share about our own families. Please send in a family picture to be displayed in our classroom.

As weather becomes cooler, please send in extra clothes, (shirt, pants, socks, and underwear, all labeled with child's name). Thank you!

## Church Information



Sunday service at 10:00 AM. Nursery care and Sunday School are provided during the service.

Calvary Chapel of Marlton has their own FM radio station, Hope-FM 90.5. Please tune in 24 hours a day to hear the very best in Christian music and Bible teaching programs.

Kindergarten: Miss Jenn

We have had a wonderful



start getting to know your children in our first month of Kindergarten! In our reading class, we will continue to learn new letters. By the middle of October, we will have introduced all 26 letters! We will also begin to learn word families to help us to read. This month we will cover "at", "ap", "an", and "ad".

In Math, we will look at different ways to make 10; counting objects to 10, more/ fewer, as well as comparing objects and their lengths. During Bible time this month, we will cover these stories: Abraham and Isaac, Jonah and the Whale, Samson and The Two Builders. We will also be discussing how we can build our lives around God. We are looking forward to a great October!

**Reminder: November** 4th will be our field trip to Johnson's Farm. Look for more information to come home in your child's folder.

Follow along in your Bibles at home.... Pre-school: 10/3 The First Family Page 82 10/10 Isaac Was a Gift from God -Page 98 10/17 Hannah Prays for a Baby- Pages 156-159 10/27 Samuel Grows Up -Pages 160-163 10/31 A Baby in a Basket -Pages 92-97 Kindergarten: 10/3 Abraham and Isaac Pages 42-45 10/10 Jonah and the Whale Pages 190-193 10/17 Samson Pages 138-141 10/24 The Two Builders Matthew 7:24-27