

Together Times

Bible Stories & Themes

May 3-7 Creation, Genesis 1:1-2:3
May 10-15 Creation, Genesis 1:26-2:25
May 17-21 You Are Mine: Celebrate Our Wonderful World

Things to Do

- Stay up late and look at the night sky.
- Collect rocks. Paint them. Sort them.
- Find the things that God made
- Find things that man made

Songs, Prayers & Poems

Thank you for the world so sweet,
Thank you for the food we eat,
Thank you for the birds that sing,
Thank you, God, for everything!
Amen.

Hallelujah! Praise Ye the Lord!

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Feature Literature

The Carrot Seed, Ruth Krauss
Who is the Beast?, Keith Baker
I Like Me, Nancy Carlson
Better Move On, Frog, Ron Maris



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for more classroom information!

Preschool Threes May Classroom News

Cathy Maverick & Karen Montgomery

The final month of school is upon us and it is hard to believe that nearly ten months have passed since the children entered our classroom. The school road has been paved with wonderful memories that will multiply over the next 13+ years as your children experience their school years. The children have become so independent, confident, and skilled over the past few months! Those who were fearful of school at the beginning, cannot wait for their next school day to come! Children have bonded, families have networked, and friendships among children and their parents have developed. Thank you, God, for these blessings!

In our next unit, God Made the World, we will discover the awesome world that God created just for us! We will look at the beauty around us and how we can care for our world. The classroom will be filled with science experiments as we discover planting and growing.

Finally, our class will have a Celebration Day on Wednesday, May 25, for the MWF classes and on Thursday, May 26, for the TTH class. We are looking for a few volunteers for each of these days. A closing chapel service will follow our celebration, with parents and families invited. Please watch for more information!

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May 3-5 Paul's Conversion

May 10-12 Dorcas

May 17-19 Timothy

May 19 Visit Mexico

May 26 Celebration Day!

Things to Do

- Ask mom or dad to help you write a letter to a friend or relative and send it to them.
- Count how many trucks you see on the road.
- Listen and look for airplanes in the sky .

Feature Literature

Tiki Tiki Tembo, Arlene Mosel
Letters from Felix, Annette Langen
Flying,, Donald Crew

Snack List

Thanks for remembering your snack items all year!



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Bible Stories & Lesson Themes

May 3-7

Fall into Sin (Genesis 3)

Numeral recognition and Writing

Birds

Phonemic Awareness – Blending Syllables

Rhyming

Mother's Day – May 9

May 10-14

Noah's Big Boat (Genesis 6:9-22, 7 & 8)

Numeral Recognition and Writing

Seashore

Rainbows

Beginning and Ending Sound Matching

May 17-21

You Are Mine (Isaiah 43:1, 1 Peter 2:9)

Numeral Recognition and Writing

Seashore and Summer Fun

May 21 - 25

Jesus and the Children (Mark 10:13-16)

End of Year Parties

Wednesday, May 26, a.m. and p.m.

Thursday, May 27, a.m.

Things to Do

- Talk about animal homes, people homes, and our heavenly home.
- Count backwards from ten.
- Do some cloud watching—what do you see?
- Practice writing numerals, your name, and familiar words.
- Review your address and telephone number.
- Name the animals on Noah's Ark from A to Z.
- Plan summer fun (don't forget Vacation Bible School)!

Feature Literature

Rainbow Fish by Marcus Pfister

Swimmy by Leo Leoni

The Lonely Firefly by Eric Carle



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Preschool Fours

May Classroom News

Mrs. Holmes & Mrs. McCartan

In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. Genesis 1:1

We will continue our unit, God's Created World, in May. We will learn how God created our beautiful world. We will tell the story of man's fall into sin during our Bible time. Our focus in preschool will be on God's goodness and His love for us. God promised to send Jesus to forgive us and make us friends with God again. When we fall, remember, it is Jesus who picks us up. We are special to Him; we belong to Him. He knows each and every one of us and calls us by name. His unconditional love is priceless.

We will continue to write and review numerals one through ten. We will match numerals and sets. We will count, pattern, sort, and classify many items. We will measure and weigh ourselves to see how much we have grown since the beginning of the school year.

During our language time, we will be blending syllables to make whole words. We will work with beginning and ending sounds. The children are starting to recognize many words. We will also focus on more rhyming activities.

We will visit **Red Oak Nature Center** to observe and enjoy God's beautiful creation. Permission slips are included with the Newsletter. Classes will go **Monday, May 24 and Tuesday, May 25.**

If your child has a summer birthday and would like to celebrate with his or her classmates in May, please let me know.

Our final class dates are **Wednesday, May 26 and Thursday, May 27.** The children will enjoy special activities to celebrate the great school year we had together. Look for the sign-up sheet outside the classroom if you would like to help. We will close with a worship service in the church during the last half-hour of class.

Snack List

Item	MWF AM	MTWTh PM	TTh AM
Grapes (May 3-7)	Angelina	Ashley	Jack
Animal crackers (May 3-7)	Brady	Meghann	Adam
Bananas (May 10-14)	Luke E.	Terra	Morgan
1 roll paper towel	Sophia	Meridith	Ellie
Small bottle catsup	Kailey		
50 - 9 oz. cups	Gavin	Jack	Ben
Hot dogs - 1 per child (May 10-14)	Abby	Avery	Levi
Pkg. 5oz. cups	Keaton	Brennan	
9 oranges (May 17-21)	Lauren	Jacob	
Pkg. plastic spoons	Quintin	Matthew	

Thank You!

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May & June Events

We have finished the Letter of the Week!

May 31	Memorial Day – NO SCHOOL
June 4	We will visit London
June 8	Family, Field & Fun Day
June 9	Last Day of School

Things to Do

- Write a letter to your grandparents.
- Write your telephone number and put it next to your telephone.
- Call a friend or relative on the telephone.
- Look at the newspaper with your parents.
- Name the kind of cars on a train.

Feature Literature

England by Kathleen W. Deady
England by Jean F. Blashfield
Castles by Stephanie Turnbull
A Bear Called Paddington by Michael Bond

Snack List

Meyers through Patch – 1 box of Vanilla Wafers
Polizzotto and Riani – 1 box of Club Crackers
Shackelford through Smogur – 1 box of crackers, any type
Spellman through Zagorski – 1 bag of carrot sticks

