

Northville First Care December Newsletter

December 2015

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A Note from the Director

December marks the beginning of the holy Christmas season here at NFC. We celebrate the birth of Jesus through songs, stories and activities in the classroom. Please join us for our Christmas Program in the sanctuary followed by snacks and desserts in the gym on Friday, December 11th. The festivities begin at 6:30 pm and extended family and friends are welcome.

Please note that we will be closed the whole week between Christmas and New Year's this year. Tuition will not be charged. Have a blessed holiday season.

- Nancy

Outdoor Play Policy

Our children play outside each day when the temperature and wind chill are above 0°F. With your help your child will stay warm and have lots of fun while playing outside. Remember to label hats, gloves, snow pants/suits, coats and boots. Gloves should also be water resistant; knitted gloves can get very wet and make little hands very cold. Also consider providing two pairs of gloves for your child to guarantee dry gear.

Church Happenings

ASP Cookie Walk

Saturday, December 5th from 9:00 am-12:00 pm is the Appalachian Service Project Cookie Walk. This is a great time to stock up on delicious holiday cookies and help a good cause at the same time! Nut-free and gluten-free cookies will be available.

“The Voices of Christmas” Special Choir Concert: Sunday, December 6th, 9:15 am and 11:00 am

December 14th: Christmas Choir Concert Worship, 9:15 am & 11 am

Dec. 20th : Longest Night Service, 7 pm

Christmas Eve Services: Wednesday, December 24th:

4:00 pm: Family Worship

6:00 pm: Contemporary Worship

8:30 pm: Traditional Worship

December Birthdays

Sydney C. 12/1

Gabrielle P. 12/1

Jacob V. 12/7

Mila A. 12/8

Ella C. 12/13

Yi Ping C. 12/17

Delaney B. 12/18

Julia S. 12/29



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Center Reminders:

Many families will be taking holiday breaks, extended vacations and trips to see families and friends this month. Please try to remember to let your child's teacher know if you will be gone. Often times we can then allow some staff to go and spend time with their families as well. Watch for sign-ups in your child's classroom to let teachers know when your child will attend.

School Closings:

When Northville Public Schools are closed by 6:00 am due to dangerous road conditions then Northville First Care is closed. School closings can be found online, on local news stations and on the radio. We also send out emails and Facebook messages as soon as possible so make sure that the office has an email address on file for your family. You can join the Northville First Care group by searching for us on Facebook (we are a closed, private group with crayons as our profile picture.) Send a request to join so that you can chat with other First Care parents and receive reminders about events and school closings.

Dates to Remember

Friday, December 11: NFC Christmas Pageant, 6:30 pm

Thursday & Friday, December 24-25: Christmas Vacation, Center Closed

Monday, December 28, 2015-Friday, January 1, 2016: Center Closed, parents will not be charged

Northville First Care Staff

Give thanks this season to our wonderful teachers who work hard to provide a fun, enriching education topped with understanding, compassion and genuine love.

Infants

Ms. Melissa
Mr. Dave
Ms. Jennifer
Ms. Lynne
Ms. Margaret
Ms. Stephanie

Toddlers

Ms. Vicki
Ms. Catrina
Ms. Eun hi
Ms. Mary
Ms. Nicole

Kindergarten Readiness 2

Ms. Stephanie
Ms. Lauren
Ms. Solange
Ms. Suzanne

Kindergarten Readiness 1

Ms. Krystn
Ms. Allison
Ms. Angela
Ms. Chiara
Ms. Kaitlin
Ms. Kortney

Early Preschool

Ms. Renee
Ms. Beth
Ms. Callie
Ms. Cassie
Ms. Kris

Young Toddlers

Ms. Virginia
Ms. Afrina
Ms. Maggie
Ms. Weifen
Ms. Yi Ping

Administration

Ms. Nancy
Ms. Ruth

NFC Christmas Pageant

On Friday, December 11th we will present our Christmas Pageant. Parents, families and friends will be treated to the story of Christmas, the singing of Christmas carols, and a bell choir performance, all done by children dressed in costumes and their holiday best. All the children of the center are invited to attend. The performance starts at 6:30 pm in the church sanctuary, so please drop your child off at their classroom by 6 pm. Seating in the sanctuary will be arranged by classroom and we ask that you sit with the class of your youngest child (children will later be dismissed youngest to oldest.) After the program everyone is invited to enjoy refreshments in the Fellowship Hall.

*Please watch for more instructions from your child's teacher.



Check out these Santa Babies from Christmas' Past!

