

GENEVA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CHILDREN'S CENTER

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★ December Newsletter ★



GCC Children Will Sing Sunday Morning, Dec. 8th

Please mark your calendars and join us Sunday, **Dec. 8th at 9:00 a.m.** All the children of GCC have been practicing and we hope that every child will be able to join us for our special part in the Geneva Christmas Program to be held in Simpson Hall.



After singing, the GCC children will return to their classrooms to enjoy a craft and story time. The GCC staff will be here to assist your children during this special time. Children can be picked up after the service at 10 a.m. Following the service, please join us for refreshments on the court yard.

Special Note: As this is a busy and exciting morning, GCC is asking our parents to be mindful as you take pictures of this event. Please take pictures from the side isles or from the back, so as not to block the congregation's view of our singers. Thank you. We are grateful for the wonderful ongoing support to GCC by the members and friends of Geneva Presbyterian Church. The members so enjoy hearing your children sing and to see their smiling faces.

Children are encouraged to wear 'Christmas attire'. Please bring your child to their own classroom by 8:45 a.m. We would appreciate if you would sign up at the information area your attendance for December 8th so we can plan accordingly. Thank you for helping us to sing like the angels and shine like stars!



★ Director's Corner ★

The excitement and anticipation of Christmas is with us all. We are looking forward to having your children sing on **Sunday, December 8th at the 9:00 a.m. service to be held in Simpson Hall at Geneva.**

Christmas Eve, Dec. 24th GCC will close at 2:30 p.m. All families are invited to the Children's Christmas Eve service in the chapel at 3:00. This is a 30 min. family program.

GCC will be closed Dec 25-Jan1. GCC will be open with regular hours on Jan 2nd.

Merry Christmas to all from the staff at GCC and the best of 2020.

May you always remember the 'Reason for the Season'.

Tis' the... Colds and Flu Season

This is flu and cold season. Please refer to the Parent Handbook regarding children coming to school if they are ill. Please keep your child home for their health and the health/safety of other children and staff if they are running a fever, lingering coughs and runny noses.

When you are called to pick your child up from school for health related concerns it is because the staff recognizes that your child is not at their best and they are unable to participate in group settings.

If your child is sent home from school they must remain at home for 24 hours or have a Doctor's note to return.

Thank you for your help keeping GCC germ free.

Calendar

12/1	Tuition Due
12/1-14	Scholastic Book Orders
12/8	Children sing 9:00 a.m. Sunday Worship service
12/18&19	Classroom Christmas Parties
12/24	Christmas Eve GCC closes at 2:30
12/25-1/1	School Closed Christmas and New Year Holidays
1/2/20	School resumes

School Holiday Closure Dates

School will be closed, **December 25 - Jan 1 for the Christmas and New Year's Holidays.**

School resumes with regular hours, **January 2nd . Happy Holidays!**



Christmas Online Ordering for Scholastic Books

The Scholastic Book Fair was so popular last year we are offering online shopping with free shipping for Christmas shoppers this year. You may order between Dec. 1-14 and receive your order in time for Christmas.

When you order books, you are also supporting GCC with free books for our school library.

All online orders placed Dec. 1-14 insure delivery by Christmas. Orders of any size receive free shipping and can be picked up at school. Books make wonderful Christmas gifts.

How to order:

- 1) Go to scholastic.com/bookclubs
- 2) Connect with teacher: Kathy Vanderhoff
- 3) Enter code: **TMLPZ**
- 4) Create your own account
- 5) Choose to order from multiple flyers

All books ordered will be grade level Pre-K. All orders of any size will ship for free and can be picked up at GCC. If you have any questions please contact Mrs. Kathy at GCC or call 949 581-2200.



Thanksgiving Feasts...So much to be Thankful for!

