

Remember - We are closed on November 21st - 23rd for Thanksgiving Break.

November
2018



Election Day!

LBP will be closed on **Tuesday, November 6th** for election day. You guys know it's important to vote in the midterms, right? Get out there and VOTE!



Craft Fair!

Makes plans to join us on **Saturday, November 17th** from 9:00 - 3:00 for our 5th Annual Arts and Crafts Fair. We will have over thirty vendors with a variety of items for you to check out - just in time for Christmas shopping. Be sure to visit our Facebook for a peek at all the vendors that will be joining us. And we will be serving Slick Pig Bar-B-Q! Yummy!



Extra Clothes, Running Cars, and Kids in the Car!

Remember to bring jackets and change out your child's extra clothes for cooler weather! We go outside if the temperature is 32° and above. It's also important to remember to LABEL everything.

It isn't a good idea to leave your cars running while you are bringing your children inside. Lascassas is not immune to crime and car theft is a real thing!

If you have children in your car that do not come to LBP, please do not leave them in the car! This can easily turn into a dangerous situation.

Gobble, Gobble!



We will have our Thanksgiving Meal at 11:30 on **Tuesday, November 20th**. Our meal is being catered by Cracker Barrel this year! ***It is very important that you pay and reserve your spots as soon as possible, so we know how much to purchase.*** Please turn in the attached form and your payment in to the office by **Friday, November 9th**.

Monthly Mission Projects



Each month, our school participates in philanthropic activities to help our communities and to spread the love of Christ through our endeavors. This year, we have decided to support the Lascassas Fire Department each month by assigning a classroom bottled water duty. This month, we are asking the families in our **Toddler One Classroom** to donate bottled water. Any brand, size, or count is welcome and you can leave it next to the bin outside of our office.



For our schoolwide project, we are accepting items for Lighthouse Christian Camp in Smithville. This camp ministers to disadvantaged children of Middle TN. They bring children to camp during the summer and back again on weekends throughout the year. Over the past 30+ years, they have brought over 18,500 children to camp for FREE! They also provide a big Christmas party for these children each year and typically expect 800 children! A "camp store" is set up with donated items. These items are placed on tables and each child is given "play money" to shop for their family members. All the gifts "cost" the kids between only \$1 - \$10. How cool is that??? Attached to your newsletter is a list of things that can be purchased for their event. The possibilities are endless! Please place any items in the bin outside of our office by **Monday, November 19th**. Make a difference in the life of a child today!!!



December Sneak-Peek

Christmas Program

Tuesday, December 18th at 10:00 am

Happy Birthday Jesus Party

Wednesday, December 19th at 9:00 am

Closed for Christmas Break

Thursday, December 20th through Monday, January 7th

First School Day of 2019

Tuesday, January 8th

Lascassas Baptist Preschool

Lascassas Baptist Preschool Devotion

Here's a word of encouragement for you!

He who offers a sacrifice of thanksgiving honors me. - Psalm 50:23

What do you do when your life is going south? What do you do when it is "THANKSGIVING" and you have just lost a loved one... or just lost your job... or just lost your marriage? Surely you cannot be expected to give thanks... can you?

Sometimes thanksgiving is a sacrifice. Sometimes we must thank God through clenched teeth and choked back tears. Thanksgiving in the midst of a terrible storm brings tremendous joy to His heart. It shows the Lord that we really trust Him... regardless of the adverse circumstances we are facing.

THE THANKSGIVING CONSTANT

Perhaps you are one this year who is having trouble finding good in your life. Look no further than Jesus. He never changes. Despite everything you might be facing, you can rejoice in Him. You can give thanks for Him and His love and care for you. You can give thanks that He promised to work all things together for good.

Train yourself to give thanks in everything. Remember... a sacrifice of thanksgiving brings honor to the Lord. Thank Him for that trial you are facing. Thank Him for that sorrow. He will use your thanks for His glory and your ultimate good!

www.crosswalk.com/devotionals/thanksgiving-devotionals/when-you-don-t-feel-thankful-thanksgiving-devotional-nov-3.html

Child Development Central–THANKSGIVING EDITION

Thanksgiving dinner is such a special time. You're surrounded by friends and family and about to enjoy a delicious feast at a beautifully set, festive table.....with your kids. But not to worry! We've compiled a list of age-appropriate table manners to help you set your expectations, just in time for the holidays.

Before you lay down the law, make sure your child understands why it's important to use good manners at the table – mainly that eating together as a family is important to you and that it's more fun for everyone when the whole family follows certain rules. Then practice, practice, practice! Don't wait until the big day. Be consistent with your table rules and practice at home and in restaurants for several weeks prior to turkey day, praising your kids for using good manners and gently correcting forgotten rules. Speaking of expectations, depending on your child's age, you may need to lower yours, but most children, even preschoolers, can master the manners below:

Sitting Still – Okay, maybe just sitting would be a more realistic goal. But your young child does need to remain in his seat during his meal. Expecting him to make it through a four-course meal without moving is somewhat unrealistic, but he should remain seated – not under the table, standing up, or running around – while he eats his own meal, and then be excused to play quietly while the adults finish their food.

Inside Voice – Special occasions and unfamiliar faces can get preschoolers excited, and excitement can lead to, yes, yelling. Remind your little one that mealtime is a quiet time, where we talk in quiet, inside voices. Be sure to engage your child during the meal or task an older sibling with chatting her up – little ones can get loud when they're feeling ignored.

Hands Off – Make sure your kids understand that their food will be served to them, on a plate, and the plate (or their mouths) is where it should stay. Rather than reaching or grabbing for what they want, help them learn to ask, politely, for more of something. And, conversely, food that's on their plates should stay there (versus being put back in a serving dish or thrown across the room).

Please and Thank You – Preschoolers love to please! Odds are, they're already great at saying please and thank you and mealtime is just another place to practice these good manners. Model saying thank you when you're served and using please when asking for seconds or refills and give kudos to your kids when they do the same.

**PLEASE RETURN THIS COMPLETED FORM TO THE OFFICE
by Friday, November 9th**

Even if you are not eating the Thanksgiving Meal, we still need this form completed. Thanks!

Child's Name: _____

Thanksgiving Meal Reservations

We are preparing for our Thanksgiving Meal that will be held on **Tuesday, November 20th**. Below is the reservation form for the meal. Use one form per family. Please include the names of the people who are coming to lunch, check the appropriate cost box, and send in your form with payment to the office. **Please make checks payable to LBP.** Remember that everyone who eats must pay for the meal, including your children that attend LBP.

_____ My child will eat their packed lunch on November 20th – not the catered meal.

_____ My child will be eating the catered meal and the form is completed below.

_____ Other people will join my child for the catered meal and the form is completed below.

Name of person(s) eating the Thanksgiving Meal:	adults \$10.00	children 3 and up \$6.00	children 2 and under \$4.00	Total Amount Due

YOU MUST RESERVE YOUR SPOT!!!

GIRLS' GIFTS SUGGESTIONS

Dolls
Jewelry
Perfume & Body Splashes
Games
Trinkets
Balls
Games
Glitter markers, stickers
Skates
Skateboards
Girl Cosmetics
Age/content appropriate books (9-11 yrs old)
Backpacks
Small purses
Hair clips, bands, ties

PARENTS' GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Tools
Make-Up
What-Nots
Scarves
Gloves
Household Items
Figurines
Photo Albums
Stationary
Handkerchiefs
After-Shave Lotion
Jewelry

BOYS' GIFTS SUGGESTIONS

Remote Control Cars
Boats
Planes
Games
Matchbox cars
Ball Sports Items (helmets, knee pads, gloves, etc.)
Sports Balls (footballs, basketballs, etc.)
Skates
Skateboards
Fishing Equip (rods, reels, plugs, tackle boxes)
Camping Equip (canteens, flashlights, binoculars)
Baseball cards and other Trading cards
Age/content appropriate books (9-11 yrs old)
Backpacks, small wallets

GENERAL GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Movies
Markers
Pencils
Books
Combs or brushes
Cosmetics
Sunglasses
Photo Albums
Soaps, lotion sets
Gloves
Cologne
Figurines
Sweaters or Sweatshirts



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