



Jack and Jill Preschool 2016-2017 term special events dates:



Tuesday, September 6: first day of classes for pre-kindergarten students. Orientation day. Children attend preschool for one hour accompanied by a parent or other adult.

Wednesday, September 7: full class for pre-kindergarteners.

Thursday, September 8: first day of classes for primaries. Orientation day. Children attend preschool for one hour accompanied by a parent or other adult.

Friday, September 9: full class for primaries.

Monday, September 12: time to register your Giant Bonus card for the A+ school reward program!

Monday, September 19: weekly worship begins in the sanctuary. Worship for the pre-kindergarten students will be held on Mondays at approximately 9:30 & 12:30. Worship for the primary class will begin on Thursday, September 22, and will be held at approximately 9:30 each week when school is in session. Worship will be held in the sanctuary unless that space is needed for worship or other events, or if the weather is bad, in these cases, the children will stay in the preschool building for worship.



Wednesday, October 19: pre-kindergarten trips to Walker's Tree Farm 308 Spruce Street, Lehighton PA. Families must provide transportation to and from the field trip and must stay with the children during the trip. Morning class meets at Walker's at 9:00 a.m. and the afternoon class meets at Walker's at 12:00 p.m. Trips will be held during regular class times and there is a small fee of \$5.00 per person (adults and children each) which families will have to pay for the visit. The trips are outdoors and dependent upon the weather. More information to follow in October newsletter.

Friday, October 21: primary trip to Walker's Tree Farm 308 Spruce Street, Lehighton PA. Families provide transportation to and from the field trip and must stay with the children during the trip. The primary class will meet at Walker's at 9:00 a.m. The trip will be held during regular class time and there is a small fee of \$5 per person (adults and children each) which families will have to pay for the visit. The trips are outdoors and dependent upon the weather. More information to follow in October newsletter.

Monday, October 24: 2016 Yankee Candle Sale begins.

Friday, October 28: primary Halloween program in sanctuary at 9:15. Program will be about 15 minutes in length. Primary families are invited to attend and see their children in costume as they recite songs and rhymes.

Monday, October 31: pre-kindergarten Halloween programs in sanctuary at 9:15 and 12:15.

Programs are about 15 minutes in length. Pre-kindergarten families are invited to attend and see their children in costume as they recite songs and rhymes.



Friday, November 11: all Yankee Candle order forms and money due back at preschool today.

Tuesday, November 22: Pre-kindergarten Thanksgiving feasts in kitchen end of Luther Hall. The feasts will take place during the last 45 minutes of each class time. Family members are invited to attend and share a snack with their pre-kindergarten children.

Thursday, Friday & Monday, November 24, 25 & 28: preschool closed for Thanksgiving vacation.



[Winter has arrived, please make note of the preschool's inclement weather policy attached to this calendar.](#)

Friday, December 16: primary Christmas program in sanctuary at 9:15. Program will be about 15 minutes in length.

Primary families are invited to attend and watch as their children tell the Christmas story.

Wednesday, December 23: pre-kindergarten Christmas parties in the classroom. Please note: the pre-k's do not have a Christmas program for families.

Thursday, December 22: primary Christmas party in the classroom.

December 23, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, & January 2: preschool closed for Christmas vacation.

December 31, 2016: last day to redeem Cindy's Deli hoagie fundraiser tickets. Thanks for supporting the preschool!



Monday, January 16: preschool closed for Martin Luther King holiday.

Sunday, January 22: Jack and Jill Sunday. All preschool students will participate in this family-friendly service, families are invited to attend. Food collection to support the Trinity Food pantry.



Monday, February 6: registration begins for the 2017-2018 preschool term.

Friday, February 10: primary class Valentine's day party in the classroom.

Tuesday, February 14: pre-kindergarten Valentine's day parties in the classroom.

Friday, February 17 & Monday, February 20: preschool closed for President's weekend.



Monday, March 6: Open House and registration night for 2017-2018 term.



Friday, April 7: primary class Easter party.

Wednesday, April 12: pre-kindergarten class Easter parties.

Thursday, Friday and Monday, April 13, 14, & 15: preschool closed for Easter vacation. (note that some of these days may be used for snow make-up if the situation arises. Families will be notified later in the term).



Monday, May 29: preschool closed for Memorial Day.

Tuesday, May 30: pre-kindergarten family picnic at Phifer Ice Dam Park.

Wednesday, May 31: last day of pre-kindergarten classes. Make your own sundae parties in classroom.



Thursday, June 1: primary class picnic at Phifer Ice Dam Park.

Friday, June 2: last day of primary classes. Make your own sundae party in the classroom.

Sunday, June 4: Closing Program for all preschool students. 3:00 in the sanctuary.

**Jack and Jill Preschool inclement weather policy
2016-2017 preschool term.**

If the Lehigh Area School District (LASD) cancels classes for the day due to bad weather, there will be NO classes at Jack and Jill Preschool for that day.

If LASD closes early due to bad weather, there will be NO afternoon classes at Jack and Jill Preschool for that day.

If LASD has a bad weather late start:

And your child is in the pre-kindergarten class:

There will be NO morning pre-k. class that day. HOWEVER, there WILL be a combined morning and afternoon pre-kindergarten class that day during the regular afternoon pre-kindergarten class time. That means all pre-kindergarten students can attend class from 12:00-2:15 that day.

If your child attends the primary class:

There will be a one hour late start that day. Primary class children should come to preschool from 10:00-12:00 on a bad weather late start day.

Class hours may be extended, or days may be added to the preschool term and the Closing Program date may be moved forward if it is necessary to add a significant number of snow make-up days to the term.

These dates do not include any Parent's Organization Family Fun events. Representatives from the Parent Org. will be responsible for scheduling their events.

Other preschool special events and activities will be highlighted in each classes' monthly newsletter.