



GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN

Preschool

A Ministry of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

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Registration Packet 2009-2010

Included in this packet are the forms needed to complete registration for your child at Good Shepherd Lutheran Preschool for the 2009-2010 school year, along with other important information.

If you are accessing this packet from our website, please print the forms and turn them in at our preschool.

If you have questions, please contact our Director, Krista Moore, by phone at (360) 254-5158 or by email at preschool@vanflock.org.

Registration Checklist

- Non-Refundable Registration Fee & Tuition Payment #1
- Completed Registration Forms (pages 4,5,6,7)
- Completed Certificate of Immunization
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- Simply Giving / Financial Agreement Form – Electronic Payments (to be set up and completed prior to First Day of School)



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Mission Statement

Good Shepherd Lutheran Preschool will reach out to our community with the Good News of Jesus, providing a Christ-centered environment, activities, and experiences that nurture the spiritual, social, physical, emotional, and developmental growth of all children and families.

Vision Statement

Good Shepherd Lutheran Preschool is a Christ-centered learning community for young children and families:

Where Jesus is at the center of every activity and experience—His contagious love is evident and flourishing;

Where children are valued for their individuality, their ability to do meaningful work, their wonder and curiosity, their perspectives, and their ability to play;

Where the learning environment is valued for its authenticity, its safety, its high quality, its evidence of Christian love and joy of Jesus, its ability to stimulate creative play and hands-on learning experiences for children;

Where curriculum and learning opportunities are valued for their ability to cause spiritual, emotional, social, physical, and cognitive development, as well as personal growth;

Where families are valued for their bonds and traditions, their ability to play, their commitment to work, their home and community, and their dreams for their children;

Where church partners are valued for their commitment to service, their want for more, their eagerness to share time and talents, their prayers, their calling to spread the Good News, and their ability to play;

Where all staff are valued for their vision, mission and purpose, their delight in children, their skill and education, their heart and knowledge, their commitment to families, and their ability to play; and

Where we cherish what we learn from our Heavenly Father, our Savior Jesus, from our children, and from each other.

Purpose

Be WON; Be ONE; Be WANTING more!

As part of God's inclusive community of believers, we are called—children and adults together—to join in enhancing and enlivening each other's faith.

By telling and retelling the Biblical story, Good Shepherd Lutheran Preschool lovingly provides a safe and nurturing atmosphere for extending His saving Word to young children and their families.

Good Shepherd Lutheran Preschool supports parents as their child's primary teacher, promoting spiritual, emotional, social, physical, and cognitive development.



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Answers to Frequently Asked Questions

3 Year-Old Class: 2 days per week (T/TH); 9:00-11:45 AM (must be 3 by Aug. 31, 2009, and toilet trained)

4 Year-Old Class: 3 days per week (M/W/F); 9:00-11:45 AM (must be 4 by Aug. 31, 2009)

Pre-K Class: 3 days per week (M/W/F); 9:00-11:45 AM (must be 4 1/2 by Aug. 31, 2009)

Class Size: up to 12 students with 1 teacher and 1 assistant (Student Staff Ratio 6:1).

Focus: Christ-centered, kindergarten readiness, and individual growth in all areas

Instruction: intended to focus on the whole child with particular interest in the areas of spiritual, emotional, social, intellectual, and physical development

Curriculum: blended faith-based and academic curriculum, aligned with WA State EALRs

Faith-based: *Voyages*, by Concordia Publishing House

Academic: *Creative Curriculum*, by Teaching Strategies (www.creativecurriculum.com)

Experiences: include periods of child-centered activity and teacher-directed activity, allowing students to experience structure and routine, as well as creative learning and exploration

Schedule: rotational model where students will explore a variety of learning environments, or stations, including: Jubilation Station (music & movement), Literacy Station (early reading & writing), Inspiration Station (Bible lessons & chapel time), Investigation Station (science & math discovery), Recreation Station (large motor), Imagination Station (dramatic play)

Activities: Bible Stories and Lessons, Art, Socialization, Early Literacy Skills – Reading and Writing, Sensory Skills, Dramatic Play, Cooking, Thematic Lessons, Science, Math, Health, Character Traits, Creative Movement, Fair Play, Experimentation, Problem Solving, Social Studies, Holidays, Story Time, Music and more

First Day of School: Wednesday, Sep. 9, 2009 (school year runs through end of May)

Registration Fee: \$70 — payable at time of registration, along with first tuition payment/deduction
(*1/2 – off registration fee for second child)

Tuition: Annual tuition divided into 10 equal payments

2-Day Program: \$110 payment x 10 = \$1,100 Annual Tuition

3-Day Program: \$150 payment x 10 = \$1,500 Annual Tuition

Pre-payment Discount: \$100 discount per child from the annual tuition if the full year is prepaid by Aug. 15, 2009.

Withdrawal Policy: Registration fee is non-refundable. First tuition payment is refundable before Aug. 15, 2009. If a student is in attendance for any portion of a given month, the tuition payment occurring within that month is non-refundable.

Non-Discrimination Policy: We welcome and accept children and families of any race, color, sex, religious background, national or ethnic origin.

Contact: Preschool Director, Krista Moore: (360) 254-5158 or preschool@vanflock.org



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For Office Use

Date Received: _____ Simply Giving Auto-Pay # _____

Amt: _____ Cash: _____ Check # _____ Check: _____

Class Choices and Fees

School Calendar: September thru May

Please Note: Our annual tuition is divided into ten equal payments/deductions. A non-refundable registration fee and the first tuition payment are due at the time of registration. The remaining nine tuition payments/deductions will be scheduled to occur at the beginning of each month from September thru May.

| Class Session | Age by Aug. 31, 2009 | Class Time | Registration Fee (Non-Refundable) | Monthly Tuition Deductions (10 months) | Total Due at Registration |
|---|----------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|--|---------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> T/TH AM (2 days/week) | 3 | 9:00 - 11:45 AM | \$70 | \$110 | \$180 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> M/W/F AM (3 days/week) | 4 | 9:00 - 11:45 AM | \$70 | \$150 | \$220 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> M/W/F AM (3 days/week) | 4 1/2 (Pre-K) | 9:00 - 11:45 AM | \$70 | \$150 | \$220 |

Please make checks payable to: Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

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Child's Last Name _____ First _____ Boy or Girl _____ Date of Birth _____

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Parent Name(s) _____ Phone (Home) _____ (Cell) _____

E-mail _____

Street Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

Mailing Address (if different than street address above) _____



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Student Information

Child's Full Name

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Date of Birth

Age

Boy or Girl

Date Today

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Mother's Name

Home Phone

Cell Phone

Street Address

City

Zip Code

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Place of Employment

Work Phone

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Father's Name

Home Phone

Cell Phone

Street Address

City

Zip Code

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Place of Employment

Work Phone

Emergency Contacts and Dismissal Authorization

(Persons must be within 20 minutes of preschool for timely pick-up when necessary)

The following individuals are emergency contacts and are authorized to remove _____
from school:

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Name

Relationship

Daytime Phone

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Name

Relationship

Daytime Phone

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Name

Relationship

Daytime Phone



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Additional Information

Child's Full Name

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Church Affiliation

Denomination

Date of Baptism (if applicable)

yes no

Who may we thank for your referral?

*I would like to receive newsletters and occasional
Information from Good Shepherd Lutheran Church.*

Sibling Information

Name

Age

School

Name

Age

School

Name

Age

School

Help us get to know your child better.

Describe previous group/school experiences

Where?

Languages other than English spoken in the home

Any fears or anxieties?

Nicknames preferred by student

Food Allergies

Any traumatic or eventful happenings experienced by student (moving, loss of loved one...)

Child's favorite activities

Ways you notice your child learns best

Any additional information you feel would be helpful



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Medical Information and Agreement Form

Child's Full Name

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Doctor Preferred

Phone

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Hospital Preferred

Phone

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Health Insurance Company

Phone

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Policy Number

ID

Child's Date of Birth

List All Allergies:

Medical Concerns or Precautions:

Physical or Cognitive Limitations or Special Needs:

I (We) the undersigned, parent or legal guardian of _____, a minor, do hereby authorize and give full consent to Good Shepherd Lutheran Preschool to seek medical treatment deemed necessary in the event of an emergency, accident, or sudden illness. In the event of such an emergency, I (We) understand Good Shepherd Lutheran Preschool will attempt to make contact with a parent or guardian immediately.

I (We) will assume any expense incurred by such treatment.

I (We) authorize Good Shepherd Lutheran Preschool Staff to use best judgment when administering Basic First Aid procedures on my (our) child.

I (We) do not hold the above named, or Good Shepherd Lutheran Preschool or Church, or any of its staff responsible or liable for any action necessary in the emergency care of my (our) child.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____