

# Canton First United Methodist Church Preschool

## 1 Year Class Curriculum for 2022 – 2023

In the 1 year old classes, children are exposed to the skills & themes below as the staff seeks to incorporate “play” with song, movement, manipulative toys, & developmentally appropriate art activities. Children will also be exposed to some foundational terminology and concepts from curriculums being used in our older classes. In addition to classroom time, children have playground time each day, music, and movement once a week and motor skills once a week.

\*Our classes will highlight a fine motor skill once a month where more focus is given to that specific skill. However, they will be working on all fine motor skills throughout the year.

Month	Color	Fine Motor Skill	Bible: S=Story, L=Lesson, V=Verse	Special Events
August	Red		S: Creation L: God Made the World V: Acts 17:24	Parent Orientation and Parent/Teacher Meetings, 8/11 Meet & Greet 8/15 & 16
September	Yellow	Pounding	S: Creation L: God Made the World V: Acts 17:24	Original Works Fundraiser
October	Orange and Black	Pounding	S: Good Samaritan L: God wants me to be a friend to others. V: Proverbs 17:17	Pumpkin Patch, 10/11 & 12 Open House, 10/13 Fall Pictures 10/19 & 20 Harvest Parade and visit church offices for candy: 10/26 & 27
November	Brown	Pick Up and Release	S: Loaves & Fishes L: God gives us what we need & he wants us to be thankful & to share with others. V: Genesis 33:11	Thanksgiving Focus
December	White	Pick Up and Release	S: Jesus is Born L: God sent Jesus to Earth to be born as a baby. V: Isaiah 9:6	Christmas Program, 12/14 & 15

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January	Blue	Squeezing	<b>S:</b> Stories of Jesus (Jesus Grew, Jesus & The Children, The Lost Sheep) <b>L:</b> Jesus Became a Man & Teaches Us How to Live <b>V:</b> Mark 10:14	PJ Day, 1/11 & 12 Storyteller visit, 1/25 & 26
February	Pink	Squeezing	<b>S:</b> Zacchaeus, Four Friends <b>L:</b> God wants me to love & care for others. <b>V:</b> 1 John 4:7	Valentine's Exchange, 2/13 & 14
March	Purple	Shaping	<b>S:</b> Jesus is Risen <b>L:</b> Jesus Loves me so much that He died on the cross & is alive again. <b>V:</b> Psalm 9:11	Book Fair, 2/27-3/2 Wacky Wed/Topsy Turvy Thurs, 3/1 & 3/2 Staff Appreciation Week, 3/6-9 Spring Pictures, TBD Easter Egg Hunt, 3/27 & 30
April	Green	Shaping	<b>S:</b> Noah's Ark <b>L:</b> God made me so that I can do good things. <b>V:</b> Ephesians 2:10	Fire Truck visit, TBD
May	Review	Review	Review of Bible Stories	End of Year Party, 5/10 & 11

*\*\*Please check dates with your child's teacher and/or monthly class calendar, as dates are subject to change.*

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