

## SEPTEMBER 2008 PARENT NEWSLETTER

You are invited to our

### **PRESCHOOL/ KINDERGARTEN OPEN HOUSE**

**Monday, September 15th 7:00-8:00PM**

**Bring your whole family to meet your child's teachers.**

**Visit your child's classroom. Refreshments in the church entryway.**

#### **Welcome**

We hope all of you had a wonderful summer and we extend a warm welcome to both our new and returning families. We are looking forward to a year of learning, growing, friends, and lots of FUN!

#### **Registration Forms**

Please turn in your blue registration forms this week. Let us know at any time during the year if you have any new information for your registration form. This includes new phone numbers, addresses, and people allowed to pick up your child.

#### **Paying Your Bill**

Please remember that to meet our payroll requirements we count on you to pay your bill in a timely manner. We also have a number of families with the same last name. When you write a check, please put your child's name in the "memo" space. This also helps if you have a different last name than your child. You might also mark which week(s) you are paying for so we can make sure "we are on the same page" in regards to payments.

#### **Safety Issues**

---For safety sake remember that the appropriate footwear for our school is **"gym shoes" with socks**. Because of our playground equipment and the many stairs in our building, we have fewer injuries to little feet if children wear socks and rubber soled shoes.

---If your child stays all day and you do not already have sunscreen here, please consider sending some for us to apply. In the afternoon the children are outside for more than just the 20 minutes of recess they have in the morning. You will need to pick up and fill out a form from the preschool office giving us permission to apply the lotion.

#### **In Each Cubbie**

Please make sure to keep a change of clothing (underwear, shirt, pants, socks) in your child's cubbie at all times. This is a big help to the staff if your child should have an "accident" or if something should get spilled on your child's clothing. You should also write your child's name on these items and any items that your child brings to school.

#### **Important Dates**

-We are **CLOSED** for **Labor Day- Monday, Sept. 1<sup>st</sup>**. There is no charge for this day.

-Book Orders will be handed out next week and are due back on Tuesday, September 9<sup>th</sup>