

Vanderbilt Learning Center Newsletter

October 2021



School Notes

Outdoor Halloween Parade

You're invited to join us outside under the VPC porte-cochere on October 28th & 29th at 9:00am to cheer on each class as they parade by in their adorable costumes. Check in with your classroom teacher for an exact start time.

Chapel and Music Begin

We are thrilled to announce that Chapel with Mrs. Mikes and Music with Dr. Jim will begin again this month. These are such meaningful experiences for our students.

Trunk or Treat is Back

Please join us on October 27th in the West Parking Lot at 5:30pm for setup. Park every other space for safety. Trick or treating will begin at 6:00pm. Sign up to host a decorated trunk and treat station on SignUp Genius or check Facebook:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a044badaa2ca5ff2-vpcvlc>

From the Director

Dear Families,

Happy fall everyone! This month we are glad to welcome a cool breeze and all things pumpkin. The students are enjoying fall crafts and lessons in their classrooms. At home, let's spend time in the kitchen together as a family cooking a warm meal or baking muffins together. Our family has a great pumpkin bread recipe we look forward to making each fall.

We can't wait to see you all at our Halloween parade outside and we wish you a "boo-tiful" month ahead with your precious children. Please don't hesitate to send any joys or concerns to me. VLC is a great place to be!

Kind Regards, Jackie Elmer, Director

Vanderbilt Presbyterian Church

WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIGHTS (children and youth groups) begins Wednesday, October 6th for all students PreK3 through High School. Join us for a brief parent meeting at 5:30pm and dinner in Fellowship Hall. Students will then join small groups for opportunities to study, serve, pray and play together. Fellowship and Play begin at 7:00pm for pick up anytime between 7:00pm and 7:30pm. Parents are invited to join Pastor Rob's Adult Bible Study at 6:00pm in Harp Hall and/or the adult choir practice with Dr. Jim at 7:00pm. Please let us know if you need Nursery care or extended care to cover adult choir. Questions? Please contact Heather Mikes, hmikes@vpcnaples.org.

We hope to see you on Sundays at 10:00am for Worship at VPC! On October 17th we will have Bible Sunday for our 3rd graders and on October 24th we will have our monthly Family Led worship service. All are welcome! Nursery Ministry and Sunday School are happening too.

Save the Date

- 4th - Parent Team Meeting, VPC Harp Hall, 8:30am (Enter through the Church Office opposite VLC.)
- 6th – Wednesday Night Lights: Children & Youth Groups begin weekly @5:30pm – parent info meeting/dinner – 7:30pm pick up
- 17th – Third Grade Bible Sunday: VPC Worship Service 10:00am
- 18th – No School, per CCPS
- 24th – VPC Family Led Worship Service & Fall Activities, 10:00am
- 27th – VPC/VLC Trunk or Treat, West Parking Lot 5:30pm setup, 6:00pm event start
- 28th & 29th – Class Halloween parties, see classroom teachers for more info
- 28th & 29th – Outdoor Halloween Parade, 9:00am, Porte-Cochere
- 31st – Happy Halloween!

From the Parent Team

Please join us for our first IN-PERSON Parent Team Meeting this Monday, October 4th at 8:30am. We will meet in Harp Hall, which you can find by entering the church office entrance — opposite the VLC entrance and adjacent to drop off area. Siblings are always welcome! If you are interested in a ZOOM virtual option for our meeting, please check out our Facebook page for the meeting link.

Any questions please call or email Lindsey Manning, lindseymanning@gmail.com, 239-293-3608.

