## **OUR PURPOSE**

- 1. To provide a Christian preschool experience for preschool children of three, four and five years of age.
- 1. To provide group activity for the child and to promote satisfactory Christian behavior.
- 2. To encourage development of spirit, mind, and body and to promote free expression in the children.
- 3. To maintain a Christian atmosphere incorporating appropriate learning resources, including Christian songs, videos, and Bible Stories.

# 2025-2026 School Calendar

Open House/Meet The Teachers			TBD
First Day/Welcome Back		Monday	August 25
Labor Day	No School	Friday	August 29
Labor Day	No School	Monday	September 1
Thanksgiving	No School	Wed-Fri	Nov. 26-28
Christmas Break	No School	Mon-Sun	Dec. 22-Jan.4
School Resumes		Monday	Jan. 5
Parent/Teacher Conference	No Preschool	Thursday	March 5
Parent/Teacher Conference	No Preschool	Friday	March 6
Spring Break	No Preschool	Mon-Thu	Mar. 30-Apr.2
Good Friday	No School	Friday	April 3
Easter Monday	No School	Monday	April 6
Memorial Day	No School	Fri-Mon	May 22-25
Last Day of School/Closing Service		Thursday	May 28

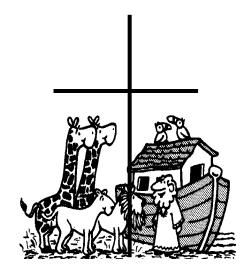
Child Care available all school year long on weekdays with these exceptions:



# **Zion Lutheran**

# **Preschool and Child Care**

2025-2026



## **BRING A FRIEND**

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**Enrollment Link:** 

https://schools.procareconnect.com/form/a6a61d2f-3b98-47b2-a8e1-b8f0941460dc

<sup>\*</sup>No Child Care on Holidays.

<sup>\*</sup>No Child Care on Wednesday before and Friday after Thanksgiving.

<sup>\*</sup>No Child Care Dec. 22- Jan 4.

<sup>\*</sup>No Child Care April 3

<sup>\*</sup>No Child Care April 6

<sup>\*</sup>No Child Care May 22-25

# ABOUT OUR PRESCHOOL PROGRAM

Our Zion Lutheran Preschool is a state licensed school for both three and four year-old children.

Children who have turned three or four years old by September 1, of the school year are eligible to be enrolled in our preschool.

#### Time of Preschool:

Our preschool program will be in session for students on Monday-Friday from 8:30am-11:30am.

Child care is offered for our preschool-aged children who need to arrive before school starts or stay longer than 11:30am.

#### Cost of Preschool:

Parents may decide on how many days their child will attend preschool. Once a day is full, parents will be placed on a waiting list.

- \* 2 days: \$1116/child/year (\$124 per month) (PS3 only)
- \* 3 days: \$1485/child/year (\$165 per month)
- 4 days: \$1854/child/year (\$206 per month)
- \* 5 days: \$2232/child/year (\$248 per month)
- \* Payments can be made on a monthly basis.

## **Financial Aid:**

Financial aid is available to assist in the payment of preschool tuition. If this would enable you to send your child to Zion please fill out a Financial Aid Application.

## **Schedule:** (tentative)

8:30 Journal

8:45 Jesus Time (devotion, music, singing)

9:00 Free Choice/Centers

10:00 Clean Up

10:15 Calendar

10:40 Snack/Quiet Reading

11:00 Story Time

11:15 Gross Motor

11:25 Prayer

11:30 Dismissal

Children will attend chapel every week.

# ABOUT OUR CHILD CARE PROGRAM

## **Hours of Child Care:**

Zion Lutheran Child Care Center is open from 7:30am-5:30pm on all days preschool is in session. Our childcare is not open during our preschool hours of 8:30am-11:30am.

#### Cost of Child Care:

Our child care program is open to children ages 3-5 attending our preschool. If you will be dropping off between 7:30am-8:30am, the cost is \$2/child/day (this is our Before School Care-BSC program).

These are the rates for child care from 11:30am-5:30pm.

- \* \$9/hour
- \* \$38/day
- \* \$190/week
- \* Late fee after 5:30pm: \$5/15 minutes
- \* Any day reserved on a regular basis by a full or part time child must be paid for even if the child is absent.

A \$60 non-refundable registration fee is due with application.

Note: We do not accept "drop-off" care.

### **Lunch & Snacks:**

Children will bring their own lunch to school.

Snacks will be provided during childcare in the afternoon.

Schedule: (tentative)

7:30 Open

8:30 Preschool Begins (See Schedule on Left)

11:30 Preschool Ends

11:40 Lunch

12:15 Rest on Cots

1:30 Lights On, Wake Up, Bathroom Break, Wash Hands

1:45 Snack

2:00 Indoor Play

2:25 Pack up students who are leaving

2:30 Children will enjoy outdoor play/gym time, exercise, creative expression.

5:30 Closed