

ABOUT US

Our MISSION is to honor God by:

Providing Excellence in early childhood education

Providing Exceptional Care in a Nurturing Learning Environment

Building Bridges between our community and First Church of God

Our preschool is an institution that welcomes families of all faiths, creeds, ethnic origins and affirms the positive value of diversity.

Our PURPOSE is to establish a climate of acceptance, love, trust and discipline, with programs of learning and enrichment where young children will experience growth in:

LEARNING PHILOSOPHY

The church recognizes the importance of the early years in the life of the child and believes that the young child's life can be enriched through guided experiences with other children and qualified, caring teachers in an atmosphere of Christian love.

The ministry at First Church of God Preschool is based on the understanding that children pass through a number of predictable, orderly stages in their growing process. We have designed and utilized programs which are developmentally appropriate for children at varying stages of growth.

Experiential learning is a cornerstone of the program as well as providing many choices for children within a carefully arranged overall structure. A variety of selected learning opportunities based on the children's needs and interests are offered. These are geared to the appropriate developmental level and are intended to encourage development in all seven areas of a child's life: cognitive, creative, expressive language, fine motor, gross motor, social/emotional and spiritual.

Spiritual development of the child occurs principally in the home and through local church ministries. Our preschool encourages spiritual awareness by offering prayer before daily snacks, attending monthly chapels, providing an atmosphere of love, acceptance, trust and positive self-worth, along with acknowledging God and His creation and sharing the account of the birth and resurrection of Christ.

OUR FACILITIES

Our Facility at First Church of God Preschool is a self-supporting, non-profit program. Our preschool is an institution that welcomes families of all faiths. Creeds, and ethnic origins and affirms the positive values of diversity. Our mission and purpose is to establish a climate of acceptance, love, trust and discipline, with programs and enrichment where young children will experience growth.

OUR ENVIRONMENT

Environment We provide a safe and caring environment that is developmentally appropriate and embraces the 4 building blocks of child development:

1. Social/Emotional
2. Self-care, Physical Well-being & Motor skills
3. Language Development
4. Early Academics

GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT

We are a fully licensed preschool through the State of Michigan Department of Human Services.

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- Feelings of confidence and self worth
- Relating to his/her peers in a positive way
- Learning positive ways to handle frustration
- Achieving physical skills
- Expanding desire to learn and discover
- Developing spiritual awareness of God and His creation