

**NOVEMBER 2022**



Little Blessings  
**Preschool & Kindergarten**

A MINISTRY OF PARKER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

*Educating, Inspiring & Caring for God's Children*  
11805 South Pine Drive, Parker  
Attendance Line #720-204-4419



**Evening Conferences Nov. 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>**

***Conferences supplement those daily casual conversations and give you more time to connect with your child's teaching team.***

**What You Can Expect**

- Your child's developmental assessment will go home the class period before conferences. Read it over & come to the meeting with your questions.
- Teachers will share work samples, strengths & next steps during your time together.

**Ideas for Questions You Can Ask Your Teachers:**

- What is my child's favorite center to play in?
- What does my child's peer interactions look like?
- What are some things we can do at home to support "next steps?"
- Any kindergarten questions you may have?



**Important Dates**

- ✓ Nov 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> – Worship w/ Ms. Noelle
- ✓ Nov 14<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> – Music w/ Ms. Cheryl
- ✓ Nov 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> – Donut Days Fundraiser
- ✓ Nov 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> – Evening P/T Conferences
- ✓ **Nov 18<sup>th</sup> – Little Blessings CLOSED**
- ✓ Nov 21<sup>st</sup>-Nov 25<sup>th</sup> – Thanksgiving Break (Full Time Childcare ONLY)
- ✓ **Nov 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> – Little Blessings CLOSED**

**BRRR!!!**

**The temperature is starting to drop. The mornings are getting cold so please remember a coat for your child during his/her playground time. Little Blessings follows the DCSD school closures/delays for weather.**

**Closure notifications will be sent via email, Procure App & the website!**



**Little Blessings will be  
CLOSED  
Friday, November 18<sup>th</sup>!**

**Thanksgiving Break  
November 21<sup>st</sup>-25<sup>th</sup>**  
(Full Time Childcare ONLY 11/21-11/23)



**Little Blessings Donut Days!**

**Orders Due November 11th.  
Order Forms coming this  
week!**

## How Sick is Too Sick?

### When Children and Staff Should Stay Home from School or Child Care

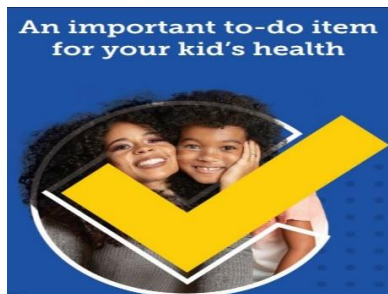
Evaluation of a sick child must consider which diseases are currently circulating among students, staff, and the community. Known exposure to cases or an outbreak of a contagious disease (including but not limited to those listed here), even without a confirmed diagnosis, may necessitate more stringent return to school requirements.

During Colorado's ongoing response to the COVID-19 pandemic, children and staff who have symptoms consistent with COVID-19 should receive testing, and follow the [COVID-19 isolation guidance](#) until testing is completed or if they test positive. If the individual tests negative for COVID-19, the individual should then follow the recommendations for their disease or symptoms using the below guidance.

There are four main reasons to keep children and adults at home:

1. The child or staff is at risk of infecting others with COVID-19 or another contagious illness, either because of symptoms or recent close contact.
2. The child or staff member does not feel well enough to take part in usual activities. For example, a child is overly tired, fussy or will not stop crying.
3. A child needs more care than teachers and staff can give while still caring for the other children.
4. The child or staff member has symptoms or an illness is on this list, and staying home is required.

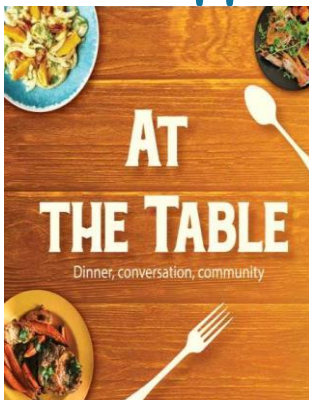
**Please see attached handout for more information!**



CDPHE urges everyone 6 months and older to get a flu vaccine.

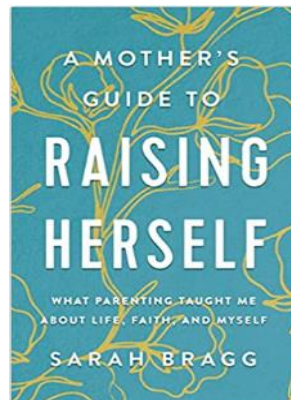
Visit [vaccinefinder.org](https://vaccinefinder.org) to find a location near you!

## What's Happening at Parker United Methodist Church??



Please join us!  
**11/9 @ 5:30pm**

Are you looking for a community shared over a meal & conversation?  
**At the Table** is just that!



**Wednesday Morning Mom's Group!**

Every Wednesday @ PUMC  
9:30am-11am!