#### >>> CHC KIDS NEWSLETTER <<<

# **NOVEMBER**





# **MONTHLY BIBLE OVERVIEW**







## >>> PRESCHOOL

Thanking God for Who He is, what He has done, and what He has given us is something people have been doing for a very, very, VERY long time. You could say that the people in the Bible make up this super long PARADE OF THANKS . . . and it's up to us to keep it going! We want our preschoolers to continue this Parade of Thanks by teaching them they can thank God for everything—literally everything! Their light-up shoes, their new toy, their snack, their favorite rock . . . EVERYTHING! So let's make sure the Parade of Thanks that God's people began so long ago continues with us and our preschoolers as we choose to thank God for everything!

#### **ELEMENTARY <<<**

Gratitude sometimes feels like a lost art. Yet gratitude is an idea close to God's heart. Think about all of the Bible stories where people gave thanks to God. The Israelites celebrated God with feasts and festivals. The writers of the Psalms wrote songs of praise to thank God for being faithful. Throughout this month, we hope kids will learn to be grateful for everything God has done: for the world God made, for the promises God has kept, and for the new life God offers the world through Jesus. When we remember all of these things, we can always be thankful.



## **NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### >>> ADVENT IN A BOX

It's time again! We are bringing back our Advent Box for the 4th year! We love this box and how it connects families during this time as we remember what the birth of Jesus means for each of us. As this box has grown so much over the years, in order to continue bringing families the box at the same level or even better than ever and to continue to reach new families, we have added a small cost to the box. We are asking people to pay by donation, (suggested donation of \$10) but if you are unable to pay anything for the box we do not want that to stop you from getting it, covered by the donations of others and the funding we are able to put into the box.

One box per family. This box is aimed at kids 13 and under, but please let us know (on your sign up form) how many kids in your family you would like supplies to be provided for.

Pick-up will be Sunday, November 26th in the Kids Check-In area during the morning, or in the office that week leading up to December 1st.





## >>> central Heights Album Recording

7pm, Thursday November 23, in the worship center

While this event might be a little late in the evening for those of you with young kids, if you have the chance, we encourage you to join our church body as the Worship Arts Department will be hosting an Album Recording Night at Central Heights. The album is called "This Is Our God" and is based on Exodus 34:6-8 where God reveals the meaning of his name. Come for an evening of immersing ourselves in the nature and character of God through original music. This evening is by donation as all funds from this night will go toward producing and mastering the album after it is recorded.













#### >>> MEDIA CONSENT

If you have not already filled out a Media Consent form in Kids Church, please do so next time you join us. Whether you are okay with your kids having photos taken or not, it is important that we know. The forms will be on the front desk in the Kids area as well as next to the self check-in stations for you.



## >>> Preschool Pick-Up:

You might have noticed that we are experimenting with how best to run preschool pick-up for Sunday mornings! Please continue to be gracious to the volunteer team and be aware of any changes.

Questions? Contact the Kids team at kids@centralheights.ca or Lorelle at lharper@centralheights.ca as we would love to be in touch and hear from you!

## **LEADER SPOTLIGHT**



#### **Mo Pourkaveh** Grade 3 Leader

Favourite Bible Verse:

Galatians 5:22-23, "But the fruit of the Spirit
is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness,
goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control."

Favourite Hobby:

BBQ at Cultus lake and enjoy watching God's creation.

Would you rather be fantastic at riding horses or amazing at driving dirt bikes?

I would rather be an amazing dirt bike rider.

Would you rather be completely invisible for one day or be able to fly for one day?

I would rather fly, because my wife usually flies in her dreams and she speaks highly of flying. She says it is very pleasant to fly.



#### Norah Guynup Preschool LIT

Favourite Bible Verse:

Luke 6:28, "Bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you."

Favourite Hobby:

Figure skating + Basketball

Would you rather spend the rest of your life with a sailboat as your home or an RV as your home? RV, because they're cool.

Would you rather have hands that kept growing as you got older or feet that kept growing as you got older?

Hands because I don't want to buy shoes all the time.