

FALL NEWSLETTER

September - November 2017

Welcome Back to School!

We are happy you have chosen to be a part of our Open Arms Christian family. We look forward to partnering with you to nurture your child's emotional, social, cognitive, physical, and spiritual development. We feel as though open lines of communication between parents, students, and teachers is the key to promoting an educational climate that is conducive to learning.

The teachers have been busy preparing their classrooms, and are excited for the year to begin!

Some Reminders:

- Please be courteous to those who are handicapped by not parking in the handicapped spaces.
- Please do not park in the circle, as it is used for the school buses and emergency vehicles.
- Closing due to inclement weather: www.WTOP.com



Back to School Night: Please join your children and their teachers at Open Arms from 5:30 to 6:30 PM. We will start out in the Multipurpose room with an opening from the pastors, Tina, and the director. Following the opening, you are welcome to stop by and explore your child's classroom. Teachers will be available to answer questions.

Please Visit Our Website for the Current Calendar : There is a printable school calendar on our website. Also, NEW this year, a Google calendar is available for you to subscribe to! Please take a look! www.openarmslaurel.org
Upcoming events:

September 12 - 18	Tues - Mon	Scholastic Book Fair
September 15	Friday	Back to School Night
October 23-27	Mon - Fri	Fall Checkpoint--Progress Reports Issued/Parent Teacher Conferences
October 24 & 25	Tues - Wed	Fall Portraits
October 31	Tuesday	Fall Festival & Trunk or Treat 5:00pm-7:00pm
November 1-17		Community Food Drive
November 20 - 21	Mon & Tues	Thanksgiving Feast
November 22 - 24	Wed - Friday	Thanksgiving Break - Half Day Program - no school
November 23 - 24	Thurs - Fri	Thanksgiving Break - Full Day Program - NO SCHOOL

Our Savior Lutheran Church: If you are looking for a place to worship, Our Savior welcomes you to attend Sunday services! They are held at 8:15am, 9:30am, and 11:00am. Sunday school for preschoolers through high school starts at 9:30am.

Wednesday Night Fellowship: Wednesday night fellowship at Our Savior will resume on September 13th at 5:30pm. Activities include an affordable and delicious dinner, confirmation classes, choir rehearsals, and Bible study.