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August 2026

NCECC: St. Michael

Dear Parents and Guardians,

The summer has been flying by and it will soon be time for the beginning of the 2026 - 2027 school year before we know it!

Mark your calendar!

- **Tuesday, August 4** - Bike Rodeo & Popsicles Day (Summer Activity)
-Please bring in your child's bike-park your child's bike in the child care entrance. Please label your child's bike
- **Thursday, August 13** - Last Day of 2025 - 2026 Licensed Child Care
 - **End of Summer Picnic** - 11 am to Noon on the NCECC: St. Michael playground green space; weather permitting (Summer Activity)
- **All students and staff need to provide their own lunch on this day.**
- **Friday, August 14** - NCECC: St. Michael closed for building cleaning and staff in-service.
- **Monday, August 17 through Friday, August 21** - NCECC: St. Michael closed for building cleaning and staff in-service.
- **Thursday, August 20** - Backpack Drop-Off Night for Licensed Child Care, 3-Year-Old Preschool and 4K from 2:00 pm to 6:00 pm. Parent Out Reach—Open floor discussion Q&A 6:00pm-7:30pm
- **Monday, August 24** - Licensed Child Care program begins 2026 - 2027 year.
- **Tuesday, September 1** - First day of School for 3-Year-Old Preschool, 4K AM, and 4K PM.

I cannot wait to see what the 2026 - 2027 school year will bring! Enjoy the last couple weeks of summer with your family and friends!

Summer blessings,

Sarah Welch
Site Director



Classroom News

This month we will be focusing on enjoying outdoor activities while the weather is still nice. Talking about the different animals that we see, and how the animals prepare for the colder months. Each child will be working on their next skill that is developmentally appropriate.

God Bless
Ms, Amanda and Ms. Linda

Little Angels

In August, Little Angels will be excited to see Ms. Rachel return to the classroom. We will be preparing our classroom for the start of the new school year. We will continue to get outside as much as possible. We plan on doing sensory activities in the month of August. Hope everyone is having a great summer!

Ms. Rachel and Ms. Gabby

4K AM, 4K PM , 3 Year Old Preschool

**BACK TO
SCHOOL**



LOADING...

Rainbow



Noah's Ark

Dear Families,

Welcome to August! This month, our kiddos will be learning through fun, engaging activities focused on 'All About Me', 'Our Classroom Community', 'Back to School Fun', and 'Colors & Shapes Around Us'. These activities support the early learning standards while encouraging social skills, creativity, language development, and fine motor practice.

We'll also enjoy reading favorites like *Llama Llama Misses Mama*, *The Color Monster*, and *Chicka Chicka Boom Boom* to help children build confidence and excitement for the school year.

We look forward to a month of learning, growing, and having fun together!

Happy August!
Ms. Leah

Young Disciples

Welcome August from Young Disciples.

I can't believe how quick summer has flown by. Soon school will start again. But we have some exciting things happening.

This month we will have a field trip to the fire station August 5, 2026. Please watch for field trip form to come out.

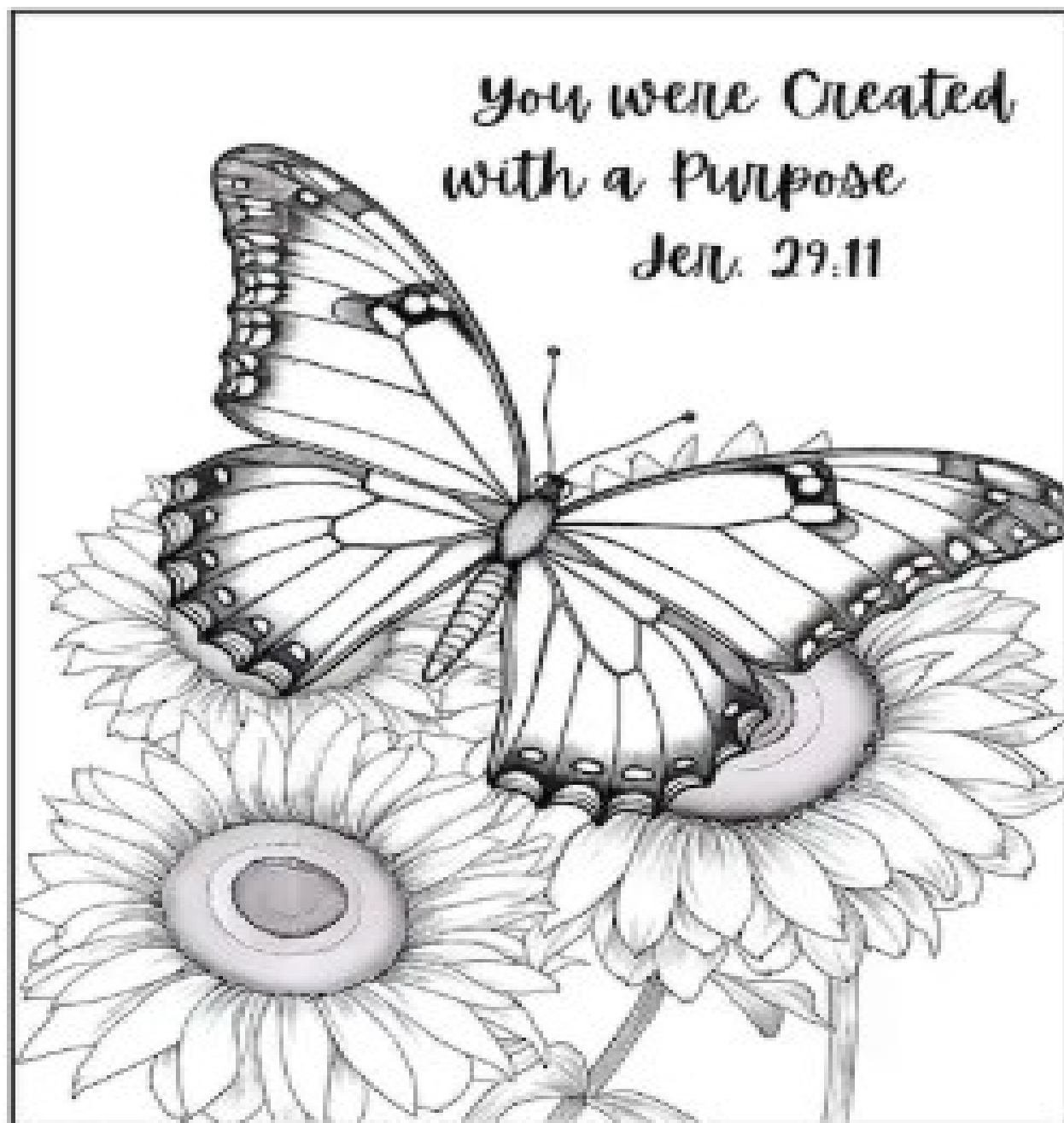
We also will have a bike rodeo and I believe a water fun day.

Hank has a birthday on the 24th of this month. Hoping all of you have had a great summer and continue too. May you be blessed with wonderful memories that make your heart full and bring smiles to your faces. God's continued blessings to you all.

Ms. Paula

Religion

Printable coloring sheet

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★ August 2026 SCRIP NEWS



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Monday 9:00-4:00

Thursday 9:00-4:00

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August 2026 Scrip Hours:

Monday August 3	9:00-4:00
Tuesday August 4	Closed
Wednesday August 5	Closed
Thursday August 6	9:00-4:00
Friday August 7	Closed

****Local Scrip Order Week****

Monday August 10	9:00-4:00
Tuesday August 11	Closed
Wednesday August 12	Closed
Thursday August 13	9:00-4:00
Friday August 14	Closed

Monday August 17	9:00-4:00
Tuesday August 18	Closed
Wednesday August 19	Closed
Thursday August 20	9:00-4:00
Friday August 21	Closed

****Local Scrip Order Week****

Monday August 24	9:00-4:00
Tuesday August 25	Closed
Wednesday August 26	Closed
Thursday August 27	9:00-4:00
Friday August 28	Closed

Monday August 31	9:00-4:00
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Kitchen News



Did you know that different colors of fruits and vegetables provide different benefits to your health? This is why it is important to eat rainbows. Luckily, the month of August challenges us to eat as many rainbows as possible.

With all the yummy fruits and vegetables available, it's a great month to create rainbows.

Have fun choosing your favorite fruits or vegetables that match the colors of the rainbow. If you can't create a full rainbow a partial rainbow will work, too. Even different shades of one or two colors can be fun!

Next, wash and arrange the items on a platter or skewer, make a rainbow Jello fruit mold, layer the fruit in a tall glass with yogurt, or chopped veggies with a low-calorie dip. Your family will smile when you serve them such a tasty rainbow.

Take a photo to share with your schoolmates. August is going to be so colorful!

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