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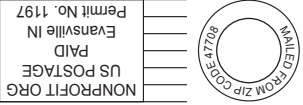
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Spring 2024

A Wonderful Opportunity to Share the Love of Jesus



"Blooms for Bibles" 2024 Geranium Sale



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A Letter from the Directors



We welcome the hint of warmer temperatures and soothing sunshine on the heels of a chilly winter season. We hope this greeting finds you healthy and expectantly hopeful for all God has in store for your life! We appreciate you spending some of your valuable time with us to catch up on all that Weekday Christian Education has been doing recently.

We have entered another election year, and many things will be shifting as we step into an uncertain future (don't worry, this is not going political). As we think of all the changes in our world over the last several years, we have confidence in this - Jesus Christ IS the same yesterday, today and forever.

Amid some of the most uneasy times, we here at Weekday STILL have the incredible opportunity to share the greatest message of hope and assurance, the ONE and ONLY message that has stood the test of time! We get to share the GOSPEL of JESUS CHRIST with public-school children, and YOU help us to accomplish this mission.

We are thankful to have been sharing the love of Christ with children for over 80 years! We rejoice in our hearts and do not take for granted that we have the most faithful support from people like you, our generous and loving community of believers. You continually sow into the ministry with your time, prayers, and finances. We can't express our gratitude enough for all that you do.

This year we are ministering to over 780 students both in person and online. We are seeing salvations; some students have been baptized at their home church and many are learning Bible basics that they had never heard before. One student even came to class, professing to be a pagan, and turned his life over to Jesus and is now a disciple of the one true God!

Several students we serve do not have a way to go to church and consider Weekday their church. It was heartwarming as we had weather related class cancellations and when we resumed, one little girl excitedly said, "I was praying we would have Weekday again this week!" Moments like this show the impact we can have on a precious heart, and we could not have this type of impact without support from you!

We have an exciting opportunity for you to partner with us. Each year every fourth-grade student receives their very own Bible. We have 305 fourth graders and each Bible costs \$15.00. Could you purchase one Bible, ten, or even more? We love teaching the students how important God's Word is. Having their own Bible and enabling them to read it personally or enjoy it with their family can take their relationship with God to the next level. Thank you in advance for helping us with this life-changing project.

Will you prayerfully consider giving so the Gospel can continue to be shared and a sense of value can be poured into the hearts of our public-school students?

Feel free to use the enclosed envelope to mail in your check or, if you prefer giving online, visit weekdayevansville.com, click, "Donate Now," and follow the prompts.

Believe Big.

Heather Williams

Heather Williams
Program Director

Brittney Casebolt

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Administrative Director

What's Happening with Weekday Online and In Person?

This semester we are teaching 670 third and fourth grade students about the importance of the Armor of God. We have implemented some fun demonstrations, one being a water gun demonstration in which water (the devil's lies) is shot at a teacher who is wearing a trash bag (protective armor). We demonstrated how God's armor protects us from the lies and attacks of the enemy and the students enjoyed this depiction immensely. We have been emphasizing to the students the need to know the Truth as well as teaching them the tools to learn the Truth - by reading the Bible and spending time in prayer with Jesus.



Our online program is serving 114 fifth grade students this year and they are learning about various Heroes of Faith from the Bible and how they did courageous things for God.

Our goal is for the students to understand that they too can be a hero of faith for Jesus!

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"Blooms for Bibles"
2024 Geranium Sale

Weekday Christian Education's annual Bloom for Bibles sale helps to fund our vital community ministry. We are grateful to be teaching the Gospel to over 780 third, fourth and fifth grade students this year.

Purchase flowers knowing your money is going to a good cause!

Would you please consider helping us spread God's love and the Good News by purchasing geraniums from Weekday Christian Education and sharing this with your friends and family? These vibrant geraniums are perfect additions to landscapes, make great table decorations, and would make a great Mother's Day gift. We are offering a new color this year, exclusive for Weekday - lavender blue!



Red

Salmon

Pink



White

Hot Pink

Lavender Blue

New

Cost is \$6.50 each

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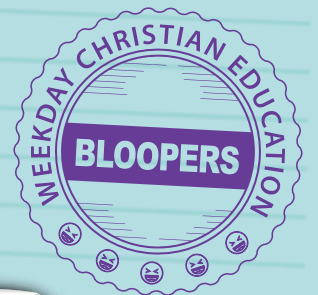
PICK UP at Weekday Office: April 23-25 Only

Student Bloopers

While hearing the story of David and Goliath for the first time, a student exclaimed "This is kind of intense!"

In volunteering to pray, a little boy stood up, put a hand over his heart, and started the pledge of allegiance! The others also stood and followed suit. The teacher, not knowing what to do, covered her heart and finished the pledge with them. At the end, they all said "amen."

An assistant needed to get something from her car and came back, knocking on the door. The teacher opened the door and as the assistant stepped in, a child uttered "I thought that was Jesus!" (knocking on the door).



Teacher Highlight

Our Weekday teachers are dedicated to teaching and spreading the Gospel.

Every month we will be interviewing one Weekday teacher, along with their awesome assistant, hearing their perspectives and stories during their time as a Weekday teacher. We hope that we can give everyone a glimpse of the love our teachers and assistants have for this ministry and learn about the REAL impact they've had within the community.



For our first teacher highlight, we would like to introduce Beth Poole (teacher, left) and Mary Carter (teaching assistant, right).

Beth has been with Weekday for over eight years and Mary has been with Weekday for almost two years.

We asked these ladies a couple of questions...

What is your favorite part of teaching with Weekday?

Beth replied, "My favorite thing about teaching with Weekday is being involved in a ministry that is sharing the Good News with children who may not hear about what Jesus has done for them otherwise."

How can you explain the mission of Weekday to others?

"Our greatest takeaway is for the kids to draw a closer relationship to Jesus and to know Him - not just to hear the words, but to truly know Him and to go out and share it with their friends and family", says Mary.



Social Media Updates

Follow and like us on Facebook and Instagram, as we are adding weekly content, such as Monday Morning Musings, teacher highlights, reels, and more to update our amazing constituents on the goings on at Weekday!

Also, we are beginning to collect email addresses, especially for student sponsorships, to update our donors on the impact we're making in the lives of our students and community.

Please send your current email address to bcasebolt@weekdayevansville.com to be added to this list.



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