

Kindergarten Highlights

1. Each school day begins and ends in prayer.
2. Half-day kindergarten and a *Pre-Kindergarten* program are available.
3. Curriculum and textbooks are up-to-date and aligned with the state-mandated *Michigan Curriculum Framework* and *Grade Level Content Expectations*.
4. Multi-faceted reading instruction program focuses on recognition of 65 sight words and development of beginning reading skills such as phonemic awareness, phonics, vocabulary, comprehension, and fluency.
5. Core subjects (Science, Math, Social Studies and English/Language Arts) are taught “hands on”, emphasizing the experiential approach to learning.
6. *Show and Tell* teaches organization, presentation, and public speaking skills.
7. *Student of the Week* program celebrates each student’s uniqueness while improving his or her self-worth and self-esteem.
8. Fifth-grade buddies mentor and assist kindergarten students while reinforcing what is being taught in the classroom, in church, and in the community.
9. Faith-based curriculum focuses on learning about who Jesus is, being kind, sharing, keeping promises and how to be a good friend.
10. Weekly Music, Art, and Physical Education help develop the “whole” student: mind, body, and soul.



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meet in a caring environment.***

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