



# THE FAMILY TREE

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## News from the Infant and Toddler Room

Good day Friends!! I am so excited about the beginning of Fall: brisk air, football, and new colors. Hurray! This month we will play, sing, and dance. I hope to have a cute art project to take home or put up. Please tell your friends about the Family Growth Center. Spread the news!!

Angela Bunker,  
Infant/Toddler Teacher

## **Dear Parents,**

Please take 5 minutes and answer this survey for our agency. Your input is important to us, so we can better serve you. Thank you! -Kathy

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DYM57LQ>

## News from the Preschool Room

Summer sure did fly by! We have had a lot of fun this summer, meeting and playing with many new friends. Some friends are heading off to school in the fall, good luck and come back and visit! The rest of us are going to learn about our bodies through movement, dance, yoga, and large motor exploration time. We will also be telling each other a little bit more about ourselves. Please fill out with your child, and have them color, the about me hand out. Bring it back next time to add it to our classroom wall!

Beth Mannausa,  
Preschool Teacher



## **What is the Family Growth Center?**

It is a place for children to enjoy FREE drop-in childcare for children 6 weeks through 5 years of age. A nominal fee is charged to higher income families. **Family Growth Center** is a program of **Child Abuse Prevention Services**, which is a division of **Child and Family Charities**. Reserved childcare is available for children whose parents participate in parent classes at FGC. For more information on childcare call (517) 371-1347. **Parents may use our childcare services twice a week!!**

## **Our schedule:**

### **Mondays-**

#### **East Lansing FGC**

517-351-6641

1120 S. Harrison

East Lansing, MI 48823

(University United Methodist Church)



### **Tues-Wed-Thursdays**

#### **Mt. Hope FGC**

517-371-1347

549 E. Mt. Hope

Lansing, MI 48910

(Bethlehem Lutheran Church)

**DURING NON-FGC HOURS CALL (517) 371-1347 TO LEAVE A MESSAGE**

# September 2016 Family Growth Center Calendar

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
			<b>1</b> <b>Mount Hope FGC</b> Drop In: 9:00-11:30 am Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm
<b>5</b> <b>Labor Day Holiday</b>  <b>-No childcare</b>	<b>6</b> <b>Mount Hope FGC</b> Drop In: 9:00-11:30 am Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm	<b>7</b> <b>Mount Hope FGC</b> Drop In: 9:00-11:30 am Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm	<b>8</b> <b>Mount Hope FGC</b> Drop In: 9:00-11:30 am Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm
<b>12</b> <b>East Lansing FGC</b> Drop In: 9:00-11:30 am Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm	<b>13</b> <b>Mount Hope FGC</b> Drop In: 9:00-11:30 am Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm	<b>14</b> <b>Mount Hope FGC</b> Drop In: 9:00-11:30 am Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm	<b>15</b> <b>Mount Hope FGC</b> Drop In: 9:00-11:30 am Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm <b>Kinship Care Mtg.</b>
<b>19</b> <b>East Lansing FGC</b> Drop In: 9:00-11:30 am Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm	<b>20</b> <b>Mount Hope FGC</b> Drop In: 9:00-11:30 am Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm	<b>21</b> <b>Mount Hope FGC</b> Drop In: 9:00-11:30 am Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm	<b>22</b> <b>Mount Hope FGC</b> <b>No childcare AM session</b> Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm
<b>26</b> <b>East Lansing FGC</b> Drop In: 9:00-11:30 am Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm	<b>27</b> <b>No childcare today –</b>  Parking lot being resurfaced	<b>28</b> <b>No childcare today –</b>  Parking lot being resurfaced	<b>29</b> <b>No childcare today –</b>  <b>Staff training</b>

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Thank you!

Kathy

Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5
<b>Grains:</b> wheat rolls <b>Fruit and Vegetable:</b> apples & green beans <b>Protein:</b> sloppy joe & milk	<b>Grains:</b> wheat bread <b>Fruit and Vegetable:</b> green apples & tomato soup <b>Protein:</b> cheese & milk	<b>Grains:</b> whole grain bun <b>Fruit and Vegetable:</b> pears & broccoli mix <b>Protein:</b> turkey dogs & milk	<b>Grains:</b> yellow rice <b>Fruit and Vegetable:</b> mandarin oranges & red peppers <b>Protein:</b> black beans & milk	<b>Grains:</b> wheat rolls <b>Fruit and Vegetable:</b> pineapple & green beans <b>Protein:</b> dino nuggets & milk

Prepared by Robin Kennedy☺

**Menu is subject to change.**  
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