



# Creative Center for Young Children

March 2025

## Important Dates

**March 9<sup>th</sup>:**

Daylight Savings Time Ends-Set clocks forward

**March 13<sup>th</sup> through March 14<sup>th</sup>:**

No School for DTS or DMPS: Care provided at CCYC

**March 17<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>:**

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**March 31<sup>st</sup>:**

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## Updates from First Church

**Join us Sunday at 10:30 AM!**  
Fellowship Time following worship in Kenyon Hall.

Join us on [Facebook](#) or [YouTube](#) to participate in live stream worship at 10:30 AM.

Nursery and Children's Church available during worship

Sunday School begins at 9:15 each Sunday morning. All are welcome!

## Events at First Church

We Welcome and Affirm Everyone

**March 6<sup>th</sup>: 5:30-7:30pm**

AMOS DART task force in Fellowship Hall

**March 23<sup>rd</sup>: Following Worship Service**

Chili Cook-off to raise money for UMCOR to support needs from California Wildfires.

**March 23<sup>rd</sup>: 1:30pm**

Concert of Choirs to raise money for UMCOR to support needs from California Wildfires.

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## From the CCYC Office

### Field Trips!

With the addition of our bus driver, Mr. Emmitt, we are bringing back field trips for our preschool program and for our Van Gogh program during intercessions! We are excited to be able to offer these important educational experiences to our children. There might be some variations in when field trips are taken by which class, while we get Mr. Emmitt up to speed on our policies and procedures. Please watch your child's classroom lesson plans for when their field trips start back up!

### Fundraisers

Unfortunately, due to lack of parental volunteers to help us with our Art Auction again this year we are unable to hold this fundraiser.

We are saddened that this long-standing fundraiser seems to be too difficult to maintain any longer. If you have any ideas on an interesting, out of the box, or typical fundraiser that we can hold please come talk to Ms. Amanda or Ms. Nicole. We are still in need of new doors and countertops for our classrooms as well as looking into getting some cameras by the entrance doors and hallways for the safety of our children and staff. So those fundraiser ideas are important and needed! Just pop in and talk to us or email us directly with any ideas you may have.

### Weather and Appropriate Clothing

We have re-entered that weird time of year where it can feel like winter in the morning and early summer by the afternoon. Iowa weather is always keeping us on our toes for sure!

Please keep an eye on the weather in the mornings and dress your children appropriately for the weather. We do go outside when it is low as 25 degrees. Layers are always a good idea. Keeping a winter coat and a jacket in your child(ren)'s cubby when it is fluctuating so much is also a good idea. This is a great way to make sure your child will be comfortable going outside whatever the temperature might be outside. The classroom teachers are great at keeping an eye out on the weather outside!

As always if you need anything from Ms. Amanda or Ms. Nicole, please feel free to stop into the office, email, or call the center!

# Pictures from around CCYC

