





Meet Our New Teachers

Angela Gable—Infant Teacher

Angela grew up in Orlando and has worked at WPPP since February. She started last year as a co-teacher in the mixed two year old class. Angela is now with the youngest children in our school, the infant class with Karen Grady. She has a BA degree in Psychology from UCF. Angela was previously a high school teacher, a co-teacher at the YMCA and in Children's Ministry at Summit Church. Angela and her husband Ben, have two boys, Levi (4) in VPK at WPPP and Logan (8). Angela enjoys reading, yoga and cycling. "I love that I have the honor of helping little ones grow. I get to foster a love of learning and it is a great joy to me."

Michele Hathorne– 2 Year Old Teacher

Michele grew up near Columbia, South Carolina and just joined our staff at the end of August. Michele is a teacher in the five day two year old class with Mrs. Washington. Michele has a BS in Business Administration Accounting and was previously a controller/operations coordinator for a non-profit hospice. Michele has an awesome 5 year old daughter named Haley who just started kindergarten this year. Michele enjoys playing with Haley, biking, movies, crafts, walks and hanging out with family and friends. Michele's favorite things about working with children at the preschool are "coming in to see their sweet little faces, and helping them to become the good natured people they are designed to be."

Stephanie McCov—Floater

Stephanie grew up in Maitland and graduated from Winter Park High School. She has been a Nanny for the past 5 years for the same family. Many families were able to get acquainted with Stephanie during WPPP's Summer Camp where she worked in all the classes. Stephanie always has a smile on her face and is filled with never ending energy! Stephanie has a 7 year old son, Logan. She loves the outdoors, going to the beach, golfing and biking. "I love being apart of a messy, amazing learning process. I also love seeing so many smiles!"

Jessica Pardo—3 Year Old Teacher

Jessica grew up in Caracas, Venezuela. She has been a preschool teacher for 2's, 3's & VPK age children for the past 15 years. Jessica is coteaching this year with Liz Register in the mixed 3 year old class. We are thrilled to have her as part of our team! Jessica and her husband, Art, have been married 21 years and have 4 children. Jessica enjoys reading. "Working with children is rewarding and one of the most wonderful experiences I ever had."

Liz Register—3 Year Old Teacher

Liz grew up here in Maitland, FL. She received her Bachelor's Degree in Child Development and Family Sciences at Florida State University. She is a certified Early Education teacher as well. Liz has worked with children over the years in many different areas and in many different settings. Liz always has a smile on her face and the children love her bubbly personality and sweet disposition. Liz and her husband, Kyle, have been married 8 years and have two children, 6 and 3. Liz is a jewelry designer, loves family time, hanging out with friends and gardening. "I love working with children—they are all so special and unique. Children inspire me and bring forth my creative flare. Teaching each child is a wonderful investment in the future and I am extremely proud to play a part in that."

Renee Wiese—Floater

Renee grew up in Honolulu, HI and Lakewood, WA. She received a BA in Humanities for Teaching and M.Ed. Elementary Education. Renee and her husband have been married 10 years and have two daughters, ages 7 and 3. Renee is expecting a son and he is due on Thanksgiving Day. She enjoys running, crafting, swimming and singing. "I love the family atmosphere here! It is more than a community, and both faculty and children are happy and feel safe here."

Mary Yeilding—2 Year Old Teacher

Mary grew up in Maitland, FL. Her children have been attending the preschool for 15 years and this year, we are very happy to have her as a staff member as well as a parent. A Doctor of Optometry (O.D. Degree). Mary owned a practice and worked as an optometrist for 10 years. She sold the business when her youngest son, Calvin, was born. She has enjoyed being a stay-at-home mom for the past 4 years. Mary and her husband, Ormond met at Winter Park High School. They have 4 children: Anne (15) Robert (11) Laura (10) and Calvin (4). Mary enjoys sewing, photography, reading and she LOVES to travel. Her favorite thing about working with children is to watch them learn and grow. "I have loved the time my children have spent at WPPP. They still talk about wonderful memories and the teachers, I am happy to be part of the family!"

Chapel Overview 2018-19

When: Wednesdays at 9:35 a.m. Where: Church Sanctuary Susan Richcreek, Tricia Wilson, Pastor Emily Chapel Team: **Chapel Helpers: VPK** Children 9/19, 10/17, 11/14, 1/16, 2/13, 3/27, 4/17, 5/8 Family Chapel Dates:

September What Is Chapel? Who Is God? Creation – In the Beginning...... October God Teaches Us How to Live and to Obey Him November God Loves & Blesses Us, God Made Me Special, God Sent Me Jesus December The Birth of Jesus Jesus Is God's Son January February Jesus Teaches Us to Love & Obey God Jesus Teaches Us to Love and Obey God and Help Others. March Stories about Jesus, Miracles Show His Authority April The Easter Story Mav Share Your Blessings, God's Plan for Us

Dad's Lunch is coming up!

Come have lunch here at my preschool. We can talk and we can eat. We have some special moments, and those just can't be beat. Please arrive on time (12:00). Bring your lunch and mine too. We will laugh and lunch together.

Dad's Lunch is Wed, October 3, 2018.

Tip for Fathers with 2 or more children: Take both children to one class. NOTE: Dad's Lunch is for 2s, 3s & VPK Classes Only. There is no Extended Day.



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SEPTEMBER CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS

September 3, Monday, Labor Day—No School

September 6, Thursday, After School Enrichments Begin

September 10, Monday, Music & Movement Classes with Hanne Begin (Toddler-VPK)

September 10, Monday, Open House/Pasta Dinner—5:30pm-7:00pm

September 11, Tuesday- PAC Meeting-9:30am-Rm 301

September 12 & 13, Wed (VPK) & Thurs (3's) — Art Classes with Mrs. Cross Begin

September 19, Wednesday, Family Chapel—9:35-9:55am—Sanctuary

September 18 & 20—Tues. & Thurs.—Individual Photos

Music & Movement Classes Begin Monday, September 10



"My name is Hanne Swanson, and I am very excited to be the Music teacher at WPPP this school year! Music has always been one of the biggest loves of my life, through singing in choirs, a cappella groups, bands, but most importantly around the piano with my family. Music and movements are such a beautiful, simple expression of love, joy, creativity and "care-freedom" that connects us to one another. I am a mother of four boys and a little girl, all of whom attended and loved Winter Park Presbyterian! The instruments played in our house include, piano, guitar, trumpet, violin, banjo, mandolin and ukulele...a constant crazy orchestra of creativity and fun! If I can help foster a love of music in your children then I will be happy to have planted a seed for their well-being that can continue to grow throughout their lifetimes!!"



Open House & Pasta Dinner for Families Monday, September 10, 2018 5:30pm-7:00pm

Pasta Dinner & Dessert – 5:30-6:15pm

Compliments of the PAC Committee Fellowship Hall

Visit Classrooms and Teachers – 6:00-7:00pm

Look for the **PAC Table** to: Purchase: WPPP T-Shirts & Car Magnets Sign-up for a Committee Check out our upcoming Nature's Vision Fundraiser!

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