



**Wednesdays, 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., GPC/Activity Center**

**Friendship Circle** exists to serve participants of the special needs community, to facilitate building God-like character through Bible study and creative outlets, and to help members develop sincere and lasting friendships. (Bring a lunch)

No Friendship Circle Meetings in June or July 2024

#### Meeting Dates

August 2023: 23, 30

September 2023: 6, 13, 20, 27

October 2023: 4, \* 18, 25

**No meeting 10/11 (Fall Break)**

November 2023: 1, 8, 15, \* 29

**No meeting 11/22 (Thanksgiving)**

December 2023: 6, 13 **(Fall Finale)**

January 2024: 10, 17, 24

February 2024: 7, 14, 21, 28

March 2024: 6, \* 20, 27

**No meeting 3/13 (Spring Break)**

April 2024: 3, 10, 17, 24

May 2024: 1, 8, 15 **(Spring Finale)**

#### Special Events

8/23 = Program Party (Kick-Off)

9/13 = Superheroes Movie Party

10/4 = Fire Safety Demo Day

10/25 = Zoo Boo Day (Outing)

11/8 = Veterans Appreciation Day

11/15 = Friendsgiving Potluck Feast

12/13 = Christmas Cookie Party

1/10 = Let It Snow (Ice-Cream Social)  
with Disney Shorts (Olaf)

2/14 = Ash Wednesday

2/14 = Valentine's Day Cookie Party

3/20 = Virtual Zoo Trip

3/27 = Holy Week Wednesday

4/24 = 4-H / Special Strong Day

5/1 = Paint Party

5/15 = Fishing Rodeo (Outing)



## Brunch Bunch

**Fridays, Aug 25 & Oct 27**  
**9:00 – 11:00 a.m. • GPC/Warren Hall**

**Bruch Bunch** is a Special Needs participants morning gathering for a breakfast prepared by the GPC Men's Breakfast team, along with fun, and creative activities.



## Movin' & Groovin'

**Mondays, 1:00 - 2:00 p.m., GPC/Activity Center**  
**October 16, 23, 30 • November 6, 13**

**Movin' and Groovin'** is an inclusive dance program brought together to us by Pam Vangilder of Ballet Memphis. Mrs. Vangilder will lead a fun-filled dance class to get us moving! Wear comfortable, easy-to-move-in clothes and tennis shoes.



## Imagine That!

**Thursdays, 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., GPC/Activity Center**  
**Oct. 19, 26 • Nov. 2, 9, 16, 30 • Dec 7**

**Imagine That!** is a new GPC program offered in collaboration with the Library Committee. Parent Volunteer, Ginger Walton is working with our Library Committee to bring the Bible stories to life in all new ways! Come join us for a story, craft, and movement – to rhythms, to act or not to act, and all kinds of fun wiggle and giggle time!

### GPC SPECIAL NEEDS MINISTRY EVENTS

Coming also in 2023...stay tuned to [gpctn.org](http://gpctn.org) and your email for information and announcements.

**Saturday, November 11**

**6:00-8:00 p.m.**

Fall Ball, a home-coming tradition in the making! Registrations will be sent out in early September 2023.

**Friday, December 8**

Parents' Time Out to shop, get a mani/pedi., wrap gifts, or simply relax outside of the hustle and bustle of the Christmas season. (Time of Day TBD)



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