



Office of the Mayor

Proclamation

Whereas:

Trinity United Methodist Church's child care center, The Center for Creative Child Care, has been serving the Lima Community since August of 1982, making this their 40th Anniversary; and

WHEREAS: The Center for Creative Child Care provides a comfortable, friendly, fun environment with loving adults to care for children with activities to foster physical, social, emotional, mental and spiritual growth; and

WHEREAS: The philosophy of the center is "The most important things we can do to help prepare children for their future success in school and in life are to help build their own self-esteem and self-confidence, and to help them develop the skills necessary to get along with others"; and

WHEREAS: The center uses creative, fun games and play to help children learn basic preschool skills. Sharing, taking turns, following directions, using good manners, and respecting our friends and teachers are some of the social skills that are taught; and

WHEREAS: The CCCC's current enrollment is approximately 120 children and has 24 employees impacting their lives on a daily basis; and

WHEREAS: The Center for Creative Child Care has been very influential in the lives of many families and has maintained a wonderful reputation as one of the outstanding daycare ministries in the Lima area.

NOW THEREFORE: I, Sharetta Smith, Mayor of the City of Lima, Ohio do hereby proclaim Saturday, August 20th, 2022 as

Trinity Center for Creative Child Care Day

in the City of Lima, Ohio and urge all residents to recognize and applaud dedication of the individuals that are helping to provide skills for our children to help with their future success.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Seal of the City of Lima, Ohio, this 20th Day of August 2022.

**SHARETTA SMITH, MAYOR
CITY OF LIMA, OHIO**

