

Recently it was reported in the *Ashland City Times* that PVCS had a confirmed case of the Swine Flu. PVCS did have a case of the flu but it has not been confirmed that it was actually the Swine Flu. The staff of PVCS, including our Nurse, Nellanne Jones, is doing everything we can in taking precautionary measures. Those measures include:

- When children come to school with the signs and symptoms of the flu, they are sent home immediately
- Teachers are using Clorox on the desk to prevent the spreading of germs
- Hand washing with Sanitizers are being used throughout the day

The school nurse is available to answer questions at any time. She may be contacted by e-mail and/or by calling the school office at 746-8555. Ask to speak to Nurse Jones. Her e-mail address is njones@pvchristian.org

The Tennessee Department of Health is partnering with the Tennessee Poison Center to provide a free Flu Information Line for all Tennessee residents. The number is 1-877-252-3432. Information will be available weekdays from 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. The time may be varied according to the number of calls received. Information will be available for English and non-English speakers. The Tennessee Department of Health will be publishing the Information Line number statewide and hope that you will pass information about this resource along to others.

Parents are also requested to not send children to school if you should notice possible flu like symptoms in your child. Thank you for your cooperation.