

**2017 Annual Report from Allison Ogborn  
Director of Building Blocks Preschool  
A Ministry of Manzanita Baptist Church**

**“Where love and learning go hand in hand”**

As the Building Blocks Preschool Staff and I reflect on this past year it's amazing what God is doing in this ministry. As we go into our 5<sup>th</sup> year of teaching God has truly blessed this Church with the opportunity to be Christ like to these children and their families; many of whom do not go to Family Bible Church and some who don't even go to church. Through the outstanding dedication of the Building Blocks staff, the families of the children we serve Building Blocks was able to achieve new heights this past year. Some of the Building Blocks accomplishments include:

- Professional development of staff
- Appropriate learning experiences in the context of a Christian environment

It is with great appreciation that we thank our staff, families, volunteers and the congregation for all your prayers and support. Without God I believe our preschool would not be as successful as it is. With the success of Building Blocks we have been able to employ 13 teachers as the Director I feel very blessed to have such amazing women teaching. Building Blocks currently has over 125 children enrolled in our different programs which consist of our 3 and 4yr old preschool classes, full-time childcare and our before and after school program. We also have a summer camp for ages 5-12.