

# GT *he* Gathering

Connecting Through Faith

Buns:  
Delicious Cinnamon  
and Messy Hair



Consecration  
Service

Have you  
lost your  
keys?





# To Do List

by Pastor Jodiann

November is the month that requires a lot of preparation, and so, to do this, we end up writing a lot of lists. The famous “To Do Lists” for the holidays. We stuff them in our purses, scrunch them up in our pockets or write them down on our iPhones. Lists of things needed to prepare the home for company, friends, and family. A list of baking supplies. A list of small gifts for teachers and co-workers. Christmas cards. Ideas of presents for the loved ones. Christmas movies to watch and many other things that pop into our mind just before we snuggle down to sleep. LOL!

When we make our plans, let us not forget the list of God’s promises. Given to us in Isaiah 9:6, “And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.”

Honestly, this season’s wonderful memories will be achieved quicker when we utilize those gifts God has provided for us. **Don’t know what to do?** “He is our counselor!” **Feeling overwhelmed?** “He is our Prince of Peace!” *He loves us because He is our Heavenly Father and He is mighty to save.*

As we write out our tasks this season, let’s all stop and thank God for His marvelous promises that we can claim every day.

We’ve made the search for you... because it’s *endlist*



cute checklist template



Jodiann  
Schott

Speaking of writing notes, if you like Hallmark Christmas Movies, this movie is about writing a list and falling in love: <https://youtu.be/VnARlu6-Y5I>

# DON'T FORGET

Here are some reminders that God loves you and that He is faithful.

THE BIBLE IS FILLED WITH THE PROMISES OF GOD. READ YOUR BIBLE DAILY!

GOD HAS NOT LEFT YOU.

HIS PROMISES ARE TRUE REGARDLESS OF WHAT YOU SEE/HEAR/FEEL...

GOD IS NOT FINISHED WITH YOU. THERE IS A PURPOSE TO YOUR PAIN.

GOD IS STILL AT WORK, EVEN IN THE SILENCE, EVEN IN THE STORM.

VICTORY COMES BY YOUR JOYFUL ATTITUDE.

OUR IMPERFECTIONS WILL NEVER OVERRIDE GOD'S PROMISES. EVER!

WE WILL STEER WHERE WE STARE. FOCUS ON CHRIST AND HIS WORD.

REMINDER: BRING A FRIEND TO WOMEN'S PARTY!!!

## Women's Holiday Extravaganza

**SATURDAY, November 20th  
2:00 PM**

Let's gather through faith... again!

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# The Rhema Word from the Consecration Service for Pastors Schott and Jodiann *By Elaine Lum*

Have you ever lost your keys? Pastor Richard's insight for us is, "The keys were not lost, you were lost! The keys were right where you left them." Here are some truths about keys. God has appointed Pastors Schott and Jodiann for Glad Tidings. They are the right keys for the right place.

Isaiah 22:22 (NIV)

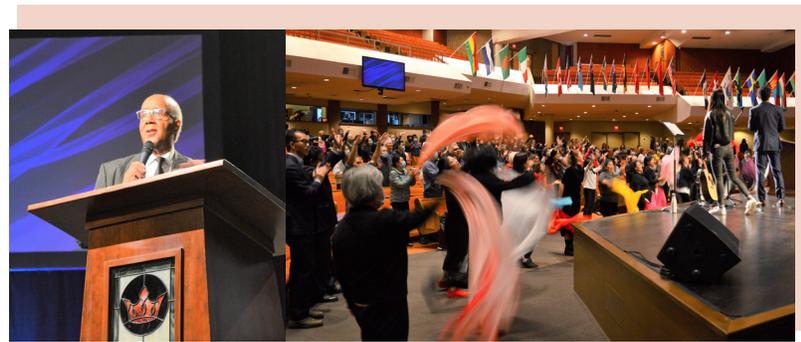
*"I will place on his shoulder the key to the house of David; what he opens no one can shut, and what he shuts no one can open."*

1. Keys open doors that no one can shut. Keys have the authority and access to opportunities and new dimensions. God is taking us into a new territory that no one can shut.

2. Keys can shut doors that no one can open. There are places that God doesn't want us to go into; leave the door alone! If God shuts the door, there is nothing in there that you will need.



Pastor Richard ministering through music



Left: Pastor Richard Probasco of New Song Community Church, Portland, Oregon. Right: Glad Tidings and Amazing Grace in one place, at one time.

3. Keys can be misplaced. Even if the keys are still there, they are useless if you don't have them. We need access through the gifts that God has put in our hands. We are accountable for what God has given us.

4. Keys can be stolen. Once keys are stolen, the thief now has access to what belongs to you. However, the violent take it by force, so get back everything the devil stole from you. Prayer is the key to heaven. Faith unlocks the door.

Pastor Calvin shared about conceiving regardless of gender, age, or background. God has placed the call of God on Pastors Schott and Jodiann for this house for such as time as this.

Luke 1:30 (NKJV) *"Then the angel said to her, 'Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God.'"*



Pastor Derron Calvin of Trinity Life Change Church, Seattle Washington

Verse 34: *"Mary asked, 'How shall this be?' and the angel answered, 'The Holy Ghost shall come upon you and the power of the Most High shall overshadow you.'"*

When the Holy Ghost comes in, the will of God makes the impossible, possible. So, when you don't know what to do, invite the Holy Spirit to overshadow the impossible situation with your worship, sowing seeds, and loving others.

Luke 1:36 (NKJV) – *"Now indeed, Elizabeth your relative has also conceived a son in her old age; and this is now the sixth month for her who was called barren."*



Pastors, Glad Tidings Staff and Trustees praying over Pastors Schott and Jodiann at the Consecration service on October 24, 2021.

God can touch the unfruitful areas of your life. You are not too old or too young to conceive God's plan. However, it is not by your efforts, talents, or connections. God will do it.

Glad Tidings' best days are ahead because we have the Holy Ghost. Call upon the name of God, and signs, miracles and wonders will follow.

The Rhema Word is an immediate Word, coming at the right time. A "right now" Word. When Pastor Schott preaches the Word, the Spirit of God will hover over this place and create a Rhema Word for you.



Pastor John Zhou and the leadership of Amazing Grace Christian Fellowship sharing in the service. Pastor Shirley Yeoh translating.

Pastor John of Amazing Grace shared Joel 2: 23, 24 for both Amazing Grace and Glad Tidings.

*"Be glad then, you children of Zion,  
And rejoice in the LORD your God;  
For He has given you the former rain  
faithfully,  
And He will cause the rain to come  
down for you—*

*The former rain, and the latter rain in the  
first month.*

*The threshing floors shall be full of wheat,  
And the vats shall overflow with  
new wine and oil."*



# DIY HAIR JEWELRY

*(for gifts or for keeps!)*

DOLLARSTORE:  
LOOSE CRAFT  
JEWELS

AMAZON: E-6000 ADHESIVE



This delightful craft would make great stocking stuffers or add sparkle to that holiday updo.

Simply glue the jewels to a basic metal hair clip or bobby pins.



DOLLARSTORE: HAIR CLIPS





Photo by Holly Enns



**Jodiann Schott**

Admin · October 14 at 7:22 PM · 🌐

I've been craving cinnamon rolls. Warm - mouth watering, spicy frosting with melting butter sliding down the side of a golden brown roll of deliciousness. How do you do the cinnamon roll? What's your favorite way to make it? Is it part of your holiday experience? Let me know and I'll put it in November's magazine 😊👍



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6 Comments 1 Share Seen by 103

**Linda Hoggard** - After making a sweet dough I make a paste of butter, brown sugar, cinnamon, cloves, allspice, with a pinch of nutmeg and spread it over the dough that has been rolled into a rectangle. Roll the dough starting the long side and cut into 1" width spiral piece and place in buttered pan that had been sprinkled with brown sugar. Leave space between pieces and cover with a cloth or wrap for 20-30 min. rest to rise. Place on middle rack & bake at 375 for 20 min or until golden brown. Once removed from the oven turn pan upside down and allow the syrup to drip down onto the buns.

**Jodiann Schott** - [Linda Hoggard](#) that is pure happiness

😊 add the Earl Gray tea and breakfast is served 😊

Photo Submitted by Lorna Webb



## Simply Super Crescent Cinnamon Rolls

### INGREDIENTS

#### Filling

- 2/3 cup finely chopped pecans
- 1/3 cup packed brown sugar
- 1/3 cup powdered sugar
- 1 tsp ground cinnamon
- 1/4 cup butter or margarine, softened

#### Rolls

- 2 cans refrigerated Pillsbury™ Original Crescent Dough Sheet

#### Glaze

- 1 cup powdered sugar
- 1 Tbsp butter or margarine, softened
- 2 to 3 Tbsp milk

### STEPS

**HEAT** oven to 375°F. Grease 13x9-inch pan. Mix filling ingredients. **UNROLL** 1 can of dough; press into 13x7-inch rectangle. Spread filling over rectangle. Unroll second can; press into 13x7-inch rectangle and stack on top of first rectangle. Press dough together. Cut into 8 (13-inch) strips. Twist each strip 5 or 6 times. Shape into a coil; place in pan. **BAKE** 20 to 25 mins or until golden brown. Immediately remove from pan; place on cooling rack. **STIR** glaze ingredients together, adding milk for desired drizzling consistency; drizzle over warm rolls. Serve warm.

*Enjoy!*

# Let It Go!

By Pastor Jodiann Schott

Hebrews 12:15 *See to it that no one falls short of the grace of God and that no bitter root grows up to cause trouble and defile many.*

Overcoming bitterness requires being honest with ourselves and a willingness to climb the mountain of forgiveness.

**EVERYONE** has been hurt by the actions or words of someone. But God promises a grace against bitterness if we want to catch it. Unfortunately, many have missed this grace, and when hurt turns into bitterness it becomes an acid that destroys its own container. Bitterness taking up residence in your life is devastatingly personal, spiritual, and even physical.

Bitterness seems to run in families like a genetic pattern, leading many down the path of emotional and spiritual devastation. It can show itself in the form of melancholy, sadness or self-pity. It can also distort the actual event, thus encouraging the offense to grow stronger and taking on vain imaginations.

Be wary of people who are bitter projectors. These people need others to be bitter with them. They are quick to rehearse the offense, reinstating bitterness and deepening the hurt.

Particularly by other family members who have experienced similar hurtful situations. This action is very dangerous to your spirit.

**"Keep your heart soft."**

Forgiveness requires a decision to let go of resentment and anger. It must be on purpose and practiced. Recognize that time will be lost and you might be the one who pays most dearly.

Forgiveness is possible—even if reconciliation isn't. However, that is generally not the case. Some situations require us to stand in faith and trust God to work out the details *in His timing*. The important thing is that you choose to show love. Keep your heart soft. When you feel the old pain creeping in, remind yourself to throw your faith towards the situation and trust God to bring about the miracle you need.

# Let's Go Deeper...

Here are some journaling prompts to reflect on "Let It Go!"

**Read:** Ephesians 4:31 "Get rid of all bitterness, rage and anger, brawling and slander, along with every form of malice."

Think about the following questions, search your heart, and ask God to help you respond truthfully to these questions.

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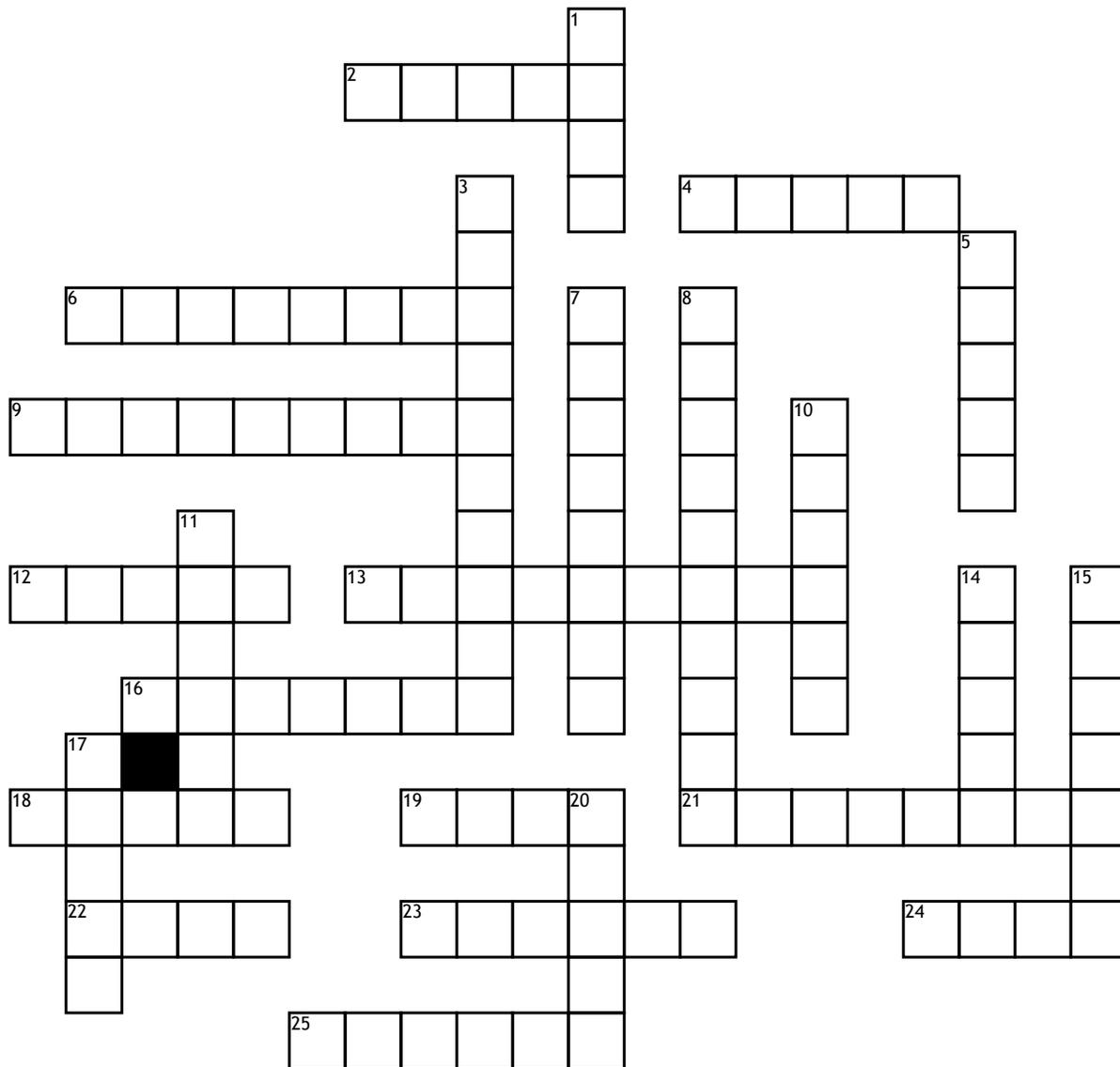
- Do you want this relationship restored?
- Do you enjoy having a story of being wounded?
- Was there anything that you did to contribute to the hurt in this relationship?
- Is there someone outside of this relationship that wants this conflict to continue and therefore feeds you negative opinions and bitterness?
- Whose responsibility is it to rid yourself of bitterness?
- Can you allow yourself to look at the situation from the perspective of person that hurt you?
- Did the actions that hurt you come from malice? Or their own hurt, disappointment and confusion?
- Can you fix the relationship and find a way to forgive and go on?

Hebrews 12:14-15

"Pursue peace with all people, and holiness without which no one will see the Lord, looking carefully lest anyone falls short of the grace of God; lest any root of bitterness springing up cause trouble, and by this many become defiled."

Embracing forgiveness, you also embrace peace, hope, gratitude, and joy affecting your physical, emotional, and spiritual well-being.

# The Proverbs 31 Woman



## Across

2. \_\_\_\_\_ her for all that her hands have done

4. She gets up while it is still \_\_\_\_\_

6. beauty is \_\_\_\_\_

9. The wife of noble \_\_\_\_\_, who can find?

12. ...but a woman who \_\_\_\_\_ the Lord is to be praised

13. Her husband is \_\_\_\_\_ at the city gate...

16. She is clothes with strength and \_\_\_\_\_

18. She ... works with \_\_\_\_\_ hands...

19. She considers a field and \_\_\_\_\_ it

21. ... out of her \_\_\_\_\_ she plants a vineyard.

22. She brings him \_\_\_\_\_, not harm.

23. ...her arms are \_\_\_\_\_ for her tasks.

24. She provides \_\_\_\_\_ for her family

25. She is worth far more than \_\_\_\_\_

## Down

1. She opens her \_\_\_\_\_ to the poor

3. She sets about her work \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_ is deceptive

7. ...and does not eat the bread of \_\_\_\_\_

8. She sees that her trading is \_\_\_\_\_

10. She speaks with \_\_\_\_\_

11. ...let her works bring her \_\_\_\_\_ at the city gate

14. She is clothed in fine \_\_\_\_\_ and purple

15. Her children arise and call her \_\_\_\_\_

17. She can \_\_\_\_\_ at the days to come

20. When it \_\_\_\_\_, she has no fear for her household

# A little more sparkle 😊 and a little less stress!

John 14:27 "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid."

It is easy to let worry, stress, and anxiety take over our thoughts. Calming your mind and reducing anxiety can be as simple as meditating on this scripture and following these proven techniques to reduce stress.

- *Eat A Snack (Mindfully!)*  
Stress-eating doesn't have to be bad. Pick a snack that will fill you up—half an avocado, a handful of nuts or a hard-boiled egg—because nothing is more stressful than feeling like you've run out of nourishment.



- *Take a Walk*  
Take a 10 minute walk and your brain will release endorphins that subdue anxiety.

- *Take a Deep Breath*  
First, breathe in slowly through your nose, fill your lungs completely. Then, slowly breathe out through your mouth. Repeat this process 5-10 times and you'll find your starting to relax. This is also a great way to fall asleep.

- *Stretch*  
[Dealing with Upper Back Pain? Try This.](#) \*full link in credits page

- *Make a Checklist*  
When you feel overwhelmed by endless assignments, grab a pen and notepad, take a breath and make a checklist.

- *Phone off, Christian music on*  
Christian music will remind you of your significance as one of God's creations. The gentle, inspirational songs are perfect for calming restless muscles, relaxing the body, and allowing you to let go of the pressure.



# Messy Buns

## EASY HOLIDAY HAIRSTYLES

The Holiday season is upon us, and that means celebrating with friends and family. We all know time presses in on us as we prepare for this busy season. It's a fast-moving season with the long list of places to go and we all want our hair to look fabulous. Our answer to the frenzy of this season is the quick and simple updo of the messy bun. *We're talking about hair that deserves a holiday award.*

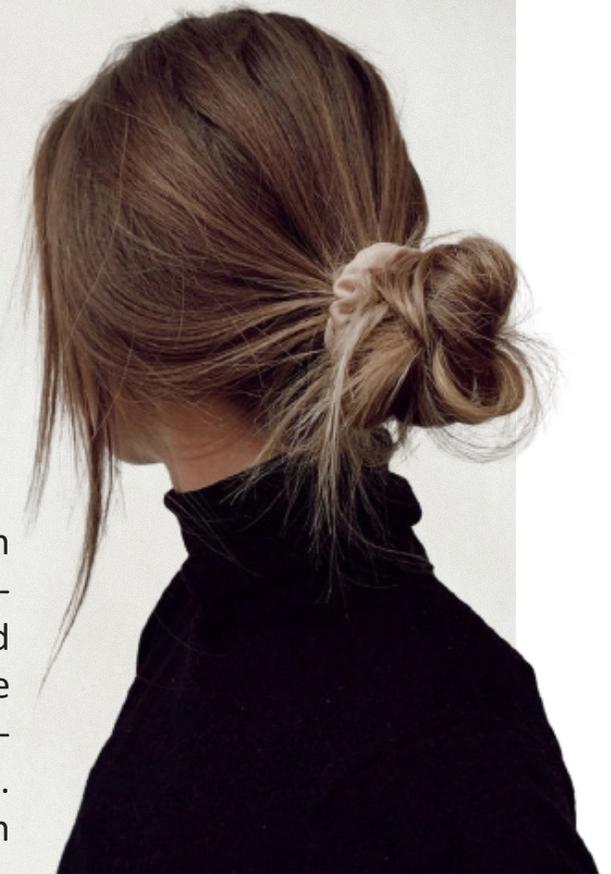
The messy bun is the perfect hairstyle hack for both last minute plans and that night of celebration you've had on the calendar for months.

Look at these 👁️👁️ ...

<https://pin.it/6oe0Sqj>

<https://pin.it/356a9zF>

<https://pin.it/4QNjjHL>



Curly, straight, long, or short, there is an updo just right for you! We have done all the searching for you and found super cute pins to make the holidays as simple as twisting your hair and bobby-pinning it to your head. Lol!



***Up and out of the way...  
with style!***

***What You Need***

Comb  
Hair pins  
Elastic bands  
Hairspray

***What To Do***

**1** Divide your hair into two sections. Hold them, so they look like two pigtails.

**2** Tie both the sections in a knot. Take an elastic band and tie it below the knot.

**3** Divide the hair below the elastic band into two and tie it in another knot.

Tie another elastic band under this second knot. *(The number of knots depends on the length of your hair. If you have shoulder length hair, two knots should do. But if you*

*have longer hair, you'll need more knots.)*

**4** Fold the knots up and pin them in place, leaving the ends out. Tug the hair at the crown to add some volume at the top and make the hairdo look messier.

**5** Finish off with a spritz of hairspray to set the do in place.





## Chrysanthemum

*The November birth flower is the chrysanthemum. One of the world's most popular cut flowers because of its variety. Available in a huge spectrum of colours.*

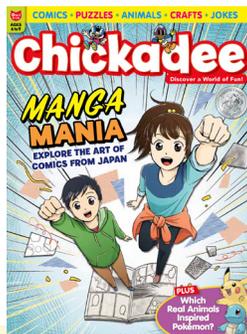
# Magazine Gift Ideas for the Whole Family

by Marion Wallis

Here are lists of magazine subscriptions to gift to the young ones in your lives! This Christmas time, give them the gift of discovery, fun, and growth.

**These are the only ones that are not Christian, but I have given these for years and people love them. These are all brightly coloured with shiny paper pages all under the Canadian Wildlife Federation.**

1. Wild (Wild Life Magazine) 5-12
2. Canadian 7-12
3. Chickadee 6-12
4. Kids 6-12
5. National Geographic 3-6



**Chickadee - 1 Year**  
10 Issues | \$29.95



**Wild - 1 Year**  
6 Issues | \$22.00

**These next ones are all from Focus on the Family or Sisterhood.**

1. Clubhouse Junior 3-7
2. Club House 8-12
3. Brio teenagers
4. CCM teenages re music
5. Devozine 14-19
6. Brio and Sisterhood teen girls ([shop.focusonthefamily.ca/Brio](http://shop.focusonthefamily.ca/Brio))
7. For Girls Like You 6-11 ([forgirlslikeyou.com/](http://forgirlslikeyou.com/))
8. Shine Brightly/Sparkle 9-14 ([canada.gemsgc.org](http://canada.gemsgc.org))
9. Set Apart - young women ([setapartgirl.com](http://setapartgirl.com))
10. The King's Blooming Rose ([kingsbloomingrose.com](http://kingsbloomingrose.com))
11. Virtuous ([facebook.com/thevirtuousmag/](http://facebook.com/thevirtuousmag/))
12. Discovery Girls Tweens ([facebook.com/DiscoveryGirls/](http://facebook.com/DiscoveryGirls/))
13. Devotion Magazine for girls and women ([devotionmagazine.com/](http://devotionmagazine.com/))



**Brio - 1 Year**  
6 Issues | \$28.56



**For Girls Like You - 1 Year**  
6 Issues | \$29.95



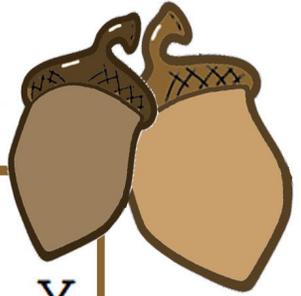
**Clubhouse Jr. - 1 Year**  
12 Issues | \$23.99



# Autumn



## WORD SEARCH



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PUMPKIN  
SWEATER

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RAKE  
PIE  
LEAF



## 3 keys for an organized mudroom... in a small space



1. Shoe storage
2. Hooks for backpacks and coats
3. A place for each kid's gear for activities and sports

Putting a small system in place can be that simple. As kids get older, transitioning to hanging folders and personal whiteboards for papers and erasable notes is a quick fix. As they say, "The days are long, but the years are short."

### FREE GIFTBOX PRINT OUT –

Great things come in small boxes and we have *the* box pattern for you! Download page 16 for hidden little treasures. Just cut on the solid line, fold on the dotted, and you can make a cute box for a chocolate or a piece of jewelry. Hang it on the Christmas tree or use it as a placeholder to make your holiday dinner extra special.



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# NOVEMBER

**Birthstones:**



**Birth flower: Chrysanthemum**  
(see colouring page)