

Preschool News

April 17, 2015

Jesus Ascension

Our Bible Story was from Acts 1:6-11.

Some questions you can ask your preschooler are: Who was Jesus talking to? (The disciples) What happened to him? (He started to go up "ascend" towards heaven.) What happened next? (Two angels came down and asked the disciples, "Why are you looking up at the sky?") What else did they tell the disciples? (Jesus has gone to heaven.) How did the disciples feel after the angels spoke to them? (Happy) Why? (Because they know he would return and they believed that he would always be with them.)



Sensory Play

This week the children had silk flowers in the sensory table. They had the opportunity to arrange them and place them in foam. They enjoyed being florists and making multiple arrangements. They also enjoyed just carrying bouquets around the room.

Focus Letter 'X'

This week's focus letter was the letter 'X'.

We learned that the letter 'X' is in the following words: x-ray, box, fox, xylophone, exit, and x-ray fish.

Art

This week we cut out large carrot shapes, used white yarn for the roots, and Easter grass for the greens of the carrot and glued the carrots onto brown paper to represent the dirt. This activity went along with the book we read on Monday titled: The Carrot Seed. Ask your child about the story. We also painted at the easel and caught up on some of our art from before spring break.

Next Week's Bible Story & Theme

Next week the children will learn about David & Goliath.

We will also be focusing on plants, flowers and seeds for another week.

Daddy & Daughter Sweetheart Dance

The dance is tomorrow night! We are looking forward to a wonderful night. Ms. Pung and I will be on hand to ensure that all the daddies and daughters have a fun time! We will take lots of pictures and can't wait to see the girls all dressed up!

Conferences

Preschool conferences will take place on Monday 5/11 from 1-7pm & 5/15 from 9-noon. I will send out a sign up genius soon.

We Did All This....

This week we learned about plants and seeds. We began making our grass heads and will resume this activity next week until each child has a grass head. We also worked on patterning this week using the paint doobers. Science was fun learning how and what a seed needs to grow.



Grandparents Day

Grandparents' Day is Wednesday April 29th. For children who are bringing a grandparent they will arrive at 8 AM. To have Goodies with Grand's and do a special Grandparent/Grandchild activity then head over to chapel. We will resume our regular daily schedule after chapel.

For children who are not able to have a grandparent attend please arrive at school at our regular start time of 8:30 AM. Mr. Sperry and I will not be in the classroom until 8:30 AM because we will be helping in the gym.

Important Dates

- 4/21=911 Assembly.
- 4/27=Field Trip to MSU Gardens meet @ 8:45am
- 4/29 = Grandparents' Day.
- 5/1=No School for the Day School.
- 5/3-5/5 NLSA Accreditation Team Visit
- 5/5 = Hearing and Vision Screenings @ 9am.
- 5/11 = Ms. Marie will be reading @ 9:15 am.
- 5/13=School Talent Show (Each class will have a few numbers) Please let me know if you will not be attending ASAP.
- 5/16 = St. Peter Country Run 1 mile kid's run, 5K, and 10K
- 5/20 = Picnic at Fantasy Forest for our last day as a whole class☺ Last day for 3 day students☺
- 5/21= Last day of school for our 4 day students☺