

# St. Peter Lutheran

## PRESCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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### Our Week in Review

This week Bible lesson was about Joseph and his brothers in Genesis 42-47. Some questions you can ask your preschooler: Who gave Joseph a coat? (His father) Joseph had a dream about wheat. What was Joseph's brothers' wheat doing to Joseph's wheat in the dream? (Their wheat bundles were bowing down to Joseph) Did the brothers like Joseph's dream? (No) What did Joseph's brothers do to him? (They put him down in a deep pit) Why did they do that? (His brothers didn't like Joseph because they were jealous of him) What else did the brothers do to Joseph? (They sold him to some mean people to be a slave.) Who was with Joseph when all these bad things were happening to him? (God) Next week we will learn more about when Joseph saw his brothers many years later.

### Science

The preschoolers helped to make playdough this week. The children used their observation skills to observe that the liquids (oil & water) were soaked up by the dry ingredients and became a solid. They also noticed that one of the food colorings "sunk" to the bottom and stayed in a "bubble" at the bottom of the water, while the other food coloring "dropped in and went away."  
(Dissolved)

They also observed that when I stirred the liquid ingredients together, the clear water/oil became "orange." Wow! Awesome job preschoolers! They really enjoyed this experience! If you haven't made homemade playdough before, let me know. It is very simple and something the children really enjoy!!

Mrs. Fletcher used shaving cream and food coloring to make some marbling pictures. The children used a q-tip to swirl the food coloring around on the shaving cream. Then they put a piece of paper on top of the shaving cream to make their picture.

### Halloween Party

Parents are invited to join their child on Wednesday, Oct 28<sup>th</sup> at 8:30am to attend chapel, then spend the day visiting centers and spending time with your child during the Halloween party.

Children can bring their costumes and put them on after Chapel. (Please no scary costumes or weapons.) You can also bring a wrapped treat for your child to pass out to friends, if you wish.

I have also emailed a Sign Up genius for our class party. If you didn't get it please let me know.

I look forward to a fun-filled day!

### Our focus letter was letter 'J'.

We looked at our focus letter picture and poem to learn that the following words begin with the letter 'J': Jesus, Joseph, jaguar, jeep, jeans, jacket, jack-in-the-box, jump rope, jet, and jungle. We used jelly to spread on a large capital 'J' this week too.

### Misc. info.

- Oct 18 =10:30am singing at church! Children can be dropped off in the classroom at 10:15 and will be released to sit with parents after they sing. Immediately following, please join us for a potluck lunch and bring a dish to pass.
- Oct 19=PTL meeting @ 6:30pm. Childcare is provided.
- October 22= NO PRESCHOOL OR DAY SCHOOL teachers are at a conference.
- October 28 = Halloween party for preschoolers.
- October 30<sup>th</sup> =Fall Fest & Trunk-or-Treat from 6-8pm. Fliers will be going home Monday.
- 11/5=School Holiday Wreath Sale begins \$25.00 per wreath.
- 11/2 = Leaf Raking Event PTL.
- 11/13=Family Movie Night.
- 11/16 = PTL @ 6:30 with childcare provided.