



Grace Preschool News



Important Preschool Dates

Tuesday, Dec. 13

Preschool Christmas
Program at 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 20

Happy Birthday, Jesus
Celebration
TTh 2s and -4year-olds
at 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 21

Happy Birthday, Jesus
Celebration
MW 2s and 3-year-olds
at 10:30 a.m.

Thursday, Dec. 22 -

Monday, Jan. 4

Christmas Holidays
(Preschool resumes on
Thursday, Jan. 5)

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday to all of
our Preschool students
who have December
birthdays!!!

2-Year-Old Preschool Class

We had a wonderful month learning all the things we are thankful for and celebrating Thanksgiving. We also learned about farm animals.

This month will be very special as we learn of Jesus' birth. Our shape will be the star, the color red,

letters H and R, and the number 5. We will talk all about winter.

Thank you for sharing your child with us.

Ms. Robin and Ms. Jessica



3-Year-Old Preschool Class

During the month of December, our 3-year-olds will be extremely busy. We will begin our month by focusing on the season of Advent.

The weeks in December will be filled with getting ready for Baby Jesus. We will

look at the many different ways that we can give to others during this special time of year.

Our colors of the month will be red, number 5, and shape star. Our Bible story will be the Christmas story, and we welcome any book about the birth of Jesus that is special to your child.

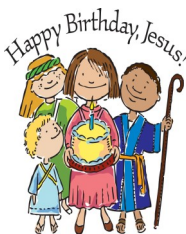
Ms. Robbie and Ms. Dawn



3/4-Year-Old Combo Preschool Class

The month of December we will be learning the following:

- Jesus' Birthday
- The reason for the season
- Wisemen



- Young Jesus
- The Winter season
- Letters: J and K
- Number: 5
- Shape: star
- Color: red.

Ms. Andrea and Ms. Cheryl

4-Year-Old Preschool Class

It's hard to believe December is here. December is the busiest time of the year for many of us. Also it is a most special time - the



time we remember God's greatest gift to us - the birth of Jesus.

This month we will be preparing for Jesus' birthday. Our units this month will be Christmas Around the World and At Home. We will study the shape

star, the color red and the number 5.

Our Bible verse for the month is "Glory to God in the highest..." Luke 2:14. We will talk about how the Wise Men teach us to give. Merry Christmas!

Ms. Abby and Ms. Cheryl

**Preschool
Christmas
Program**

**Tuesday,
Dec. 13
6:30 p.m.**

Please have Preschool students here no later than 6:15 p.m.



Christmas
EVE

*The People of
Grace invite you
to join us
On Christmas Eve
for Worship with
Communion and
Candlelighting
Saturday, Dec. 24
4 p.m., 10:30 p.m.*

The season of Advent begins Nov. 27. Color one candle each Sunday to count down the weeks until Christmas. Color the middle candle on Christmas Day.



*and on
Christmas Day
for Lessons and
Carols with
Communion
Sunday, Dec. 25
10:30 a.m.*



Christmas
DAY

**Faith At Home:
Countdown to Christmas**

By Jolene Roehlkepartain

Get to know the Bible passages that talk about the promise of Jesus' birth and the events leading to Jesus' birth.

1. Say this prayer aloud to begin. *God, prepare us for the season of Advent and Christmas. Amen.*
2. Ask someone to read aloud Isaiah 9:2. Then ask another family member to read aloud Isaiah 9:6-7.



3. As a family, talk about these questions:
 - How do we get ready for Christmas?
 - What do you enjoy most about getting ready for Christmas?
 - What do you wish didn't take as long to get ready for Christmas?
 - How can we enjoy the entire month of December instead of focusing only on Christmas Day?
4. Starting on December 1 (or any day after), begin reading a scripture a day until Christmas. Let different family members take turns reading the passage each day. Talk about what happened in the scripture and why it's important for the Christmas season.

PRESCHOOL LEADERSHIP

Administrator: Chop Cooper
PS Director: Andrea Hawkins
Board Chair: Sarah Eargle
Interim Pastor: Rev. Jane Mitcham

2-Year-Olds:
Robin Romano
Jessica Ringer

3-Year-Olds:
Robbie Hunter
Dawn James


Preschool Staff
Chapel: Pastor Jane
Music: Shelby Felker

3/4 Combo Class:
Andrea Hawkins
Cheryl Mitchell

4-Year-Olds:
Abby Lasater
Cheryl Mitchell

