

CHRISTIAN DAY NURSERY SCHOOL

PREK 2022



Happy Spring!

It's finally Spring and I cannot wait to get outside again on a regular basis. Please dress your children appropriately. We have completed the alphabet and will continue reviewing the letters and sounds. Those who are ready we will work on blending sounds and word families. We will be adding and subtracting and continue with our writing and science journals.

The end of the year is fast approaching, please mark your calendars for the following end of year events.

Field Trip Tuesday May 10 We will be taking a walking field trip to the reservoir to enjoy the day discovering nature. We will remain at the reservoir and ask the parents to pick your child up there. I will need at least 1 parent volunteer from each class to walk with us but more are welcome. (NO SIBLINGS) We walk rain or shine, unless it is storming. More information will be coming home on this event but I wanted to give ample notice in case you want to attend.

Singing in Church As a way of thanking the St. Peter Congregation for the support of our school, the preschoolers of CDNS will be singing for the church April 3 for all service. **This will be pre-recorded and shown during the service due to Covid. Tune into WLKR to hear it on the radio or look for it to be posted on <https://www.stpeter-elca.org/>.** Click on the Christian Day Nursery School Link

St. Jude Trike-a-thon Friday May 13 Please save the date. Although this is not a regularly scheduled class day for Pre-K, it would be nice to see all the Pre-Kers show off all their "mad bicycle skills" I hear so much about! The children will learn bicycle safety lessons and talk about children with serious illness the week prior to the event. They will learn how they may help those children by raising money or praying for them. Please plan to attend for 20 minutes or so whether you collect pledges or not. Siblings are also welcome to attend this event.—Bicycle helmets are required.

Science Round Up Please mark your calendars for the Pre-K Science round-up on Monday May 23. This event will be held in fellowship hall from 10am – 11:30. **This is for the AM and PM classes combined. There is no other school for them this day.** I will be sending more information later but please request time off now. Mom, dad, grandparents too, are going to want to join this fun event. This is Pre-K's end of the year celebration, they will still attend school at their regular class time Tuesday and Wednesday.

Spring Break is April 15 thru 22. I hope everyone has a blessed Easter and is able to take this week to relax and rejuvenate!

Happy Easter! Mrs. Rhoad

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It was so good to see everyone come out to Open House and Art Show. I was still a little different then what we have done in the past, but we were able to open our doors and enjoy the music and art provided by our little ones.

Thank to everyone that supported the SuzinL Easter Candy fundraiser. It was nice to offer Easter chocolates again this year. We are expecting delivery Tuesday April 5th.

There is a lot coming up at CDNS this spring!!! Please look for the Norwalk Fire Department visit, Law Enforcement, visit St. Jude Research Hospital Trike-a Thon, School picnics and a calendar full of fun.

Michelle Schaffer,
CDNS Director



Large Motor and Music

Large Motor – Students will continue to work on their eye – hand – foot coordination. The children’s developmental skills on ball handling has greatly improved throughout the year. Please continue to encourage your children to go outside and play.

Music – Children are working on some rhythm patterns by clapping. We will try to transfer these patterns to drum sticks playing on drums.

Body Systems – We will be learning about the urinary system. The children will understand the importance of the urinary system and how it keeps our bodies healthy.

Thank you,
Becky Parcher

TEMPLE TALK

Hello Friends! This month we will continue to learn the true meaning of Easter, with continuing to learn about the “Symbols of Lent, hearing about “ Palm Sunday the Donkey Legend” and talking about Easter “New Life-New Beginnings”. When we return from Easter Break we hear about “Doubting Thomas”.

Papers will be sent home, with a Palm for them to color to use on Palm Sunday, as well as our song and Bible verse to practice.

Our bible verse for the month is “Christ died for sins once, for all.” 1 Peter 3:18, and our song is “I’ll Remember”.

Have a beautiful and Blessed Easter.
Krista Wagner

St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church

Christ is risen! He is risen indeed! Alleluia! I know I’m a bit early with my Easter proclamation, as you are receiving this newsletter a couple weeks before the celebration of Christ’s resurrection. But if I wait until May’s newsletter to say it, it will seem old and stale. And the resurrection of Christ is never old or stale. Even during the solemnity of Lent, we celebrate the resurrection each Sunday.

I would like to invite you and your family to join us for our Holy Week and Easter services in April. Palm Sunday is April 10, when we remember Jesus’ entry into Jerusalem and end our service hearing about his crucifixion. Maundy Thursday worship is April 14 at 7 pm, when we commemorate the Last Supper. Good Friday worship is at noon and at 7 pm, as we recall our Lord’s suffering and death. And we will joyfully celebrate the resurrection on Easter weekend, April 16 and 17. Worship is at 5:30 on the 16th, at 8 & 10:30 am on the 17th. All are welcome.

May God bless you with a joyful and life-affirming Easter celebration.

Christ is risen!
Pastor Ann

1-2-3-4-5 I Know Jesus Is Alive

"1-2-3-4-5, Once I Caught A Fish Alive"

1-2-3-4-5, I know Jesus is alive.
6-7-8-9-10, He died for me, then rose again.
Why did He have to die?
So I could have eternal life.
Where does He live today?
In heav'n, but He hears me when I pray.

Three Days

Fingerplay--Original Author Unknwon

Day One--*Hold up one finger.*
The guards watched the tomb.*Put hand above eyes.*

All was quiet.*Hold finger to lips.*

Day Two--
The guards watched the tomb.
All was quiet.

Day Three--
The guards watched the tomb.
All was quiet.
SUDDENLY! *Jump, as if in shock.*
The stone rolled from the door of the tomb.
Make a rolling motion with hands.
Jesus stepped out! *Walk fingers across palm.*
God's Son was alive! *Point to sky.*

Jesus is His Name -- Oh

sung to the tune of "Bingo."

My Savior died but rose again
And Jesus is His name -- oh
J-E-S-U-S J-E-S-U-S J E-S-U-S
And Jesus is His name -- oh

Did You Ever See A Bunny?

(Sung to "Did You Ever See A Lassie?")

Did you ever see a bunny, a bunny, a bunny
Did you ever see a bunny that hops so slow
He hops, and hops, and hops, and hops
Did you ever see a bunny that hops so slow

Additional Verses:

That hops so fast
That hops backwards
That hops on one foot

Easter Bunny Chant

Funny little bunny
Sat on a stump
Flicked his floppy little ears
And then he gave a jump!

Springtime

(to the tune of "The Muffin Man")

Springtime is garden time,
Garden time, garden time,
Get your spades and come outdoors,
Springtime is here!

Springtime is planting time,
Planting time, planting time,
Get your seeds and come outdoors,
Springtime is here!

Springtime is jumping time,
Jumping time, jumping time,
Get your ropes and come outdoors,
Springtime is here!

Springtime is singing time,
Singing time, singing time,
Children sing a happy
song,
Springtime is here!



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