

CHRISTIAN DAY NURSERY SCHOOL
PREK
MARCH 2025



This month we will be studying about self awareness, and making an All About Me book. We will be learning about our five senses, as well as, exploring different careers.

Lutheran Schools Week is March 2-6. Our theme is "We are created" . We have a week full of fun activities for the Children and our families.

Our Service project during Lutheran Schools week is supporting **Lutheran Disaster Response of the Carolinas** . We will be collecting items for Comfort Kits for the children. These items may include coloring/activity books, playdough, bubbles, crayons, scissors, small plush/fidgets. These items should be able to fit into a plastic shoe box. Thank you for your generosity.

Our **chili cookoff** (and hotdogs) will start the celebration on **Sunday March 2nd 11:30-1:00**. We thank the families who entered our chili contest as well as those who donated extras for the chili. Good luck to all the entries. We also thank those who have donated baskets for our silent auction. We hope you are able to attend and enjoy some fellowship while eating, crafting and providing financial support to our school.

Open House/Art show—on **Monday March 3 at 7:00 pm** - you are invited to enjoy the musical and art talents of the students. Children should arrive by 6:45—singing begins promptly at 7:00 with classrooms opening after the singing to view our art galleries. Bring the family!

Pajama Day is on Wednesday March 5—A story teller from the Norwalk Public library will come in and read us some stories as we lounge in our PJs. If your child is not comfortable wearing jammies outside of the house, any comfy sweats will do. Please no slippers or bathrobes .

Tea Party is on Thursday March 6— during our lunch hour from 11:30-12:15 sh. Each child is allowed to bring a guest or two. If a parent is not available, we would like for them to attend with a grandparent or a special adult (over 18), so no one is left out. Please Bright wheel the number of guest attending asap. The children may wear dress up clothes from home or they may choose to wear some of ours. This will be a formal tea and we will be serving sandwiches, fruit, veggies and cookies and tea. I will be encouraging your child to try new things, please help me by encouraging them also.

All About Me Book—This month we will be making a Pre-K keepsake as we are learning about ourselves. The all about me book will include pictures of your child, their families as well as their home. It will include pictures cut from magazines or printed from a computer of their likes and dislikes. This is going to require your help in gathering pictures and information. I will be sending a Ziploc home listing the pictures needed and the dates they are needed (these are also listed on the March calendar). I would prefer for you to gather all items needed and send them in before the project begins if possible. If you are sending them in daily I would appreciate your promptness in remembering them. These photos will be glued into a book so please do not expect them back in the condition you sent them.

Dentist Field Trip—We will be walking to Dr. Sommers on a Monday in March or April—I will let you know the date as soon as they confirm.

SuzinL Candy –As a fundraiser we will be selling SuzinL candy. SuzinL is a local candy maker out of Amherst . Orders are Due Thursday March 13. Candy will be delivered on April 8. Please help support our school while filling your Easter baskets.

Spring Break runs from March 24-28.

FYI.....

TEMPLE TALK

Greetings,

Lent will start March 5 with Ash Wednesday, I will explain the meaning of this day and the journey we will take thru the season.

Our stories for March will be *Ash Wednesday, Jesus Feeds the Crowd, and Jesus Heals the Blind.* Our song will be *Jesus Said* and we will learn a variety of finger plays.

I hope your children share our stories with you.

Blessings,

Michelle Schaffer



LARGE MOTOR & MUSIC

Large Motor - John Orndorff, from North American Martial Arts here in Norwalk, will be our guest. John will introduce some self-control and self-discipline moves for children in the martial arts. We will also be sending home a flier, if you are interested in enrolling your child in this type of exercise.

Music - Monday, March 3 we will be performing at our Open House at 7:00 p.m. We will be singing "Jesus Loves Me". All of the children have learned how to use sign language to go with the song. Our PreK will be playing the chimes in the beginning of the song.

Body System - We will be learning about the digestive system. Students will understand how food is digested and turned into energy and how the body gets rid of waste.

Thank you,

Becky Parcher



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March 2 through March 8 is . . .

Lutheran Schools Week!

This is a time for us to send to the community the message that Lutheran schools are unique, affordable, and for anyone who wants to attend. The theme for the week is *Created to Be*.

To CELEBRATE the unique nature of Christian Day Nursery School will hold an in person Open House. We will have our Open House and Art Extravaganza on Monday March 3 at 7:00. Next, we are having a Pajama Day with a storyteller on March 5&6 everyone is to come to school in their PJ's and plan on a special day of stories, songs, art and treats.

To serve the community in honor of Lutheran Schools Week, the children will bring in can goods and nonperishable food items to donate to the **Blessing Box** out front of the church. We will also collect items for **Comfort Kits for Children**. These are kits that will go to children in the Carolinas as they continue to clean up from the hurricanes and flooding. This is a perfect opportunity for the CDNS students to experience reaching out with Jesus' love to all people.

- SuzinL Chocolatiers Easter Candy orders are due Thursday, March 13.
- Spring Break March 24-28
- Don't forget to register for classes in the fall, still have many openings.
- Save, save... Schild's IGA receipts.

Michelle Schaffer, Director

Icky, sticky, Icky, sticky bubble gum

Icky, sticky, Icky, sticky bubble gum,
bubble gum, bubble gum.

Icky, sticky, Icky, sticky, bubble gum
sticking onto my....knees!

Oh no! 1, 2, 3 UNSTICK!

Spring Time

Sung to: "Did you Ever see a Lassie?"

My eyes can see it's spring-time, it's spring-
time, it's spring-time.

My eyes can see it's spring-time, the grass is
so green!

The green grass, the flowers, the sunshine
and showers.

My eyes can see it's spring-time and I am
so glad.

My ears can hear it's spring time, it's spring
time, it's spring time.

My ears can hear it's spring-time, the birds
sweetly sing.

The birds sing, the lambs bleat, the frogs
croak, the bees buzz.

My ears can hear it's spring time, and I am
so glad.

My body can feel's it's spring time, it's spring
time, it's spring time.

My body can feel its spring time, the air is
so warm.

The warm air, the breezes, no frost and no
freezes.

My body can feel it's spring time, and I am
so glad!

Hippo Song

In the beginning God made the sea
And the forest filled with trees.

He made the mountains up so high

And up above He made the skies.

His fingerprints are everywhere

Just to show how much He cares

And in the end He had lots of fun

He made a hippo that weighs a ton

Hippo Hippo potamus

Hip hip hooray God made all of us

Hippo Hippo potamus

Hip hip hooray God made all of us !

The Pirate Ship Song

It was a sunny day when I went to play
down by the sea

I climbed aboard a pirate ship

And the captain said to me

We're going this way, that way

Forward/backward

Up and down / Up and down

Up and down /Up and down

Over the deep blue sea!

Repeat with:

cloudy, rainy, stormy and calm

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Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

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2 Chili cookoff 11:30-1:30 Joel	3 Sight / Memory Fancy Nancy 7:00 pm OPEN HOUSE	4 Hearing Sound match Listening walk Manners	5 Touch Mystery bag Pajama Day Wear PJ s	6 Taste/smell Tea Party Guest 11:30-12:15	7	8
9 Waylon	10 Dentist? Baby Picture of student	11 Weigh & Measure Compare Current picture of Student	12 Temple talk Telephone number Picture of your family	13 Learn address Picture of your house	14	15
16 Remington	17 Teachers Pictures of Things I don't like	18 Police/Fire Pictures of things I like	19 Temple Talk Nurses/Doctors My favorite things	20 Construction workers What I want to be when I	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Spring Break—No School						
30 Penelope	31 My 3 Wishes Large Motor					