



Shepherd of the Valley Preschool Newsletter

December 2023

*For to us a Child is born, to us a Son is given, and the government will be on His shoulders.
And He will be called: **Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, and Prince of Peace!***
Isaiah 9:6

Children's Christmas Program "Good News of Great Joy"

Come hear the Good News of Great Joy as the children tell the Christmas story through songs, bible verses and costumes. We will have a cookie reception after the program. Please bring 1 dozen cookies. Children should arrive at **6:00pm** and the program will begin at **6:30pm** in the church sanctuary.

Monday, December 18

Mrs. Meyers MWF
Miss Morrella
Mrs. Quast



Tuesday, December 19

Mrs. Palmaffy
Mrs. McManus
Mrs. Meyers TTH

***It is important to have your child at the preschool by 6:00pm
so that we will be ready to present our special service to you!**



Class Christmas Parties



Our classes will be having Christmas parties on the following days.

December 20: Mrs. Palmaffy, Mrs. Quast, Mrs. Meyers MWF, Miss Morrella

December 21: Mrs. Meyers TTH, Mrs. McManus

The children will hear the Legend of the Candy Cane story, watch "The First Noel", decorate cookies, listen to Christmas music, play games and have a sweet celebration of our Savior's birth. Please have the children wear red and green clothing!

We wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!



Christmas Services at Shepherd of the Valley



Christmas Eve Candlelight Services

6:00pm & 11:00pm

Christmas Day Service

10:00am

As you and your child learn more about the Christmas Story, together you will discover that this is just a small part of God’s plan for us. God sent His only Son, Jesus, to be born as a baby and live as we do – only He never did anything wrong. When Jesus grew up, He died on the cross to pay the punishment of our sins. Then, “On Easter Day, Jesus came alive again!” Even though we all die, Jesus promised that everyone who believes in Him would live forever with Him in heaven.



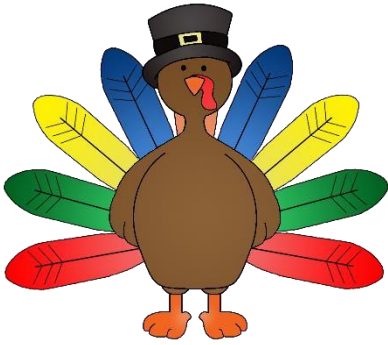
Christmas Break

December 22nd - January 5th - No School



Operation Christmas Child

We are so thankful to have donated over 70 boxes to Operation Christmas Child. May the shoebox gifts be a blessing to many children!



Our little turkeys are thankful for.....

- Maddox – going on trips with his family
- Danny – being nice
- Ella – family walks with her dog
- Everett – playgrounds and Trader Joe’s
- John – family and school
- Remy - pumpkins

Snack Menu – December 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
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				Goldfish Peaches & Water
4	5	6	7	8
Wheat Thins Apples & Water	Popcorn Raisins & Water	Bel Vita Crackers Blueberries & Water	Yogurt Bananas & Water	Teddy Grahams Cucumbers & Water
11	12	13	14	15
Granola Bar & Milk	Pretzel Sticks Carrots & Water	Cheese Crackers & Water	Veggie Straws Raisins & Water	Popcorn Apples & Water
18	19	20	21	22
Trail Mix Mixed Fruit & Water	Crackers Apples & Water	Christmas Party	Christmas Party	
25	26	27	28	29
Christmas Break – No School				





A Special Family Feast and Sing!



Thanks be to God for our wonderful families. What a fellowship it was!



Upcoming in January:

Monday, January 8th - School Resumes

Tuesday, January 9, 10, 11 – Bring a buddy to school (See Class Schedule)

Thursday & Friday, January 11th & 12th – PJ Day

Monday, January 15th – No School, Martin Luther King Jr Day



Preschool Registration



2024-2025 Registration Dates

Current Student/Siblings/Alumni Registration Deadline:

Tuesday, January 16th

Public Registration OPEN: **Wednesday, January 17 at 8:30am**

