



Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran Preschool Newsletter

MARCH 2020

Welcome Spring!

We have a lot of fun activities planned as we hop into spring! We will be learning about insects and life cycles and what to look for as the season changes from Winter to Spring!



We use the "One Year Devotions for Preschoolers" to encourage our preschoolers in their faith. Here is a Spring devotion you can share with your little one: When we water our plants, some grow into big trees. They need water to grow big and stay healthy. Some trees grow fruit like oranges and apples. Just like trees need water, we need the Bible. Reading the Bible helps us grow to be like Jesus. It helps us understand how God wants us to live. When we love and obey God, we are like a healthy tree that grows a lot of fruit.

He is like a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season. Psalm 1:3
Lord, teach me all I need to know so I can please you as I grow!

Bible Fun Week

March 2nd – 6th

Our classes will have Chapel each day this week as we learn all about how God is our Creator, Provider, Protector, Savior and King! We have activities all week that go with our bible lessons and a fun theme each day!

- Monday- Creator - **Crazy Hair Day!**
- Tuesday- Provider - **Crazy Hat Day!**
- Wednesday- Protector – **Crazy Sock Day!**
- Thursday- Savior- **Sports Day!**
- Friday- King – **Favorite Color Day!**

Spring Forward...

Sunday, March 8th

Don't forget to change your clocks!



Usborne Book Fair

March 12th – 13th

Open at pick times: 11:30am & 2:30pm

The future of our world depends of the education of our children.

SPRING SING

Sunday, March 15th at 9:30am

Children will sing their chapel songs during our church service. Bring your child to their classroom at 9:20am. We will have a cookie reception following the service.



St. Patrick's Day

Monday, March 16th

Morrella, Quast, Morrison

Tuesday, March 17th

Samuel, Seip, Morrison, Palmaffy

Please encourage your child to wear something green on these days! We will be feasting on Green Eggs and Ham. The children will also enjoy following clues to find a Leprechaun!



YSI Field Trip

* Morrella MWF, Quast MWF, Palmaffy M-F *

Friday, March 20th

Children will attend a "Life In A Pond" class and go on a "Five Senses Nature Walk" at Vasona Park in Los Gatos. See your field trip form for more information.

Dinner Night Out Fundraiser at ... March 26th, 3:00pm-9:00pm



Wear your SOTV shirt and bring your family to have dinner and play at Chuck E. Cheese!

Each child will get a sticker for 10 free tokens!

It will be a great time to see your friends and teachers! (Staff will join you between 5-7pm.)

Parent's Night Out - Kid's Night Out!

March 28th 5pm - 8pm

Parent's Night Out - Kid's Night Out is 3 hours of fun filled activities and pizza dinner...

and it's FREE

Discovery Museum Field Trip

Preschool Classes



We will get to test, prod, tinker, and crank with all the interactive exhibits! We will be taking the light rail to the Museum.

April 2nd - TTH Classes- Seip, Morrison

April 3rd - MWF Classes- Morrison

* More information will be in your child's cubby

Emergency Drills

We continue to practice our Emergency Drills at school!

This is a great time to talk to your children about your plan in your home.



Enjoy the following song:

I am a little Firefighter

(sung to "I am a little Teapot")

I am a little firefighter on the go...

Here is my helmet,

Here is my hose.

When I see a fire,

Hear me shout:

"Turn on the water and put the fire out!!"

Shhh....



Looking Ahead

March 31 April 1 Spring & Graduation Photos

April 10 No School - Good Friday

April 13-17 No School - Easter Break

April 27-28 Petting Zoo Fun!

May 6 & 7 Mother's Day Tea

May 11-15 Teacher Appreciation Week

May 21 & 22 Father's Day Coffee

May 25 Memorial Day, No School



VBS-2020

(Children that have finished Preschool 3's through 5th Grade)

June 29 - July 2 9am - 12 noon

Registration begins April 7th to preschool students & their siblings...

more information to come!

Space is limited Reg. April 8th open to the public

SNACK MENU - MARCH

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Animal Crackers & Milk	3 Trail Mix Water	4 Lion Snack Water	5 Pretzel Rods & Fruit Roll Up & Water	6 Decorate Your own cookie & Milk
9 Carrots/Dip, Pita Crackers & Water	10 String Cheese, Peaches, Water	11 Wheat Thins, Cuties, Water	12 Graham Crackers & Milk	13 Skinny Popcorn, Pears & Water
16 Green Eggs & Ham Water 5 Day – Teddy Grahams	17 Green Eggs & Ham Water	18 Cheese Slices, Apples & Water	19 Lucky Charm Trail Mix Milk	20 Cucumbers & Dip Crackers/Water
23 Goldfish Crackers & Milk	24 Rice Rollers, Oranges Water	25 Wheat Thins, Apple Slices & Water	26 Nutri Grain Bars Milk	27 Banana's, Yogurt, Water
30 Multi Grain Cheerios Milk	31 Carrots, Dip, Pretzel Crisps & Water			



Summer School

Join us for some fun in the summer! Children will enjoy an exciting theme-based program with activities in the areas of Math, Cooking, Science, Phonics, Music, Art, Bible, Outdoor Games and Water Play.

June 8-12: Art Explosion!

June 15-19: Happy Camper!

June 22-26: Little Scientists!

July 6-10: Mini Chef!

July 13-17: Animal Parade!

July 20-24: Hello Ocean!