



Abiding Presence Play and Learn Experience

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Easter Celebrations

"He is risen! He is risen, indeed! These words speak the simple truth of Easter. When you strip away the chocolate, the bunnies and the eggs, the true message of Easter is: CHRIST IS RISEN!

That being said, we will be celebrating Easter in many ways this month.

We will be having our annual Easter Egg hunts. The children will enjoy hunting for eggs with their names on them during their outside play time! Look for infor-

mation in your child's cubby soon.

On April 1st and 2nd, we will have our Easter Chapel programs and brunch. The children will need to be here at 9:00 and the chapel program will begin at 9:30. There will be a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board near the preschool entrance to bring something for the school to share for our Easter Brunch in the Fellowship Hall following the program.

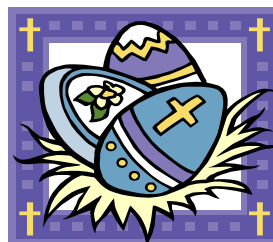
We have begun our Res-

urrection eggs and the story of Benjamin's Box in chapel for the 4 and 5 Year Olds. This is a wonderful, child friendly way to teach the kids about the crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus. Ask your child what we have discovered in the eggs.

Egg Hunts

On March 30th (M/W 2's and 4's), March 31st (T/Th 2's and 3's) and April 2nd (5's) we will hunt for Easter Eggs. Each child will need to bring a filled egg for each child in their class including themselves.

The "Easter Bunny" will hide the eggs on the playground for the kids to find. Information on the Egg hunts has already gone home.



Themes and Letterland:

April 6th- "Yy" Yellow Yo You Man

Community Helpers

April 13th - "Ww" Walter

Walrus

Weather

April 20th - "Xx" Fix it Max

Insects

April 27th - Zig Zag Zebra "Zz"

Wild Animals /Noah's Ark

Important Dates:

Spring Break	March 23 -27
Easter Egg Hunt (m/w 2's, 4's)	March 30
Easter Egg Hunt (t/th 2's, 3's)	March 31
Easter Chapel (Meredith's 2's, 4's, 5's)	April 1
Easter Egg Hunt (5's)	April 2
Easter Chapel (Christy 2's, 3's)	April 2
No School - Good Friday	April 3
Spring Fling	April 10
Extended Day Care	April 16
Picture Days	April 20 and 21

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Parent-Teacher Conferences
Ms. Suzie will have her conferences on Wednesday, April 8th and Ms. Heather on Wednesday, April 15th. Please look for sign-ups by their classrooms.

A Jelly Bean Easter Prayer for Children

Red is for the blood He gave,
Green is for the grass he made.
Yellow is for the sun so bright,
Orange is for the edge of night.

Black is for the sins we made,
White is for the grace he gave.
Purple is for his hour of sorrow,
Pink is for our new tomorrow.

A bag full of jelly beans is yummy to eat,
It's a picture, a promise, a special treat,
To help us remember
Jesus' work complete,
Gives us hope beyond any earthly sweet.



Spring Fling and Ice Cream Social

It is that time of year again for our Spring Fling / Ice Cream Social! On Friday, April 10th from 6:00 - 8:00PM we will be having a lot of fun with carnival games, hot dogs and FREE make - your-own ice cream sundaes! Come and join us for a night of food, fun and fellowship. We will also draw names for the basket raffle...Information on the baskets are posted by the classrooms.



The baskets will be on display and tickets sold prior to the Spring Fling. Tickets for the hot dog meal and carnival games will be sold at the door.

There will also be a silent auction for all of the wonderful class art projects.

We will need baked goods for the cake walk. If you like to bake, we can use all the goodies we can get! Anything and everything from whole cakes, cupcakes, cookies packaged by 3's, individually packaged brownies, will be appreciated!

Picture Days

Bring your best smile on Monday and Tuesday, April 20th and 21st. The photographer will be at the school to take class and individual pictures. We will need a couple of background checked volunteers to help each day with hair combing and to shuffle kids to and from the photographer.

