



FAITH CHILD CARE & NURSERY SCHOOL

December 2024 Newsletter

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REMINDERS & UPCOMING EVENTS:

12/8- Angel tree presents due- thank you for your kindness and generosity

12/23, 12/27, 1/2, 1/3 - FCCNS OPEN Normal Hours

12/24, 12/25, 1/1- FCCNS CLOSED

12/26- FCCNS OPENS 9am

12/31- FCCNS CLOSSES 4pm

Notes from the office...

Please remember to submit Office Change forms for changes to schedules **two weeks** in advance.

December Birthdays

Lorenzo	LL	12/1	1
Miss Micaela	BF	12/2	😊
Miss Laura	LB	12/10	😊
Gianluca	FF	12/11	5
Mia	FF	12/16	5
Maya	LB	12/17	2
Hadley	LB	12/31	2
Parker K.	LB	12/31	2

Happy Birthday everyone!

Stop in the office to pick out a new book to take home!

Employee of the Month Stephanie Johnson



Miss Stephanie has been with FCCNS for almost 3 years. She works with our Caterpillars (Toddlers) and is wonderful with them. She just completed her CDA and passed with flying colors. She also helps with Chapel and with music. Fun fact is she is Pastor Peter's wife. All the kids love her and we are blessed to have her as a part of the FCCNS family.

You are invited:



12/3- United Way's ROC The Day

12/12- Gingerbread House Decorating 12/12 @5:45

12/19- Christmas Worship Celebration 4pm

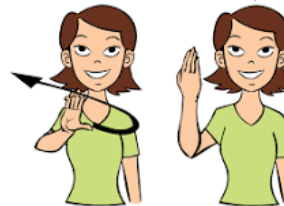
12/23- Center-Wide PJ Day and Christmas Party

12/24- Christmas Eve Services 3, 5:30 & 7:30

12/25- Christmas Day Service 10am

American Sign Language Signs of the Month

Christmas—To sign Christmas form the ASL letter C sign with your dominant hand, swoop it down in front of you, then scoop it back up until your dominant forearm is upright and your 'C' hand holds steady.



Jesus- To sign Jesus tap the palm of one hand with the middle finger of the other, and vice-versa.



Isaiah 9:6 - For a child is born to us, a son is given to us. The government will rest on His shoulders. And He will be called: Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.



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Classroom News

December Monthly Curriculum: Word: Generosity

Theme: Jesus and Christmas

Little Lambs – Miss Faith, Miss Karen & Miss Irene

Happy December! This month we say our goodbyes to Joseph and Owen as they are ready to move up to the Ladybugs. But we are excited to welcome some new friends, Charlotte and Colette! We will be working on the letters G and H. Have a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Lady Bugs - Miss Laura

Happy December! We are at the end of the year already! We will learn about Jesus and Christmas. We look forward to our special Christmas service. We will continue to work on our speech and ways we can communicate with each other so important at this age! We will continue to work with some letters, H, I and J. We will still go outside, weather permitting. Hadley and Maya will move up to the Caterpillars and we will welcome Joey and Owen. Have a wonderful Christmas everyone!

Caterpillars –Miss Stephanie, Miss Eva & Miss Katie

Happy December Caterpillar families. Can you believe it is already the end of the year? We are in full Christmas mode here in the Caterpillar room as we get ready to celebrate the birth of our newborn King! Please be sure to send in hats, mittens, snowpants and snow boots so that we can continue to enjoy time outside. This month we are sending two of our friends to their new classrooms as well as welcoming two new friends to our class. Good luck Sydney and Rosie, we are so proud of you. Maya and Hadley, we are so excited to have you in our class. This month we are focusing on the color yellow, stars and the number four. Our weekly themes will be Arctic Animals, Candy Canes, Christmas Trees, and baby Jesus. Any questions don't hesitate to reach out. Merry Christmas!

Butterflies – Miss Stacey & Miss Micaela

We hope you're ready to embark on a month filled with winter wonders and holiday cheer. In our classroom, December is not just about festivities. It's about embracing the joy of learning amid twinkling lights and snowy days. Join us as we dive into the magic of December where imagination takes flight and we enjoy the magic of Christmas. Please mark your calendar for our Christmas Worship Celebration Thursday, December 19th at 4:00 p.m.

Butterflies cont. Our class will be focusing on many things, especially using scissors every day (If you can practice at home 5 to 10 minutes, it would be extremely helpful), letter recognition and identifying numbers 1-50. We practice writing our first names using dry erase boards and markers every day at school, as we prepare our older friends as they head off to kindergarten in the fall. We are prepping and preparing them. Some of the children still need help with zipping up coats and buttoning, we are always here to help and assist, but we are encouraging the children to at least try. As always, practice at home is always a big help. Please label everything you bring in from home: hats, coats, gloves, boots, etc. It's that time of year when things get lost. Micaela and I are extremely pleased with all of the children in our class and they are doing wonderful with transitions and enjoying their first half of the year. Merry Christmas!

Fireflies –Miss Sarah & Miss Meghan

Tis The season to be merry in the Firefly room. During the month of December, we will be focusing on the true meaning of the season, the birth of our Savior. We will be talking about the Christmas story and getting ready for our Christmas Worship Celebration. We will be doing lots of fun holiday projects along with reviewing letters A-F during the month in ready readers and reviewing numbers 1-20 in math mania. Please feel free to pick any letter A-F and bring in an item that starts with one of those letters Fridays for show and share. We will also be going outside to play when the weather permits, so please provide a hat and gloves. Merry Christmas!

Good Knights – Miss Amy & Mr. Joe

Christmas is almost here! If you have not filled out the FCCNS Christmas break survey, please do that before Dec 3rd. Please have your children continue to practice their song for our Christmas worship Celebration. The Christmas Worship Celebration will be held on December 19th at 4pm. Miss Stephanie is working with the Good Knights on their winter/spring play. She will be working with the children on Monday's and Wednesday's from 4:30. If your child will be here during Christmas break, please make sure they have all their winter gear here every day. Hope your family has a wonderful Christmas and a Happy New Year!