



February

Preschool Newsletter



Classroom Happenings



Monthly Prayer

The children will be practicing the following prayer throughout February:

I can love others; I can do my best; I can be a friend; and I can trust God. Amen

Happy Birthday

The following children are celebrating their birthday this month: Aliyah Rodriguez (2/7), Braylen Maldonado (2/17), Morgan Crawford (2/21), and Nayleen Arceo (2/25). Happy Birthday!

Pre-K Press



Pre-K

Please look in your child's file folder for detailed information about Pre-K this month. They will be celebrating Valentine's Day on Wed, February 14th. Lastly, Kinder assessments will be completed by Friday. Please check your child's file folder.

Curriculum

We will introduce the letters N through Q along with the sounds and Zoophonic movements associated with each of these letters. The children will explore units on the Solar System, Valentine, Dental and Ocean. We will be reinforcing the Oo sound by celebrating Orange Day on Mon, February 11th. Please send your child in Something orange. We will also celebrate Pink or Purple Day on Feb 22nd and Feb 23rd to reinforce the Pp sound. Please see page two for information on our Valentine's Party and also Pajama Day!

Coats/Gloves/Hats

The temperature outside has been dropping! Licensing requires that we provide a certain percentage of our day outside. In order for us to comply with licensing, we are asking you to send your child to school in clothing that is appropriate to play outside. Warm coats, hats and gloves or mittens are needed to keep them warm in this inclement weather. Thank you for your help!

Kindergarten Applications

Kindergarten applications are available on line and in the school office. You may call Annunciation School at 444-4000 for additional information.



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Special points of interest:

- Book Orders Due: 2/1, 2/2
- Orange Day: 2/12
- Valentine Parties: 2/13, 2/14
- Ash Wednesday: 2/14 @ 10
- Kinder Apps Due: 2/15
- No School: 2/16, 2/19
- Pajama Day: 2/22
- Pink/Purple Day: 2/22, 2/23
- Pasta Dinner Tickets Due: 2/23
- Dr. Rore: 2/23 @ 9:00 am
- Returning Preschool Apps Due: 3/2
- Pasta Dinner: 3/10

Ash Wednesday

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Ash Wednesday is Wed, Feb 14th. The MWF children will receive ashes during preschool at 10:00 am. Parents are welcome to join us.

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Scholastic Corner



Books

Your Scholastic book order will be due February 2nd and 3rd. Thank you for your continued support!



School Calendar



No School

There is no school on Friday, February 16th and Monday, February 19th in recognition of President's Day.

Fundraiser Update



Spring Fundraiser

Our annual Annunciation Preschool Spring fundraiser will be held on Saturday, March 10th, 2018. Mark your calendars now! A sign-up board is posted near the front counter. A flyer was placed in your child's file folder with additional information. Please remember that we require and need each family to sign up to help work this event. Miss Lori placed your tickets in your child's file folder. Please speak with her if you did not receive them. If you are interested in making a **much needed donation** to this community building event, please speak with Miss Lori or Miss Shannon.

REGISTRATION

Preschool Registration

Registration packets were distributed this week to families and children not moving on to Kindergarten in the Fall. Open registration begins Thursday, March 15th at 5:30 pm with an Open House for perspective parents. Please make sure we have your application and registration fee by Friday, March 2nd in order to ensure your child's spot for next year. All children will be enrolled on a first come first serve basis after March 15th.

Catholic Journey



Prayer Traditions

Help keep our Catholic traditions alive and thriving! Teach your child classic prayers each month. Try focusing on the following catholic prayer this month as part of your prayer ritual:

Anima Christi

Soul of Christ, make me holy;
Body of Christ, be my salvation;
Blood of Christ, let me drink your wine;
Water flowing from the side of Christ, wash me clean;
Passion of Christ, strengthen me;
Kind Jesus, hear my prayer;
Hide me within your wounds and keep me close to you.
Defend me from the evil enemy and call me at the hour of my death.
To the fellowship of your saints, that I might sing your praise with them for all eternity.
Amen

Party Central



Valentine's Day Parties

Each class will be celebrating a Valentine's Day Party. They will be held on Tue, Feb 13th (TTH) and Wed, Feb 14th (MWF). A party sign-up is available on the front counter. We ask that each family volunteer to bring one item per child to contribute to our snack. Please remember to sign up for both classes if your child is enrolled five days a week. In addition, we ask that the children bring valentine cards for each of their classmates, approximately 40 cards for MWF, 40 cards for TTH, and 75 for 5 days a week. The cards do not need to be addressed to their friends but should have their own name on them.

Pajama Day!



Pajama Day

Yeah...it is Pajama Day! Please send your child to school in pajama's on Thursday, February 22nd. We will be eating pancakes in our pajama's and reinforcing the letter P and the Pp sound. Also, please send a flashlight that is labeled with your child's name.