

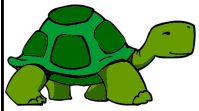


December 2017 at Joyful Noise

Theme: God Gave Us Jesus

*"Today the Savior is born. He is Christ the Lord."
Luke 2:11*

Music Theme: Music is Fun to Perform



**Turtle
Class:
Miss Ann &
Miss Linda**

Christmas is only a few weeks away and we are busy in the Turtle classroom preparing projects that will help us celebrate the true meaning of Christmas. There is something wonderful in seeing the wonder of Christmas through a child's eyes and we want to celebrate the joy and accomplishment our little ones feel as they celebrate the Christmas story and the spirit of giving.

Our little "elves" will be busy making a special gift for their families. We will also create a Christmas card to send to a special family member. There will be opportunities to practice our shapes, count 6 objects, and continue to strengthen fine motor skills. **Please mark your calendars for our Christmas concerts held 12/14 & 12/15...our concerts are brief but will warm your heart! We will have our Christmas party on 12/20 and 12/21 with a book exchange. Details to follow soon.** Thank you for all of your support as we continue to teach your little ones!

Church Information



During the hustle and bustle of the days that lead up to Christmas, it's easy to forget the reason for the season-JESUS! Please join us at Calvary Chapel of Marlton in celebrating the birth of our Lord at our **Christmas Eve Services at 10: 00 AM.**

**Teddy Bear
Class:**

**Miss Greta &
Miss Wendy**



December is shaping up to be a very busy month for our Teddies. Throughout the month we will be focusing on the story of our Savior's birth as told in the gospels.

We will be working on our first letter of the year, the letter J. (In January, we will begin bringing in Show and Tell items that begin with the letter of the week!). We will be creating ornaments to hang on our Christmas tree here at school, and a special Christmas gift for our parents. **We are also practicing for our concerts on Thursday, December 14th and Friday, December 15th. On Monday, December 18th and Tuesday, December 19th, we will have our grand birthday celebrations for Jesus!**

May the great joy that is Christmas fill your heart and home this holiday season. We wish you a blessed and very **"Merry Christmas"!**

Don't Forget!

Your child must have a Flu Shot by 12/31 (for age 59 months and younger).

Thank you!



ATTENTION

Important Dates & Reminders

12/1	January Tuition Due
12/14-15	Christmas Concerts @ 9:15 & 10:15 AM
12/18-19	Christmas Parties
12/25-26	Christmas Break- SCHOOL CLOSED
12/29-1/1	New Year's Break- SCHOOL CLOSED

**Leaping Frog Class:
Miss Chrissy &
Miss Gabby**



Our little frogs are becoming more independent, aware, and knowledgeable. Thank you to all who assisted us during our Thanksgiving Feasts.

During the month of December, the students will be learning about the letter "J" and continue to learn their shapes and continue practicing their fine motor skills.

"God Gave Us Jesus" is our Bible theme and the children will discover that Jesus is not only God but God's child as well. They will learn why Jesus came to this earth and the true meaning of Christmas. Our memory verse is Luke 2:11, "The Savior is born, He is Christ the Lord."

Our music theme is "Music is Fun to Perform". The children are learning catchy and entertaining songs for the **Christmas concerts on December 14th and 15th at 9:15 am.**

Our Christmas Parties will be held on December 21st and 22nd!



Shining Star Class:
Miss Theresa
& Miss Laura

JESUS IS BORN and we are going to learn about it, sing about it, decorate for it, and celebrate it this month!!!

Along with the Christmas story, we will focus on the letters Ww and Jj. We will help to decorate our Joyful Noise Christmas tree by making a candy cane ornament. We will be busy making special gifts and cards for some very special people!

We know you will feel the Christmas spirit at our concerts on Thursday, December 14th and Friday, December 15th at 10:15 am. We have been working hard to learn our concert songs. **Our parties will be on Wednesday, December 20th and Thursday, December 21st.** One of the highlights of our party is our book exchange. Please send in a wrapped book from your child to a boy or a girl valued at \$5. If your child will be at school for both parties, please send in two books. Party sign-ups will be posted the week of December 4th.

We pray you thoroughly enjoy the celebration of Jesus' birth this season with your family! Don't forget, **Joyful Noise will be closed on December 25, 26, 29 and January 1st.**



Operation Christmas Child

We collected **156** Shoe boxes from Joyful Noise and Calvary Chapel of Marlton. Thank you for your loving support!

Smiley Face
Class:
Miss Barbara &
Miss Linda



Jesus is the Reason for the Season! We will be doing lots of things to celebrate Christmas this month in the Smiley Face Class. Lots of time will be spent in making gifts and cards as well as wrapping paper. We need empty paper towel rolls for these projects. Please send them in as you empty a roll. We will need 24 of them so send them in up to Christmas. We will focus on the letter Jj and Ww.

Our Christmas concerts are Thursday and Friday, December 14th and 15th at 10:15 am in the Church. Our Christmas parties will be Wednesday and Thursday, December 20th and 21st. A sign-up sheet will be posted for the first week of December. Please remember to send in a wrapped book for our Christmas Book Exchange. We will be exchanging these at our parties. If your child will be attending both days, they must bring in two wrapped books. **School will be closed Monday 12/25, Tuesday 12/26, Friday 12/29 and Monday 1/1.** No Show and Tell that week. Show and Tell week of 12/4: Jj (Jack in the Box). Weeks of 12/11 and 12/18: Ww (Walrus). Please only send in one Ww Show and Tell item in those two weeks, avoiding the concert and party days.

Have a wonderful holiday season! We will see you at the concerts!



Kindergarten:
Miss Kim



We look forward to another busy month, as we get ready to celebrate Christmas, the birth of our Savior! The children are practicing their Bible verses, songs, and hand bells in preparation for the **Christmas concert on Thursday, December 14th and Friday, December 15th at 10:15 am.** Kindergarten will take part in the concert both days. They will wear costumes (provided by Joyful Noise) which are related to the Christmas story.

We will have fun decorating our classroom and making Christmas ornaments all month long. **On Wednesday, December 20th, we will have our Christmas party, along with a gift book exchange.** Boys will exchange with boys and girls with girls. The book should cost no more than \$5.00 and is to be wrapped and labeled with the name of the giver. **Please send this to school by Monday, December 18th.**

Follow along
in your Bibles
at home....



Pre-school:

12/4 Jesus is Born
pp. 271-276
12/11 The Angels & Shepherds pp. 271-281
12/18 Wise Men Found Baby Jesus pp. 286-290

Kindergarten:

12/4 King David pp. 170-173
12/11 Angels Announce Jesus
pp. 234-237
12/18 The Nativity pp.238-241