

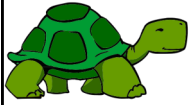
Welcome
Spring

April 2018 at Joyful Noise

Theme: Jesus Can Help Us

*"We give thanks because you are near."
Psalm 75:1*

Music Theme: Music is a Fun-Filled Activity



Turtle Class:
Miss Ann &
Miss Linda

Spring is finally here and we are excited for more opportunities to spend time outdoors discovering nature "wake up" after a long, cold winter. **We are excited for our class trip which will be on Thursday, April 19th. We will be going to PAWS Farm in Mt. Laurel.** Permission slips and details will be sent home soon.

It is hard to believe that we only have a few months of school left. Time really does fly when you are having fun! All of our "Turtles" are growing by leaps and bounds and are excited about each new skill they develop. Letter awareness continues with alphabet sounds of letters R, N, U, and H. Look for nests, umbrellas, and raindrops to come home or adorn our classroom. Our math skills will be expanding with number 10 and various other quantitative awareness activities.

As we come closer to the end of the year, please feel free to ask us any questions you may have about your child. We will be having parent-teacher conferences in May, but we are always available to discuss any concerns or questions you may have.



Teddy Bear Class:
Miss Greta &
Miss Wendy



This month we look forward to spring weather, spring activities and the learning experiences that spring brings. We will be investigating rabbits and rain drops, caterpillars and butterflies, learning about nests and observing the signs of new life all around us in God's creation.

Our letters for the month are: 4/2- R; 4/9- O; 4/16- N; 4/23- C; 4/30- B. We are excited to see what interesting and unique show-and-tell items will be coming to class!

Please mark your calendars for a couple of special April dates. **Our long-awaited field trip to the Aquarium will take place on Wednesday, 4/18th. On Friday, 4/27, Joyful Noise will be closed for a Teacher In-service Day.**

We are enjoying the amazing progress our Teddy Bears are making as they learn, work and play together each day.

SUMMER & FALL ENROLLMENTS

Joyful Noise has a few openings available in each of our classes for the summer and fall. Please tell your friends, relatives, neighbors, etc., to call us NOW if they wish to reserve an opening in our program. Thank you!

ATTENTION

Important Dates & Reminders

- 4/1 May Tuition Due
- 4/13 Kindergarten-End of 3rd Marking Period
- 4/16-20 Kindergarten - Standardized Tests
- 4/27 **Teacher In-Service Day - SCHOOL CLOSED**

Leaping Frogs Class:
Miss Chrissy &
Miss Gabby



We are thrilled to dive into another month of discovery and amusement with our little frogs! Thank you to everyone that helped with our Easter Parties and Egg Hunts.

We look forward to our class field trip to the Camden Aquarium, which has been rescheduled for Wednesday, April 18th.

Our students will continue to learn all about the alphabet. Furthermore, we will continue to practice and review the previous material that has been taught. Our students will be learning all about plants this month and also learning their telephone numbers. Please send in the number you would like your child to learn.

Our Bible theme this month is "Jesus Can Help Us". They will be learning that God loves and cares for them and wants to help them in all that they do.

Our music theme is "Music is Fun Filled" and the children will learn how to listen and follow instructions given in a song.



**Shining Star
Class:
Miss Theresa &
Miss Laura**

April showers bring much learning and fun to the Shining Stars class! Our Bible theme, "Jesus Can Help Us", is an awesome life lesson we hope the children always remember. Our academics will include the letters Mm, Uu and Qq and the concept of size order. We will reinforce these with projects such as making a set of Matroyshka dolls, creating a "monster", finger painting umbrellas and putting together a quilt. During the month of April, we begin our Kindergarten Readiness Assessments, which requires one teacher to be out of the classroom. We are asking for volunteers to give us a few hours the weeks of April 9th-13th and April 16th-20th. A sign-up will be posted. We really appreciate your help during this time! We hope for more days out on the playground, so please send your children with appropriate outer wear each day.

**Church
Information**



Joyful Noise is sponsored by Calvary Chapel of Marlton. All are welcome to join us as we celebrate **Easter, on Sunday, April 1st at 10:00 AM.** Nursery care and Sunday School are provided during the service.

Calvary Chapel of Marlton has their own FM radio station, Hope-FM 90.5 and 94.9. Please tune in 24 hours a day to hear the very best in Christian music and Bible teaching programs.

**Smiley Face
Class:
Miss Barbara &
Miss Linda**



We are looking forward to spring days in the Smiley Face Class. The winter months have kept us inside and we can't wait to spend more time outdoors. This month we will begin Kindergarten Readiness Assessments. Please check the calendar in the hallway and consider volunteering an hour or two (or more) to help out in the classroom while one of the teachers does individual testing. Any amount of time will be appreciated. Parents and grandparents are welcome to help.

This month we will focus on size order, Mm, Uu and Qq. We will make our own version of nesting dolls, a mouse puppet, monster Ms, umbrellas, decorated underwear, a class quilt and Q-tip paintings.

Our Show and Tell schedule is as follows: April 2- Size order (something small, medium and large or something that "nests" inside each other like measuring cups); April 9 - Mm (marbles); April 16- Uu (uniform); April 23 - Qq (quarters).

School will be closed on April 27 for Teacher In-service. Day. Parent Conferences will be held on Wednesday, May 9th.

Spring



**Kindergarten
Miss Kim**



Spring has finally arrived, and we have a busy month ahead of us! Be on the watch for the third quarter report cards which will be sent home in your child's folders on Friday, April 13th. **Our final field trip to the NJ Aquarium in Camden will be on April 13th. Permission slips are due for our trip by Friday, April 6th.**

Our classroom "bookworm" is growing fast. We will continue this through the end of the month, so keep reading at home. At the end of April we will have a party to celebrate our accomplishments. More information will follow as we get closer to the end of the month.

During our Reading time this month, we will be reading stories that focus on animals and springtime and we will be focusing on Long U during phonics time. In Math we will continue to solve addition and subtraction sentences, as well as composing and decomposing 10!

April 16th-20th we will have our standardized testing. If you are not going to be here please let Miss Kim know as soon as possible. Thank you.

**Follow Along in your
Bibles at Home.....**



Preschool:

4/2 David & Goliath pp.173-180
4/9 The Fiery Furnace pp.247-250
4/16 Samson pp. 146-152
4/23 Fire From Heaven pp.209-215
4/30 Naaman is Healed of Leprosy - 2 Kings 5

Kindergarten:

4/2 Jesus Feeds the 5,000 pp. 286-289
4/9 Jesus Loves the Little Children pp. 322-325
4/16 Testing Week - (No Bible)
4/23 Lazarus pp. 302-305
4/30 The Lost Coin- Luke 15