



This past week we have been learning about the story of Christmas. The children have enjoyed retelling the stories as they play with puppet, magnet, and plastic nativity sets. We have also been practicing for the Christmas Concert. The children are singing; Go Tell It on the Mountain, Happy Birthday, and We Wish You a Merry Christmas.



<u> Date(s) to remember:</u>

<u>December 13</u> - The 'All School Christmas Concert' Blessed are They, will be held in the Church. The piano recital begins at 6:00 pm, followed by middle school chimes. The vocal performances open with PreK3 & 4K students and conclude with the K-4. Students are to dress in their Christmas, 'Sunday best' for the program.

Following the Christmas Cookies & Hot Chocolate will be served in the gym. All families are asked to bring a plate of Christmas cookies to share for the gathering. They may be dropped off in the gym before the concert.

Saturday, February 25, 2017 Dinner Auction Gala The theme is "Champagne Wishes & Caviar Dreams." So get your best dresses, suits, pearls and diamonds ready for an elegant evening!

Featured Resource(s)



Christmas Angles, by Crystal Bowman My Christmas Stocking: filled with God's Love, by Crystal Bowman

A Very Merry Christmas Alphabet, by Margaret Snyder Other Resource(s): http://sothprek.weebly.com

<u>Reminders</u>:

The colder weather is upon us. Please remember to send boots, snow pants, hats, gloves and scarves as we do try to get outside each morning. Most importantly, please label these items with your name so they can be easily identified. Thank you.

<u>Highlights of our Activities:</u>

Faith (We)

are praying the Our Father every morning.

Language Arts (We...)

participated in group read-a-louds by making predictions and answering short questions.

Math (We...) □ are practicing to count up to 20.

Art (We...)

made Advent angels and Christmas cookies.

Movement (This week...)

□ Dr. Staeling and the children were pretending to crawl through snow banks.

Music (We...)

are practicing our Songs for the Christmas
 Concert: Go Tell it on the Mountain, Happy
 Birthday, and We Wish You a Merry Christmas.



<u>Sneak Peek ínto next week!</u>

We will continue our Advent theme as we wait to celebrate the birthday of Jesus, review our colors, and begin learning about shapes. Please send a show-N-tell on Thursday that is **something that is a**



See the pictures below...

Direct your children onto the right path, and when they are older, they will not leave it. Proverbs 22:6











