



Mrs. Bohn's Class

December 18, 2020

The children have been talking about Christmas traditions. It is always such a joy to hear them talk about Christmas and the excitement it brings! And it's all because...God loved the world so much that He sent His only Son, Jesus! I hope that your family experiences peace and hope this Christmas, as the angels proclaimed to the shepherds the day of Jesus' birth..."Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace to those on whom his favor rests" (Luke 2:14, NIV).

Jesus Time

We have continued to learn about the birth of our savior, Jesus! My absolute favorite part of this whole week was having the children tell me the story. I shared images of the story on the Smartboard and sat back while the preschoolers told me the story! I was very impressed by how well they could retell the story, including lots of "do not be afraid," "Glooooooria!", and "NO room for you." It truly warmed my heart. I have also been recording the preschooler sharing the story with me. I have a little more editing to do, but I will be emailing this special video soon so keep an eye out for that. It will be delivered to your inbox before Christmas :)

Project Theme

We were very busy this week completing Christmas projects, singing our favorite songs, and playing Christmas games. The children loved "cooking" their own graham cracker and frosting snack and also having a birthday party for Jesus! We opened Santa's bag and found clues to all kinds of other holidays (if you are wondering why we had a turkey in our class on Friday) and found a birthday cake because Christmas is all about Jesus! We also enjoyed some Christmas themed yoga, which was a joy to watch!

Our top secret Christmas present projects have been sent home this week. The children had fun making them for you, and we hope you enjoy them. In your child's bag, there are some activities to keep them busy including an I-Spy Alphabet Ornament that your child can look for all of the letters of the alphabet and then write them on the corresponding recording sheet. You'll also find the materials for the December sensory bin. Your child may keep this and tell the story of Jesus' birth.

When school resumes, we will be talking about winter weather, snow and snowmen during the first two weeks of January. We will also begin to dive more into learning letters!

Important Dates

Christmas Break: December 21 - January 5

You are invited to attend our Special Christmas Services:

December 23 - 7:00 Christmas Worship Service

December 24 - 2:00, 3:30, or 5:00 Christmas Eve Services

***Merry Christmas!**

***Happy New Year!**

January 6 - Classes resume

Overheard in the Classroom

- “Yeah, I play hockey. You know with the hockey fluff (puck)”
- “Mrs. Bohn, what does your house look like? Where do you live? I really want to come to your house.”
- “We are the pajama boys. We all have Santa on our pants! Look!”
- “I want gold for Christmas! Like baby Jesus got!”

Thank you for entrusting your child to us. School is a partnership between parents and teachers so please contact me with any questions, concerns, or even a funny story! I love to hear from you!