

Early Preschool: Mrs. Kraus & Mrs. Hart

February 19, 2024

What a fun Valentine's Day week in Early Preschool! We had so much fun sharing our Valentine's with our friends at school. I hope everyone enjoyed looking at them at home with you as well. I love to see their excitement around holidays. :) Thank you so much for bringing them into school and helping us celebrate. We also enjoyed making heart shapes, mixing red and white to create pink, and writing our friends' love notes. This next week, we will be starting to learn about germs and ways we can help prevent the spreading of germs to friends and family. We will talk about the importance of hand washing, why we take baths, and covering our mouth when we sneeze or cough.

Next Week's Theme:

2/19- Hygiene and Germs
2/26- Teeth Care

Upcoming Dates:

- Feb. 19th- No School (Presidents Day)
- Feb. 24th- Messiah Auction at Old Hickory Golf Club
- March 8th- VIP day and early release

VIP Day:

We are excited to announce that **VIP Day** is coming up on **Friday, March 8th!** This special event is not a typical school day at Messiah, but rather an Open House style event where your child's "VIP" (a grandparent, aunt, uncle, family friend, etc.) is invited to spend the morning with them. This will be an early release day. We look forward to welcoming our VIPs to Messiah and showing them all the amazing things our students are accomplishing. More information to come!

Reminders:

Please make sure you continue to send in easy to open lunch items as we are encouraging the children to be more independent getting their lunches out.

Jesus Time:

This week was all about GOD'S Love for us! We talked about how much Jesus Loves us all and talked about ways we can share GOD'S love with others too.

Messiah Auction:

Save the date for Messiah's annual auction on February 24th. It will take place at Old Hickory Golf Club at 6:30pm and is Oktoberfest theme. :) This is always a fun time and a great opportunity to meet other Messiah parents. Tickets can be purchased [here](#),

Chapel Offerings:

Our chapel offerings for February and March will go to Hearts and Hope for Uganda. This local nonprofit organization partners with a local Lutheran Church of Uganda to connect with local village communities who need assistance from fellow brothers and sisters in Christ.