



TOPSAIL PRESBYTERIAN PRESCHOOL

DECEMBER 2017 NEWSLETTER

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Director's Message

I hope each of your families had a blessed Thanksgiving!

We had a very exciting November! Nana Gail came into visit and read us a story about tepees (we even got to sit in one!) and taught us how to make butter.

We had an awesome turn out for Preschool Sunday and the children did such a wonderful job singing their songs!

Our little pilgrims and Indians celebrated Thanksgiving with a delicious Thanksgiving feast! It was so nice to have lunch all together.

A big thank you goes out to our TPP families and staff for their helping the less fortunate. Your generosity during the food drive and Operation Christmas Child is so appreciated. Thank you ALL for your generosity.

December is a short, but busy month for us. Our activities will be focused on celebrating the true meaning of Christmas; the birth of Jesus. Please look for details coming home regarding our Christmas Sing and PJ Party/Polar Express day!

Thanks again for all you do! Have a Safe and fun filled Christmas and Happy New Year.

December Birthdays

- 12/7- Natalie A
- 12/11-Isabelle H
- 12/15- Cohen H
- 12/18- Drake T
- 12/19- Alba P



December Curriculum

2 Year Olds

"Sights and Sounds of Winter"

Letters: W

Number: 3

Colors: yellow

Shape: Star

Preschool

"Birth of Jesus / Christmas"

Letters: W, H, & O

Numbers: 4

Colors: Red & White

Shape: Square

Pre-Kindergarten

"The Christmas Season"

We will be exploring all the wonders and excitement of the Christmas season. We will celebrate Christ's birth and share and learn about holiday traditions. Of course, each week we will spend time with our wonderful Letter People...At the Doctor's Office

- Mr. C
- Ms. E
- Mr. Y
- Numbers 9,10

Important Dates in December

- 12/5 - No chapel
- 12/13- Santa Visits
- 12/14- Christmas Sing @ 9:30am. The children will be singing holiday songs in the chapel for their families. Please dress your child in festive holiday clothes. All are welcome to attend the Christmas Sing. Please join us for refreshments in the Fellowship Hall afterwards. This will conclude our day and all children will be released to their parents.
- 12/18- Polar Express Day- Please send your child into school wearing their pajamas today! We will be viewing the Polar Express. Hot cocoa will be served!

- 12/21- The preschool will be closed for winter vacation. We will reopen on Wednesday January 3rd.



Christian Ed

Important Dates:

- December 5th - Play Practice at 5:30pm
- December 9th- Dress Rehearsal 10am-12noon
- December 10th- Christmas Play at 6pm. *All children and youth need to arrive at church at 3:30pm on December 10th in order to get dressed, run through Christmas Play and eat dinner prior to play.* Please plan to join us downstairs in the Fellowship Hall for cookies and punch afterwards.
- December 12th- All children and youth programs will meet at 5:30-7:30pm
- December 19th- 5:30-7:30pm We will have our Christmas Party along with a **SURPRISE** for the children!!! There will be no program on **December 26th** and **January 2nd**. We will resume on **January 9th** at 5:30pm.
- December 24th - Please plan to join us and worship together on Christmas Eve. 6pm- Worship-Family Service 8:30pm- Worship-Candlelight Service

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