

# NEWSLETTER

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#### Dear Parents.

There are signs of new life everywhere you look...trees budding, birds chirping, and daffodils blooming! They are reminders of Jesus' love for us and the *new life* He gives us. Our sins are washed away and forgiven through His death and resurrection. We are made new and have hope in Him!

As the children learn about the first Easter and new life, we continue what has become an annual Easter tradition at Let Me Shine...the arrival of Painted Lady caterpillars! We watch the amazing process of caterpillars turning into butterflies. It's an exciting few weeks and another great reminder of how God changes us through His free gift!

We had a wonderful Lutheran Schools Week and enjoyed our dress-up days and the carnival! Also, the staff and I felt so loved for Staff Appreciation! THANK YOU for spoiling us!

#### He is risen! He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

In Christ,

Barb

Barb Ballif

Director

For God so loved the world, He gave his only begotten Son to die for us, that whosoever believes in Him shall not perish but have everlasting life. John 3:16

### **HIGHLIGHTS:**

April 8 Painted Lady Caterpillars Arrive - Celebrate New Life!

April 12 & 13 Eye Screening - Friends for Sight

April 14 & 15 Usborne Bookfair (See flier on Page 3)



Director: Barb Ballif Asst. Director: Holly Graham Pre-K Teachers: Sabrina Bell, Christine Farden, Lezlie Hargrave 3 Year Old Teacher: Angelina Pace Aide: Gabrielle Khokhar Media: Tracy Hackworth Resident Managers: Kaci Evans & Kelly Mitchell

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#### Miss Sabrina's Sweeties

Hello Parents.



What a fabulous spring start! I pray you all had a blessed Spring break! Our caterpillars will soon arrive and

we will enjoy watching them grow and change. The process is just amazing.

In April we will get closer to finishing the alphabet. During the month of March, we had fun with St. Patricks Day and Spirit week. We had fun with the letters E, K and W. Thank you all so much for a wonderful teacher appreciation gift.....it was SO thoughtful and generous of you!

Blessings to you and yours. Miss Sabrina

#### Miss Lezlie's Sunshines



Hallelujah! He has risen!

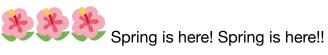
This year just like every year I look forward to celebrating Easter, but this year it sure was extra meaningful. With all of the

uncertainty around it is an extra special celebration in my heart! "He is not here, for he

has risen"



The kids were extra sweet making their Easter crafts and during our Easter story time. They kept saving things like "I love Jesus, he is just the best ever" and "I am so thankful for Jesus" and "He loves us more than anything, ever!" That is SO right kids! These kids are so awesome and full of his light!



I am very much looking forward to flowers. green grass, blue skies and sunshine! I think the kiddos are excited for spring as well. It is hard to imagine that two months of school remains, time truly flies when you are having fun!

The next two months of school we will concentrate on our weekly letter learning, reading our beginner reading books, playing and enjoying our friends and of course working on some amazing spring and end of the school year arts and crafts together as a class! If you still need volunteer hours, please reach out to me. I am going to be planning our end of the year class party and I would love to have you help out in any way you are able!

A special thank you to the thoughtful, generous and incredibly loving parents of my students - you all are the kindest and my heart couldn't be more full! You are the most incredible parents and are such an example to me! Your kind, fun and Jesus loving kiddos are a reflection of the amazing people you are. I am so blessed to know you all and be your child's teacher!

It is my honor to be your child's teacher; if there is anything I can do to be of service to you and your families, please let me know!

In God's service, Miss Lezlie

# Miss Chris's Campers



Hi Parents,

Though spring has officially sprung, let's not forget all the blessings the month of March brought us. We had a

wonderful time celebrating St. Patrick's Day! The children had a blast discovering all the clues and treasures left behind by the mischievous leprechaun. I would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to all the parents who generously participated and donated their time in making Teacher Appreciation Week a success. I enjoyed the one-on-one time with each and every one of you during Parent/ Teacher Conferences.

We talked about the Resurrection of Christ and His unconditional love. The children had an incredible time coloring and hunting Easter eggs.

We are nearing the completion of our alphabet and I must say I am very proud of how well they have done thus far. As always, I am looking forward to yet another exciting month.

Continued blessings, Miss Chris

## Mrs. Angelina's 3 Year Old Class



Hello Families,

We had such a fun month in March! Your kids had such a fun time with their St Patrick's Day party! They loved making

the leprechaun traps and seeing all the naughty things he did to our classroom.

We wrapped March up before spring break talking about Easter and Christ. I am so grateful for all of the parents in my class and my sweet students. I am thankful that our loving Savior put this job into my life at the exact perfect moment.

I'm excited to see everyone after break and I will have all of my little cuties back with me! We will continue to work on letter recognition, fine motor skills, and get ready for all of the fun things spring has to offer us!

I hope everyone has had a great Spring Break!

-Mrs Angelina



#### USBORNE BOOKS AND MORE BOOKFAIR

APRIL 14 & 15
THE BOOKS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE OUTSIDE THE PRESCHOOL DURING PICK UP.

YOU CAN ORDER AT ANYTIME ON THE WEBSITE: HTTPS:// Z0613.MYUBAM.COM/2083642

THE SCHOOL RECEIVES 50% OF THE AMOUNT COLLECTED IN FREE BOOKS.

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