

# January Angelic News

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January 8

School Resumes

Welcome back!

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## THANKYOU!

Dear parents and children,

We would like to take this opportunity to thank each of you for sharing your Christmas joy and love with us in so many thoughtful ways. We feel loved and appreciated. God bless you and those you love with an exceptional new year filled with all God's good gifts!

Fondly,

Littlest Angels Preschool Staff

**JUST SAY CHEESE FOR CHRISTMAS!** December 12<sup>th</sup> was a night to remember! And yes! We did say "CHEESE!" for Christmas in the cutest ways! What a joy to see the little ones worship in their own delightful ways! Thank you parents for making this evening a priority and for keeping the birthday of JESUS meaningful to you and your child during this special season!

**HELPING SAINT NICHOLAS** was a huge success! Thank you all for your generosity and caring hearts! The children were able to use their helping hands and filled **100** backpacks full of goodies for friends they've never met! This is a wonderful hands-on way for children to learn about being compassionate and kind to others!

Our "COOKIE VIRTUE " this month is **POLITE!** "Polite means, Excuse me, can you please pass the cookies? Thank you!" The old saying that children are like little sponges is true; they tend to soak up everything and every influence around them. Manners and **politeness** need to be taught, shown, and reinforced by parents and other adults who interact with children. And for sure, a good amount of patience is always necessary!

**I CARE CAT!** This month we'll be learning that we are all precious! Even though we don't look the same on the outside we are all the same on the inside! We will have a chance to talk about Martin Luther King, Jr. and his dream of peace for the whole world. Try to catch your child being peaceful, listening to a friend, using helping hands, or using I Care Language. Let them know you noticed. Your positive reinforcement will inspire them to try even harder! We all need cheerleaders you know! Rule #3 is ...**We use I-Care Language.**

Today is January 2<sup>nd</sup>. This past year I was reminded again, that the gift our good God gives us is the gift of each new day. We are not promised a whole new year. I try to think in terms of each day's resolutions (purposes, determinations). Each day is precious and I want to make each day the best that it can be! I may not be able to change the world but I can change my little corner of the world. So can you and you and you! Just think, if each person in your home, your neighborhood, your city, your state and your country did their very best to change their respective corners of the world, what a wonderful world it would be! My little corner of the world is often filled with precious little children. I am well aware of their needs and wants. Love. Special moments. Affection. Quiet time with those they love. Fun and play. To be listened to with someone's full attention. To be acknowledged. To be in a warm, friendly, safe and caring environment. Come to think of it these needs and wants are for all of us -no matter what age!

Have a happy, happy New Year...**one day at a time!**

**Hugs!**

Kathy Stinson, Director

**This month our school is cool!** Winter has arrived in the world around us and in many of our classrooms too! We will learn about all the changes that winter brings; snow and ice, hibernation, polar bears and penguins and lots of other facts about winter!

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### Little Bunnies News

Snow is falling on the ground  
Glowing white all around.  
Put on your boots, mittens, scarf and hat,  
You'll be warm with all of that!



Winter fun has begun! Happy New Year! This month we will have lots of fun learning about the weather. Some favorite stories this month will be Frosty the Snowman, Ten on the Sled and The Mitten. Lots of fun awaits us in our month of our own little winter wonderland!

Brrrrr....it's cold outside,  
Teacher Mindy, Teacher Teresita, Teacher Ruth

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### Busy Bee News



Happy New Year to all of our Busy Bee families!

This month we will learn about winter and animals that live in the snow. We'll be talking about polar bears, penguins, snowmen and much more!

## Busy Bee News

### I'm a Little Snowman

I'm a little snowman,  
Short and fat.  
Here is my scarf,  
And here is my hat.  
When it's cold and snowy,  
I will stay.  
But when it gets hot, I melt away!



The Busy Bee birthdays are starting this month! If you have any questions about how we celebrate at school please let Teacher Lisa know.

The children are starting to form friendships and helping one another...it's so fun to watch!

Winter Blessings,  
Teacher Lisa and Teacher Lori

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## Little Bears News



Welcome back and Happy New Year to everyone! It is our hope that everyone had a blessed Christmas celebration! Thank you for all the wonderful and generous gifts and Christmas joy you shared with us!

In the month of January our themes will be DINOSAURS and SPACE!

"Oh, where, oh where did the dinosaurs go?  
Oh where, oh where can they be?  
They were much too big to just disappear...  
It sure is puzzling me!"



Dinosaurs! They once roamed the earth. They roared. They stomped. The Bears are taking a giant step back in time to discover interesting facts about dinosaurs. ROAR!!! Outer Space will be stellar too!

Our letters for the month are M, N, O, P. Our color is white and our shape is a diamond. Our virtue will be **POLITE**.

Praying for a great year for all of us!  
Teacher Ana, Teacher Amanda and Teacher Ruth

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### Little Lambs News

HAPPY NEW YEAR! We hope you had a wonderful Christmas! Thank you all for your contribution to the Saint Nicholas fundraiser. The Little Lamb's enjoyed getting to be like St. Nicholas and prepare gifts for others. Thank you for all the love you shared with us.

Our theme for January will be winter. We will be learning about what different animals do in the winter time and about animals that live where it is cold almost all year-round. Our letters will be W, B, I, T. The color is white and the shape is a rectangle. Our virtue is **POLITE**.

Our poem is:

#### 5 Little Snowmen

5 little snowmen on a hill sat. The first one said, "I lost my hat."  
The second one said, "My scarfs gone too."  
The third one said, "Away it blew!"  
The fourth one said, "It's cold as ice."  
The fifth one said, "Inside it's nice."  
So they marched inside, then they cried,  
"We forgot! Inside it is much too hot!"



May your 2018 be filled with joy and love,  
Teacher Katie and Teacher Aida



## Little Lion News

Happy New Year! We hope everyone had a holiday filled with fabulous memories and joyful treasures. It is great to be back into the school day routines and witness how much the children have grown.

This month we will experience WINTER in our classroom. Winter weather, snow, ice, polar animals, Antarctica, the North Pole...We'll learn about it all. We will also learn about a very special man named Martin Luther King, Jr.

Our letters for the month will be J, D, P, and B. Our color is white and our shape is a circle.

Thank you again for all the wonderful Christmas gifts and love you shared. Your children are each unique little miracles ...we treasure them each day!

New Year blessings!  
Teacher Staci and Teacher Lindsay

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## Little Tigers

December was filled with the most exciting things...learning the real reason for Christmas, making gifts for our parents, making cards for friends, making Baby Jesus in His manger and of course, performing in our Christmas how. Our kids (your kids!) were awesome! We were so proud of their performance!

January will be very busy also! We will be doing our Mid-Year Assessments. Our letters will be D, P, B, and R. Our virtue is **POLITE**.

Our poem is:

A chubby little snowman,  
Had a carrot nose.

Along came a bunny,  
And what do you suppose?  
That hungry little bunny,  
Looking for his lunch,  
Ate the snowman's carrot nose,  
Crunch, Crunch, Crunch!

Happy New Year!!

Teacher Robin and Teacher Bettina

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