

December 21 In Preview

Lunch Bunch December: Please try to sign-up your child ahead of time for our December Lunch Bunches. ("Extra" shopping time is very important!) We **ADDED** three Tuesdays in December for Lunch Bunch!!!! **Nov. 30th**, **Dec. 7th** and **Dec. 14th**. There will be **NO** Lunch Bunch Monday, November 29th (NO SCHOOL)

Children's Sweatshirts: We started a tradition a few years ago making "Holiday Sweatshirts" to wear to our Christmas Party Event. So...please bring in a prewashed sweatshirt, turtleneck or T-shirt for your child by Wednesday Dec 3rd so we can get our project started. Any color shirt **EXCEPT GREEN** will work this year. All the children will wear their sweatshirt or T-shirt for our "Happy Birthday Jesus" party on **Thursday, Dec. 16th**.

Scholastic Book Orders: We will not be doing a scholastic order this month due to their shipping delays.

Preschool Alumni Night and our Evening Preschool Christmas Program are canceled this year.

December Mission: This year, the children will be collecting wrapping paper for the **"Christmas for the Love of Children"** program that Open M sponsors. Open M is a Christian ministry that provide pathways out of poverty for all by feeding the hungry, caring for the sick, and strengthening the community. Our goal is to collect **50** rolls of paper for the families to wrap their own presents that are given to them by corporate sponsors in our own community. Last day for collecting paper is Friday, December 10th.

Creation Station: is all about that very special night in Bethlehem so very long ago. Stop by and knock on the Inn door, see the stable where Jesus was born, ride the donkey that Mary rode, dress-up like the shepherds, or make a gift for baby Jesus that can't be found in a store. The children will have a wonderful time this month pretending they are part of the Nativity Scene.

Christmas Party: Thursday, Dec. 16th **Everyone arrives at 9:00 Am** wearing the school shirt we made together. The teachers are planning Christmas games, a somewhat healthy snack and an art project to give to a local community shelter. We are inviting our families to return to school at 11:00 to hear the children sing some very special Christmas songs we have been working on. Each family will be assigned a table in Fellowship Hall that will accommodate 6 family members.

"Snow Days": We will be following The Revere School District cancellation plan when it comes to severe weather conditions. In case of bad weather, listen to the morning news or radio, if Revere is cancelled, so are we. If Revere is on a 2 hr delay: WE WILL NOT HAVE SCHOOL!

The Preschool will be closed from Friday, Dec, 17th - Jan. 2nd. · Monday, Jan. 3rd will be our first day back in 2022!

