

Risen Savior Catholic Preschool Newsletter

April 2019

GETTING READY FOR EASTER!

Mrs. Parker's News and Notes

As Lent continues, we prepare for Easter. I hope Easter brings peace and joy to you and your families! For more about how Easter isn't just a day, see the 'Did You Know' section of the newsletter!

It is always amazing to watch your children grow! It's this time of year, though, when we reflect more and really see their progress. It is truly a blessing to watch! The teachers will share your child's progress with you on May 2 & 3. You should have received an email from me through Signup Genius to schedule a time.

This week is Community Service Helper week! We will have a visit from an APD Chaplain, a nurse, a priest, a police officer, and a nun. Thanks to Dcn. Mark and Fr. Charles for visiting us! Thanks to Anita Osborn, Becky Vigil, and Mrs. Christina for contacting others! Thanks also to Charles Davis for helping us schedule a firefighter later in April!

Please see the 'What's Happening' section of the newsletter for calendar changes and reminders. The 'Upcoming Events' section has important information, too!

Registration for 2019-2020 continues! Our 4s M-F class has **only 2** openings left and our 3s T/Th class has **only 3** openings left! Please continue to spread the word about our preschool! Our goal is to grow by 10% next year!

3's Corner: Mrs. Christina & Miss Angelica

In March, we began learning about Lent and it's three parts: pray, fast, and give. We also learned about the letter J, D, and P and the number 7.

We even learned about St. Patrick, another "super hero" of the Catholic Church!

In April, we will be learning about letter B, R, K, N, and M and the number 8.

We will talk about the true meaning of Easter and its importance for us and the Church. Our class will also learn about the life cycle of the butterfly and community helpers. We will have caterpillars growing in our classroom!

The Ladybugs are learning new things everyday and having a great time!



4's Space

Mrs. Gladys & Miss Angelica

In March, we learned about the importance of Lent and how we should do good deeds for others during this special time. We've prayed the Stations of the Cross. We also learned about the changes we see in Spring. We did some planting and received our caterpillars! We will continue to watch our plants and caterpillars growing!

This month will be such a special month as we prepare for Easter. We will journey with Jesus as we re-enact the Washing of the Feet and the Last Supper.

Kindergarten will be here soon, and just like spring flowers, your children are blossoming and growing every day!



APD Chaplain (a.k.a. Deacon Mark) visits



What's Happening?

*** **Calendar change.** ***

April 9: Staff Retreat (No School)

Calendar reminders:

May 23: Promotion Ceremony/Last Day for 4s M-F & T/Th Classes

May 24: Promotion Ceremony/Last Day for 4s MWF Class

Please mark your calendars at home!

Did You Know?

For Catholics, Easter isn't just a day, it's a whole season. The Easter season stretches all the way to the feast of Pentecost. At Masses all through the Easter season, the usual practice of reading from the Old Testament is replaced by readings from the Acts of the Apostles. These readings tell the story of the church's earliest days, and the beginnings of our faith's spreading throughout the ancient world.

Easter is a season of hope; even in times of struggle, the Risen Savior is still with us!



3s working on their cutting skills

Reminders

●Check bulletin boards and your email often for Preschool information. *If you aren't receiving emails, or want to add another email address, please let Mrs. Parker know.*



Upcoming Events

Staff Retreat (No School)

April 9

Class Photos

April 11 & 12

Good Friday (No School)

April 19

Preschool T-Shirt Days

April 25 & 26

Conferences (no classes)

May 2 & 3

Zoo Field Trip

May 10



We welcome our new pastor, Fr. Charles Ugochukwu!! Fr. Charles' last assignment was at St. Helen's in Portales, NM.

We look forward to seeing him at the Preschool!