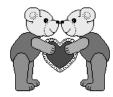
Prince of Peace Pre-School Newsletter

Preschool Phone: 419-693-8661







Bible Verse for February:

"A friend loves at all times" (Proverbs 17:17)

Dear Parents:

February will be an exciting <u>and</u> busy month! Our dramatic play area will be a veterinarian office.

We will also be discussing healthy food choices and healthy teeth. February is Dental Health Month. We need to take care of the gift God has given to us: our bodies. We will learn how exercise can be fun! The second half of the month will be transportation.

Parents, please help them to make healthy choices! Ideas: Take them grocery shopping.

Let them help pick out and prepare the food. Make exercise a weekly family thing. Give jobs around the house to help build self-esteem.

It's OK to say "NO" to bad choices. Your children will survive!

Thank you!

-Wendy, Marianne and Jamie

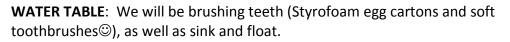


A ministry of Prince of Peace Lutheran Church 4155 Pickle Road + Oregon, Ohio 43616 Church Phone: 419-691-9407

Sundays: Worship at 8:00 and 10:30 a.m., Sunday School at 9:15 a.m. John Genszler, Pastor (email <u>pastorjohn@princeofpeaceoregon.com</u>) Wendy Kelly, Preschool Director (email <u>preschool@princeofpeaceoregon.com</u>) Website: <u>www.princeofpeaceoregon.com</u>

ITEMS TO SAVE: PVC pipe and connectors: T's and elbows

SHOW & TELL FOR FEBRUARY: Something you love February 8th (T-TH Class) February 9th (M-W-F and Pre-K Classes)



BOOKS TO READ AND SHARE:

<u>Our Granny</u> by Margaret Wild <u>What Grandma and Grandpa's Do Best</u> by Laura Numeroff <u>What Do You Love</u> by Jonathan London <u>Eating the Alphabet</u> by Lois Ehlert <u>Food for Thought</u> by Saxton Freymann



CIRCLE DISCUSSION: Jesus calls His disciples. We will discuss His miracles.



Valentine parties will be Wednesday, February 14th (M-W-F and Pre-K) and Thursday, Feb 15th (T-TH). The children will need to bring in a decorated box to hold their valentines. This can be a fun homework project. Any kind of box (Kleenex, cereal, oatmeal, or shoe) will work. Decorate with items around your house. Paper, stickers, buttons, yarn, or even noodles can work out nicely! Just remember.... This is the <u>child's</u> homework project!

Note: Children need only to sign their name, <u>NOT ADDRESS</u>, their valentines. For those children going on to kindergarten, this is a great time to also work on last names!

Grandparents' Day — Our Grandparents' Day will also be on our party day. Your child can bring as many grandparents as they wish. We will have a lot of fun decorating love cookies and sharing our room. If it is not possible for a grandparent to attend, then maybe an Aunt, Uncle, or even a friend could come. Every child needs to have someone with whom to share their day! WHEN? The whole class period! **If your child has someone to attend with them, we ask that parents and siblings sit this party out. Our room is large, but with 18 children and two or so grandparents, it becomes very crowded. Thank you all for understanding. There will be two more class parties during the year that you will be able to attend.



Note these dates:

Show and Tell – Something you Love	February 8 th (T-TH) and February 9 th (M-W-F and Pre-K)
Valentine Boxes Due	12 th (M-W-F/Pre-K) and February 13 th (T-TH)
Valentine Party	February 14 th (M-W-F and Pre-K) and February 15 th (T-TH)
No School	President's Day – February 19 th





COME WORSHIP AT PRINCE OF PEACE!

We worship every Saturday evening at 5:30 p.m. and Sunday at 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. Children's talk is always part of our Sunday service. The 8:00 a.m. service is organ-led, and the 10:30 a.m. service is led by our praise band.

Sunday School for all ages is at 9:15 a.m. every Sunday. The current Adult Study is "*What Did You Say? – unpacking "churchy" words."*

RAISING KIDS – A time of Encouragement for parents with young children meets next time on February 25 at 9:15am.

LENT BEGINS FEBRUARY 14

Lent is a time when we reflect on some basic truths of life:

✤ God loves you

✤ By our choices, we reject God's love

✤ Because of our choices, we are broken

✤ We cannot fix ourselves on our own

✤ God has provided His Son, Jesus, to act for us

 Φ Jesus' death is the payment for us

At Easter, we celebrate God's gifts:

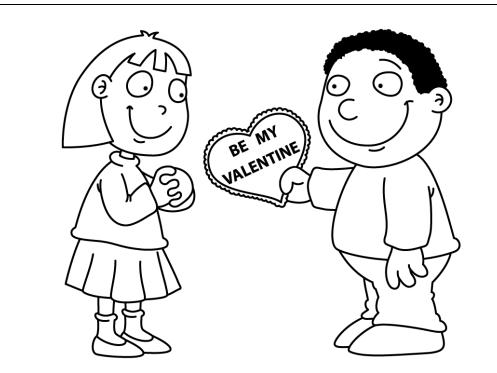
Mercy – He took our punishment for our rejection

Grace - He gives us His eternal promises of love and life

Each Wednesday in Lent (beginning February 14) join us for soup Supper beginning at 6:00pm

NOTE: ON THE CALENDAR ARE ACTIVITIES AT PRINCE OF PEACE THAT MAY BE OF INTEREST TO YOU. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, OR WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND, PLEASE SEE MADISON OR PASTOR JOHN. THEY ARE ALL IN BOLD AND ITALICS AND NOTED WITH AN ASTERISK (*).





MONTH of FEBRUARY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Field trip to Library (T-TH)	2 Field trip to Library (M-W-F /Pre-K)	3 *8:00 AM – Men's Breakfast
4	5	6	7	8 Show and Tell T-TH Valentine boxes due	9 Show and Tell – M-W-F and Pre-K Valentine boxes due	10
11	12 Valentine Boxes Due – M-W-F and Pre-K	13 Valentine Boxes Due – T-TH	14 Valentine Party – M-W-F and Pre-K *6:00 PM – Soup Supper	15 Valentine Party – T-TH	16	17
18	19 President's Day – No school	20	21 *6:00 PM – Soup Supper	22	23	24
25 *9:15 AM – Raising Kids	26	27	28 *6:00 PM – Soup Supper	29		

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