



# FEBRUARY 2024



## WESLEY SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

### Nursery/Preschool Reopening

(Ages Birth-4yrs)

Sunday, February 18<sup>th</sup>

\*Parents, in the event of no volunteers available some weeks, we kindly ask for you to also take turns with our youngest children. An "as needed" sign-up sheet, with child registration will be provided to each parent, in an effort to keep all classrooms open this year.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

- \* Do you love working with children?
- \* Do you like sharing and reading Bible stories?
- \* Do you like crafts, sports, science, or history?
- \* Are you free to help at least once a month?

Then Wesley Sunday School is where you are needed! Please reach out to Rhianna more information.

### Upcoming Events

February 4<sup>th</sup> –

Children's Painting lesson at 11:30 am for ages 6 and up!

(Registration Required - please email Rhianna)

February 4<sup>th</sup>-25<sup>th</sup>

February Family Picture Challenge!

### A Winter Challenge for All...

In our Sunday School classroom, the school age children have decided on two goals they really want to do this year. First is to be able to locate and read the bible verses more often on their own, and the second is to help others in various ways.

The bible has many hard words children need to be able to comprehend and then relate to, so by teaching with a hands-on approach to make sure that the learning really sticks to each child's learning abilities. I thought it might be good to start this off with a fun family teamwork challenge. To see how creative, we can be together, while also helping each child be able to start achieving these goals.

During the four weeks of February. I have provided a picture theme list, related to bible verses. My challenge for each family is to have the children find the verse in the bible with you, then take a photo/or draw a picture together of something you feel is related to that theme each week. Each child is then welcome to share their photo/or family drawn picture with us upstairs each Sunday, of what that bible verse's theme might represent to your household.

Use these four moments to relax, have fun, think, and get creative with one another, to show how these bibles versus might relate to our everyday lives. There is no wrong way to do it! - Rhianna

### Family Picture Theme Challenge Share Dates:

Week 1 (Feb 4) - Do everything in love! 1Corinthians 16:14

Week 2 (Feb 10) - The trees of the forest sing for Joy! Psalm 96:12

Week 3 (Feb 18) - I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me! Philippians 4:13

Week 4 (Feb 25) - Do not be afraid for I am with you! Isaiah 43:5

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