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PRESCHOOL PAGES
January 2014

Little Lambs Preschool, Tacoma, WA

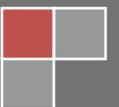
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FEBRUARY'S PRAYER

Lord, through this day,
Each bite I take-
And through this day,
Each friend I make-
Help me remember you.
Amen.



TAX TIME

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EVALUATIONS



Evaluations for students are being sent home today. Please remember there is not an expectation that every child will be able to do every skill that is assessed. Mostly, this is used as an awareness tool to see where each individual child is in their own development. Please return these evaluations during next week, Feb. 3-7. The evaluations will be done again in May and they will be yours to keep at that time. Thank you.

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CONCORDIA LUTHERAN SCHOOL

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TEA & TALK

Fresh scones with tea or punch will be part of our next family get together. Please join us on Sunday, Feb. 23 at 4:00 pm in the fellowship hall for a chance to be social, get to know one another and enjoy some treats.

SERVING OUR SAVIOR,

Bonnie Jean Huset
Director/Teacher



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God we thank You for this food.
For health and strength and all things good;
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Amen!

TRANSPORTATION NEEDED

We have a student that is in need of transportation after school on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Or, this student needs someone to watch her until Mom's lunch break between 1-2 pm. It would not be every Tuesday and Thursday as Dad's schedule changes week to week. If you are able and willing to help with this situation please let me know right away!

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CLASS TIME

Please remember that our class time begins at 8:45 am and we end class at 11:15 am. I know our start and end times do not work the best for everybody, however these times should be honored by most families as much as possible. We thank you for your cooperation.

NURSERY RHYMES

This week and next we will be looking at nursery rhymes. They can be a lot of fun and lend themselves well for a child's articulation, memory, and other cognitive skills; we even added a large motor activity to "Jack be Nimble" by actually jumping over our 'candlesticks'. Let your child show you what they can do and say!

Jack by nimble, Jack be quick;
Jack jump over the candlestick!



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