



## **January 3's Classroom Newsletter**

**Mrs. Hewlett & Mrs. Havighurst**

It's hard to believe Christmas is almost here! The children are so excited for the holidays and love sharing their Christmas list with us. Even though they talk about toys and gifts, we will be focusing on the "reason for the season." We will be reading lots of stories about Jesus' birth and we will have a nativity scene for them to play with in the class this month.

Our theme this month is all about Christmas. Our bible verse this month is "You will find a baby wrapped in clothes and lying in a manger." Luke 2:12. We will be practicing every day for our Christmas program that will be held for the AM classes on Dec. 9<sup>th</sup> and PM classes on Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm. We will be working on gifts for our parents, wrapping boxes in our sensory table, learning about seasons, and spinning tops at our science center. We will be writing letters to Santa in our writing center and playing Christmas math game at our math center. We will be posting sign ups for donations and help needed at our holiday party. Our holiday party will be on our last day of school (M/W 11<sup>th</sup> & T/TH 12<sup>th</sup>). We will get to wear our PJ's and Santa will come to visit our classroom.

We have begun to assess your children and will hold parent/teacher conferences mid to late January. We will send more information on those conference dates and times when we come back from our Holiday Break.

We pray your family will have many opportunities to slow down this month and be able to enjoy each other and the reason for the season. Jesus is the best gift and shining his light is the best gift we can give to others this month and forever! Merry Christmas and have a Happy New Year!

### **Show N Tell**

Letter J Dec 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>

Letter K Dec 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>

