



Mrs. Heinz's Happenings

March 6-9, 2018

The letter of the week is J! We will paint with Jell-O and will taste it too. We will make some jewelry that jingles. Keep working on letter recognition and the sounds those letters make!

The number of the week is 3. We are working through the numbers 1-10 over the next few weeks and are making progress with printing and identifying the numbers. Keep practicing!

Jesus time this week is the story of Zacchaeus, a short man who had to climb a tree to see Jesus as he passed by. Zacchaeus was not a nice man- he cheated people out of their taxes. Imagine his surprise when Jesus stopped and wanted to have a meal with Zacchaeus! Jesus forgave him and Zacchaeus decided to pay back what he owed because he was so thankful.

Our **PK Easter Parties** are scheduled for March 22/23 during the last hour of class (10 AM for morning classes and 2 PM for afternoon classes). Room parents, I welcome information about your plans and offer any preschool resources we have for your use!

Our Easter Egg Hunt at ILS is a tradition and we hope you'll join us Saturday, March 24th for Immanuel's annual hunt. Please bring friends and neighbors (along with a dozen filled plastic eggs per participant) to our gym to enjoy crafts and activities as the eggs are hidden outdoors. Kids are divided into age groups and asked to find (at least...depends on the size of the crowd!) 12 eggs, so it is not a disappointment for anyone 😊. Volunteers are also welcome.

Looking ahead- Spring Break will be March 26-April 2. **Easter Worship on April 1** will be at 6, 8 and 10:45 AM on Easter Sunday, please join us!

Danger drills will again be conducted this week school-wide. To simplify it for our youngest students, we just talk about two types: fire drills (go outside) and danger drills (stay inside). We primarily discuss danger as something we want to stay safely away from, such as a tornado, thus the staying inside. We are vigilant about safety.

Our **Spring Program** is coming along nicely! The students have learned some new songs in addition to our daily routine songs and we can't wait to sing them for you on Sunday, April 8th at 2 PM in the school gym! **Special all-preschool practices (and no regularly scheduled classes) will be held on Thursday and Friday April 5/6 from 8:30-11 in the school gym. More info about drop off and pick up routine will be shared soon.**