

# HAPPENINGS

## OUR CLASSROOM NEWSLETTER



**LUTHERAN  
SCHOOLS**   
SCHOOL MINISTRY, THE LUTHERAN CHURCH - MISSOURI SYNOD

### NATIONAL LUTHERAN SCHOOLS WEEK

MARCH 7-13, 2010

**“Securing Each Child’s Future - For a Life of Service”**

**based on 1 Cor. 12:5**

How blessed we are to have this opportunity to learn more about Jesus and grow in our faith every day! We give thanks to God for our Christian preschool. The theme for National Lutheran Schools Week highlights serving, and so this month our character trait will be helpfulness, simply one way that little ones can be a servant. Each child already has made or will make a “Helping Cup,” which they may keep at home. Directions on the cup state that each time your child demonstrates the character trait of helpfulness, he or she may place a bead on the pipe cleaner. Once your child helps 10 times, he or she will have a bracelet that they may wear.

### Upcoming Events

Tuesday and  
Friday,  
March 9 and 12  
*Show and Tell*

Tuesday, March 16  
*Round-table discussion on  
Kindergarten Readiness 6:30 p.m.*

Friday, March 19  
*No Preschool*

Friday, April 2  
*No Preschool  
Good Friday*

Monday - Friday, April 5-9  
*No Preschool  
Spring Break!!!*

Thursday, April 15  
*Class Photo Day for ALL students! 9 a.m.*

Thursday, May 6  
*Field trip to Ithaca College*



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## This Month's Highlights

**Color: Purple**

**Shape: Diamond**

**Units: The Good Samaritan  
Numbers**

**Daniel and the Lion's Den/Prayer**

**Palm Sunday and Holy Week**

**Bible Verses: "...Do good to all people..."**

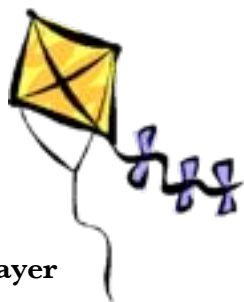
**Galatians 6:10**

**"I pray to you, Lord." Psalm 69:13**

**"Blessed is the King...who comes in the name  
of the Lord!" Luke 19:38**

**"...He is not here; He is risen..." Luke 24:6**

**Character Trait: Helpfulness**



**Martin Pierce 3/4/06**

**Owen Strickland 3/17/05**

**Claira Cuykendall 3/20/05**

## THANKS!

*To all those who brought food  
and helped with the February  
Lenten supper.*



## Kindergarten Readiness

### Round-table Discussion

Join us next Tuesday, March 16th, at 6:30 p.m. to listen to and talk with Ann Marie Streeter, a veteran kindergarten teacher, who will share some insights and tips about preparing your child for kindergarten. Childcare is available by reservation.

## Still Thinking about the Fall?

This month we will begin to take enrollments for the class of 2010-2011, starting in September of this year. Keep your eyes out for paperwork...it will be in cubbies soon!

**Remember: In inclement weather, if Ithaca City School District is delayed or closed, we close also. Check local TV and radio stations.**

## Tip of the Month:

Teaching your child sight words is a super way to help boost their confidence about reading, along with making it easier for them to focus on decoding other words when they do begin to read. Mrs. Allnatt and Mrs. Kern have been teaching their classes the following sight words:

**go up it in  
he see my you**

See if your child can recognize these words as you read with him or her.