**The Drive-Home Newsletter**

January 29th, 2016

Greetings wonderful LCC Parents! Sometimes, it is really hard to start a conversation about what happened in Church that day. Questions like “What did you learn today” get met with answers like “About GOD.” Hopefully, this newsletter is helpful in letting you know what the kids are learning about, as well as equipping you with questions to help go deeper in your family’s walk with GOD. GOD Bless!

**This Week in Sunday School**

Jesus meets Andrew and Peter.

**Preschool**: Made a friendship circle out of blocks. Learned about our friends in the classroom and that Jesus wants to be our friend! Made friendship bracelets and talked about how to get to know our friends better.

* Is Jesus your friend?
* How can we get to know our friends better?
* How can we get to know Jesus better?

**K-2nd Grade**: We looked for our treats all over the church but found them back in our classroom. We listened to Andrew tell Peter about Jesus, then they both went to meet him! We made craft showing that we are children and friends of GOD. Finally, we played a couple of team building games.

* How do we become better friends?
* When Andrew told Peter about Jesus, what happened?
* Who are GOD’s children and friends?

**3rd-5th Grade:** Got to know each other a bit better asking questions about each kid. Read John 1:35-42, breaking it up into groups and talked about how the first disciples learned about Jesus. Talked about what Jesus being our friend means, went through the importance of being called Children of GOD. Talked about what it means to receive Jesus and the first time they received Jesus. *Do 2 out of the 4 daily challenge points.*

* What did you learn about your friends today?
* What does it mean to be Children of GOD?
* Which of the daily challenges are you thinking of doing this week?

**This week in Children’s Church**

We talked about how the church is like a toolbox, the people inside of it have different spiritual gifts. Each Spiritual gift fits a certain number of ministry opportunities in the same way each tool fits a job. For example, you don’t use car wax to build a house or a hammer to clean a car. In the same way we need to find what our spiritual gift is so that we know how best to service GOD. We shared what spiritual gift GOD had given us and thought about ways that we could serve GOD using that gift.

* What is one of your spiritual gifts?
* How can you use it to serve GOD?

**Coming Up This Week**

Join us for Wednesday night dinner and Kid’s Club! Dinner is at 5:30pm and programming starts at 6:30! Hope to see you there!

**Keep in Mind**

Family Lent night is coming up Saturday, February 25th from 5:30-7:00pm. We will have some soup for dinner and spend the time talking, thinking, and answering questions about Ash Wednesday, Lent, Palm Sunday, Easter, and how they all link together. We will also be making candles! If you have any questions, email Bobby@libcov.org or call 847-362-3308 ext. 104. Sign up here: [Lent Family Night Sign up](https://docs.google.com/a/libcov.org/document/d/1I68KZbk1CA7kAhql_P6SEEObLMQ6CPZhajo39Y-Hk8g/edit?usp=sharing)

Our first Second Sunday is coming up March 12th after church! We will be going to Jump America! Sign-up for a group rate of $14 for 2 hours on the children’s ministry board in the downstairs hallway and here: [Jump America Sign up sheet](https://docs.google.com/a/libcov.org/document/d/1A_vy1Q_FzQU9Hg5qPaeXgeljBxU9AVgGMMAu_XhlXhE/edit?usp=sharing)