**The Drive-Home Newsletter**

September 24th, 2017

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!

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**This week in Sunday School**

GOD created man and woman on the sixth day and rested on the seventh.

**Preschool:** We colored a picture of Adam and Eve and recapped the other five days of creation that we learned about last week. Then we used playdoh to make different parts of the story. We made the earth and the sky, then we made creatures and animals. We talked about how we were made in GOD’s image, which means that we were made like GOD. Finally, we did different activities six times and rested the seventh time to talk about how GOD rested on the seventh day.

* What did GOD make? How?
* What did GOD do on the 7th day?
* What does it mean to be made in GOD’s image?

**K-2nd:** We had a small and younger class today, so we combined with preschool.

**3rd-5th:** We started with an activity that explored how the kids see themselves. Then we read through the bible story. Next, we made people or creatures from playdoh and breathed into them like GOD shaped and breathed into Adam, but our creations didn’t come alive. Finally we talked about how to apply what we learned in Sunday School to our regular life and school, including how to treat people who may be different from us.

* What sort of creation did you create?
* What does it mean that GOD created us in His image? What does that mean for our everyday lives?

**Coming up This Week**

Join us for Wednesday night kid’s club this week! Dinner starts at 5:30 and programming starts at 6:15. Hope to see you there!

**This week in Children’s Church**

We read through the parable of the wedding feast again, talking about how it was really talking about how the Pharisees and many of the Jews had rejected GOD’s message, so GOD invited everyone. We then read through Matthew 11:28, Revelation 22:17, and Matthew 19:14, three passages that describe the type of people that GOD was calling to follow him. We split into three groups, each taking and making an party invitation card based on the passage we read.

* Who does GOD want to follow Him?
* What did your card say?
* Who was Jesus really talking about in today’s parable?

**Keep in Mind**

Back to School Sales are almost over if not already! We still need people to sign up and donate some school supplies for Operation Christmas Child! The list of materials and sign-up sheet are online ([click here](https://docs.google.com/a/libcov.org/document/d/1DEaUUJtwRTjbcMXbvGEMY0DelNhZRQhY8Rck9GXpkPo/edit?usp=sharing)) and downstairs on the Children’s Ministry board!

Join us at 5:30pm on October 7th to set up for PADs at the United Methodist Church of Libertyville! Let Bobby know if you are interested by emailing him at Bobby@libcov.org

Saturday, October 21st 5pm-7pm: Join us for a parenting workshop! Steve and Heather Larson will be leading us in an exploration of childhood development, talking about how the brain develops, how children think, and why they are thinking the way they are at different ages. Dinner is $5 a family and childcare will be provided.