**The Drive-Home Newsletter**

January 28th, 2018

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**

The Wilderness Test

**Preschool:** We had a picnic to show eating in the desert, learning that GOD provided food and water to His people. We collected mana, looked at rocks and explored the gems. We also read and watched a video of the story

* What did GOD give the hungry people?

**K-2nd:** Today we learned about how the Israelites doubted GOD’s plan for them. When the Lord led them into the Wilderness they were unable to find food or water. They complained and cried out in despair. We collected “manna” as GOD instructed for one day only at a time, for six days… then collected for two days for the Sabbath. We talked about the importance of trusting GOD’s plan for us. We also played a hangman style game to review our key passage: Hebrews 3:5-6

* How much “manna” were the people supposed to collect each day?

**3rd-5th:** We learned that GOD provides what you need right when you need it. In the desert the Israelites whined because they didn’t trust GOD and they were in the desert because they needed to learn to trust GOD. We painted rocks that said GOD provides and crafted tabernacles to show GOD’s provision.

* What did you build as a tabernacle?
* What did GOD provide for the Israelites?

**This week in Children’s Church**

We drew an imaginary animal and then made it out of play-doh. We talked about how we had imagined that animal to be very special. We talked about how we only had 10 minutes to imagine this animal but GOD had all eternity to imagine us. We then talked about three good ways to learn what GOD has planned for our lives: The Bible, prayer, and going to church.

* What creature did you create?
* What’s a good way to know what GOD wants from you?

**Coming up This Week**

Wednesday nights are Kid’s Club! See you all this Wednesday at 5:30pm for dinner, or 6:15pm for the evening program!

This is the last week to sign up for Winterfest! Registration and payment is due this Friday! Register on [Covenant Harbor's Website](file:///C:\Users\Children\Dropbox\Work\LCC%20Director%20of%20Children's%20ministry\2018\The%20Drive%20Home%20Newsletter%202018\covenantharbor.org). Spaces are still open but they won’t be for long!

**Keep in Mind**

We have a challenge to make motions for our theme verse song! Only two weeks left to win that fantastic prize! If you do not have the song, please email Bobby at [Bobby@libcov.org](mailto:Bobby@libcov.org)

February 14th is Ash Wednesday! We will still have Wednesday night dinner, but we will also be having a song time, a description and explanation of the ashes and a craft time in which we will make a prayer chain, 40 links with 1 prayer a day leading up and counting down to Easter.