**The Drive-Home Newsletter**

January 7th, 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 Magi visit Jesus

**Preschool:**

**K-2nd:** Today we learned about the three wise men visiting baby Jesus. We talked about their difficult journey and the gifts they brought for the special King. Like the Magi, we kept our eyes on the star (leader) and followed along. We took turns being a wise (wo)man and guessing where the star was. The wise men did not know exactly what kind of king Jesus would become, but they were ready to worship Him even as a tiny baby. We also pretended to be kings and discussed the differences between King Herod and Jesus as King. We decorated crowns with the main point: **The wise men worshipped Jesus as King.**

* Why was Jesus born? Jesus was born to rescue us from sin

**3rd-5th:** We read through and discussed the story of the Magi visiting Jesus. Then we played a game of wrapping a present relay. Finally, we made story cubes to tell the full story of Jesus’s birth.

* What is this story cube? How does it work?

**This week in Children’s Church**

We played a game of charades, going through the different parts of the story of Jesus’s birth to see how much we remembered.

**Coming up This Week**

Wednesday night programming is back on! See you all this Wednesday at 5:30pm for dinner, or 6:15pm for the evening program!

January 14th: 2nd Sunday at the Tree House in Lake Zurich! Join us after church for a lunch and playtime on their indoor playground! Sign up and more details are in the link if you are interested! [Tree House in Lake Zurich Sign-up sheet](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1zYzebxoFp_kd6YaEHljXU-1yoBnR7pnJwr9W8Hi_Rrc/edit?usp=sharing)

**Keep in Mind**

Sign up for Winterfest is now open on [Covenant Harbor's Website](covenantharbor.org). Spaces are still open and we are still looking for people to volunteer as leaders. Let Bobby know if you have any questions or would like to be a leader.