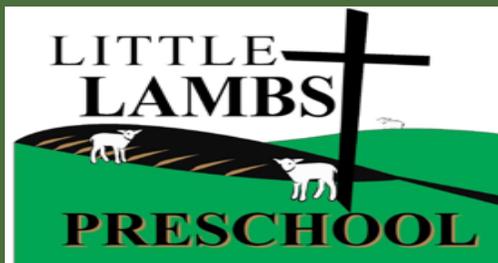




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## Upcoming School Events

**Sunday, February 23**

Worship Services - 8:00, 10:30 AM  
Sunday School 9:10 AM

**Monday, February 24**

Accreditation Team Visiting  
Children's Choir - 3:15-4:15 PM

**Tuesday, February 25**

Accreditation Team Visiting

**Wednesday, February 26**

Individual Band Lessons  
Ice Cream Scoop 50¢/Scoop P for P  
Band Practice 3:00-3:45 PM

**Thursday, February 27**

K-8 Bingo \$1 P for P 1:00 PM

**Friday, February 28**

Pajama Day \$1 P for P  
Indoor Recess/Electronics Day P for P  
Chapel 8:05 A.M.  
Mission Offering  
Geography Fair Poster Board Due  
S'crafters Fundraiser Event Day 1

**Saturday, February 29**

S'crafters Fundraiser Event Day 2

## Upcoming Weekly Family Devotions (February 23-29):

Story	Beginner's Bible	The Jesus Storybook	Bible
Angel Visits Mary	P. 266-270	P. 176-183	Luke 1:26-38
Jesus is Born	P. 271-276	P. 176-183	Luke 2:1-7

# General School Updates

## **Accreditation Team Visiting - February 23-25**

On Monday and Tuesday, February 24-25, you may notice a few individuals walking around our school, meeting with our teachers, and visiting our classrooms. We have a school accreditation team visiting us as part of our re-accreditation process our school is currently going through. Our school curriculum, teachers, classroom procedures, safety procedures, campus set up, and many other aspects of school will be closely looked at by this team. They will then report back to us on what they feel we are doing effectively and where our school can continue to improve. This rigorous process we go through every 5 years helps keep our school an excellent place for our students and ensures our school is always working to improve each year!

A presentation will be given by the accreditation team on Tuesday, February 25 at 3:15 P.M. about the findings of the team. This presentation is open to all school families and congregation families. Please join us if you are interested!

## **S'Crafters Event Fundraiser - February 28-29**

At the end of this coming week, on February 28-29, our school will be hosting a crafting event as our main school fundraiser this year. We are asking that all school families participate in one way or another. Each of the classroom teachers has sent out an online "Sign Up Genius" form via email. Using that form you can sign up to help serve a meal at that event. If you are not able to be present, please sign up to donate a food item that will be used to prepare and serve the meal. Let your child's teacher know if you need another link to the signup form!

Proceeds from this event will go towards our financial aid fund as well as school technology. Therefore, all students will benefit from the funds we raise! If you have not yet signed up to help, please consider how you plan to pitch in!

# Little Lambs Preschool Updates

We started our unit on Dental Health this week. We will be having a special visitor coming to talk to us about how to care for our teeth. We continue to work on direction in math and will be making a volcano and tornado for science.

## **Week of February 24th-28th:**

**Theme:** Dental Health

**Letter:** "Xx"

**Color:** Red

**Shape:** Heart

**Bible Story:** Jesus Calms the Storm

**Memory Treasure:** Call upon me in the day of trouble. (Psalm 50:15)

## **Reminders:**

- Messy Monday March 2nd
- Tuition is due.

## K-2 Classroom Updates

The K-2 class is writing up a storm. We have been writing lots of letters to our friends and family about our favorite books (1st and 2nd grade) and things we think should change in our classroom (kindergarten). This week, we started some new writing work as the first and second graders started writing nomination letters to give awards to their favorite books and kindergartners started writing about things that we can do to our change our world like not littering and being kind. At the end of our unit, the first and second graders will have an awards ceremony to find out what books won awards and the kindergartners will share their writing to help our earth.

## 3-5 Classroom Updates

We had another chance this week to blaze through fresh snow on our sledding day, which we had on Tuesday. It was a cold day, but we were happy to be able to go outdoors. We look forward to more days of fun in the park before the sloppy spring thaw sets in.

We continue to work hard in our studies. Grades 3-4 had fun with electricity for a few weeks. Our potato clock is still keeping good time. Every family is working on their Geography Fair projects. We are becoming more independent in our study habits.

February is almost over, and we are halfway through the third quarter. We are building our skills in our classes and in the little things, like keeping a tidy desk and using our time wisely. At the end of every day, we review the new words, the new skills, and the new strategies we have learned that day. Some days students don't want to leave! It's fun to learn.

## 6-8 Classroom Updates

The 6-8th graders continue to make progress on their research reports for writing class. We have found all of our resources. We had fun visiting the library last week to pick out our books. We also discussed how to find effective, reliable website sources to add to our research. Right now we are taking notes on what we learn about our topic. Next week we will begin to turn our notes into written paragraphs.

We talked a lot this past week about the role God has given our 6-8th grade classroom to be role models for the rest of the younger students at school. This 6-8th grade class has truly done an excellent job this year of getting along with one another and being kind in words and actions towards other students. The younger students look up to the oldest students at school, so it is important for our oldest students to set a positive tone for the entire school in how they act. We find our motivation to be positive role models in the love of Jesus and all that Jesus has done to die for our sins and make us right with God! This is one simple way we thank Him!