



Apostles Lutheran Preschool

February 16 - 18, 2010



We began a very exciting theme this week - Community Helpers. This theme will continue through next week, ending in Career Day. On that day the children are invited to dress up as what they want to be when they grow up and we interview them!!! We begin by talking about what a community is - a place where people live and work together. We then talk about the different kind of jobs/people that work to make a great community. We also then talk about how in our classroom we help one another, we work and clean together, we play together, we are kind to one another and we discover that our classroom is our own community. The children enjoy trying out different careers during work time. We have a grocery store, a restaurant, a builders work area, barber shop, a wall to paint and a hospital. We have different community helper costumes they can wear also.

In our Bible lesson this week we learn about two friends of Jesus - Mary and Martha. Jesus went to visit them one day. Mary sat down to listen to Jesus' Word; while Martha went to cook a wonderful meal. Ask your child what Jesus says when Martha complains about Mary not helping her. The children learn what the most important thing is - "Hear the word of God."

Pastor B. came in this week for a devotion about preparing for Easter. He talks about how we praise Jesus for all the wonderful blessings and miracles he did and does. We talk about how we are getting ready for Lenten Season, when Jesus prepares us for His death on the cross. During this time we sing quiet praises, so we put our Alleluia's away!!! We will get them back after Easter - when we celebrate Jesus' victory over the grave!

WINTER!!!!



Winter seems like it is here to stay. Thank you for sending all the snowgear each day. It is much more fun for the children to go out when they are dressed for it!!!

