



Immanuel Lutheran Christian Academy Preschool  
February 12, 2018

12  P.E: 4 year olds: 9:50-10:20 3 year olds: 10:25-10:55	13  Happy 3rd Birthday to Annabelle!	14  ASH WEDNESDAY CHAPEL: 10:00AM  <b>CLASSROOM VALENTINE PARTIES!</b>	15  Re-enrollment Forms due today!  Visit from Dr. Owen's Dentistry for Dental Health!	16  Happy 6th Birthday to Shaen on Saturday and Happy Birthday to Ms. Kim on Sunday!
19  P.E: 4 year olds: 9:50-10:20 3 year olds: 10:25-10:55  Book Orders Due! 😊	20  Happy 3rd Birthday to Wyatt!	21	22  Happy 2 <sup>nd</sup> Birthday to Lochlann and Happy Birthday to Mrs. Neva!	23  CHAPEL: 9:00AM  Happy Birthday to Miss Haley and Happy Birthday to Miss Ava on Sunday!

RE-ENROLLMENT FORMS WERE SENT OUT AND ARE DUE FEBRUARY 15<sup>TH</sup>!! Don't forget to bring them back to reserve your spot for this summer and next school year!

**PORTRAIT CAFÉ PHOTO ORDERS ARE HERE AND READY FOR PICK UP! \*Remember, even if you didn't order, you have some free prints to pick up! 😊**

**CHRISTMAS DVD'S ARE ALSO AVAILABLE FOR PICK UP IN THE OFFICE!**

**VALENTINE PARTIES:**

Valentine Parties are this WEDNESDAY after chapel; you are encouraged to bring valentines for your kiddos' classmates. Lists were sent home with your monthly newsletter. Ask your child's teacher if you have any questions regarding Valentine parties.

### **ASH WEDNESDAY:**

The children and staff will be participating in Ash Wednesday chapel services this week on Wednesday. I wanted to share this little bit of information with you about the meaning of Ash Wednesday and why our Lutheran church does the imposition of ashes:



#### *Ashes Today?*

*A contemporary Lutheran appropriation of the Imposition of Ashes should begin with the two-fold biblical understanding of ashes: as a sign of our mortality and as a sign of our repentance. Likewise, the traditional formula, "Remember, you are dust, and to dust you shall return," is most appropriate, since it paraphrases the words of God in the Garden of Eden (Gen. 3:19). By receiving the ashes, the worshipper acknowledges that God's judgment against our sin is right and just. But the ashes are also made in the sign of the cross—the very instrument by which our Lord took upon himself the punishment for our sin, in our place. Thus, the cross of ashes serves to remind us that we are sinners, and that Christ died for us sinners. This is exactly what the rite in Lutheran Service Book calls for.*

I am attaching the rest of this LCMS material to this newsletter if you'd like to read more! We are getting ready to share the news of Jesus' death on the cross for each one of us and celebrate His resurrection with you and your family this season!



#### **IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:**

**February 1-15:** Re-Enrollment time for ILCAP!

**February 14:** Happy Valentine's Day & Ash Wednesday

**February 19:** Scholastic Book Orders Due

**February 23:** PTL Chili Supper

**February 24:** Spirit Night at Tulsa Oilers Hockey Game

**March 16:** St. Patrick's Day fun!

**March 22-23:** Parent/Teacher Conferences (NO SCHOOL)

**March 30:** Good Friday (NO SCHOOL)