



MRS. SMITH

PRE-4 CLASSROOM

May 10th, 2024



Slow Down - Hurrying between meetings, practices, play-dates and other activities can keep you away from building and strengthening your relationship and enjoyment with your child. Slow down to share the things your child and you love. Slowing down can open up discussions between you and your child. Look at your schedule and see what you can change to wait until tomorrow or even next week. Use that time to spend with your child and intentionally plan something fun they will enjoy.

BIBLE STORIES -

Next week our Bible Story will be "Zacchaeus". In this lesson we learn to gladly show love and thanks to Jesus for coming to us in His Word and saving us from our sins.

THEME WORK -

The children finished up the space theme this week. They built a space scene using numbered items, worked with the ten frame, they did patterning, and worked more with spelling space words. For the last two weeks of school the theme will be "Dinosaurs".

SINGING IN CHURCH -

On Sunday, May 19, we will recognize and celebrate our 8th grade graduates in our 9:00 AM worship service. All St. John students will be singing in this service, please plan to attend! This will be the last time the preschoolers will be singing together as a group and they have been practicing so hard! Everyone is also invited to a brief reception and time of fellowship after the service. Please have your child here no later than 8:40.

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL -

Friday, May 24 is the last day of school. We will be having the closing service along with preschool and kindergarten graduation. After the closing service we will have a picnic and fun here at St. John. **Preschool students MUST have a parent or parent provided guardian with them on this last day.** You can drop your child off in the classroom at normal time. After the service and graduation your child will be dismissed to you. Please remember to sign them out at this time. **You MUST be here for them.**

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL -

June 24 - 27, from 9:00am to 11:00am. Please join us! Kids sing in the 9:00am service on Sunday, June 30. If you have questions, contact Brooke Behl at: brooke.behl@stjohnslib.com. Please use the following link to sign your child up for VBS <https://vbspro.events/p/stjohnscuba>



SHOW AND TELL -

Show and tell will be free choice week, or something about dinosaurs.

SAVE THE DATE -

Tuesday May, May 21 - "Tonality Brewing Company" in Mundelein has generously offered 10% of sales to go toward St. John on Tuesday, May 21, 5p.m. and after. Kids are welcome! Reservations are encouraged! Make sure to mention you are there for St. John. Check out their website (and Menu) [here](#). Tonality Brewing Company 169 N. Seymour Avenue, Mundelein Illinois

Contact Information -

If you need to contact me, you can email me at cindy.smith@stjohnslib.com. You can call the school at 847-362-4424, Extension 1003. My cell phone number is 847-406-9877. I don't usually answer if I don't recognize the number so please leave a message and I will get back to you. Texting is also a great way to contact me, just make sure to tell me who is texting.

NEWS AND REMINDERS -

- Sunday, May 19: 8th Grade Graduation, 9 a.m.
- Friday, May 24: Last Day of School, Noon Dismissal
 - Preschool and Kindergarten Graduation
 - Closing Service Picnic and Olympic Day
- Thursday, June 13-Sunday, June 16: Libertyville Days