

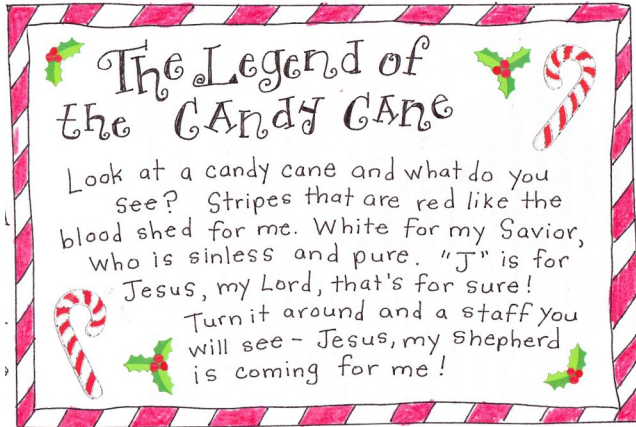
# CDLC GAZETTE

December 2022

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## A LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR

The joyous Christmas season is upon us. This month we will be reinforcing giving and sharing with our students. The reason for the season is the birth of Jesus, the little boy born in a simple stable who would do so much for mankind. From all of us at CDLC, we hope your family has a Christmas filled with joy and peace.

Marie

## CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS

Join us for our Christmas Music Programs on 12/15 & 12/16 (Thursday and Friday) at 11:00am & 2:45pm in the Chapel.

## THE GREAT ADVENTURE AND SOCK DRIVE

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2 - 6:00PM**

Join the Family Ministry team for an evening of caroling, activities and a movie to help young families prepare their hearts for the celebration of the birth of Jesus and the true meaning of Christmas. Families will have the option to stay for an additional full-length Christmas movie and popcorn.

Donation Opportunity: **Bring NEW socks (any size) for Mission Outpost.**

[REGISTER](#)



## CONTACT INFORMATION

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[www.cdldapreschool.org](http://www.cdldapreschool.org)

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**DECEMBER UPCOMING EVENTS**

- December 1: January Tuition Due
- December 2: Great ADVENTure
- December 15: Tuition Late Fee
- December 15 & 16: Christmas Music Programs
- December 17 - January 2: Winter Break (NO SCHOOL)
- January 3: Classes resume
- MARK YOUR CALENDARS
- January 17: Registration for 2023-2024 opens



**DECEMBER CURRICULUM**

- Science:** Christmas
- Motor:** Large balls
- Music:** Christmas Music, Legato, Staccato
- Christian:** Angel visits Mary, Stable warm and dry, Shepherds visit Jesus, Birth of Jesus, God is my Shepard

**RECIPE OF THE MONTH**

**Rudolph Faces**

Ingredients:

- \*Graham Crackers
- \*Raisins
- \*Red Hot/Red M&M
- \*Chow Mein/Small Pretzels
- \*Frosting
- \*Craft Stick

Directions/Discussion:

Spread frosting over graham cracker, decorate with raisin eyes, red nose and chow mein noodles or pretzels for horns. Talk about the shape of the cracker, the color of the frosting, why Rudolph had a red nose, etc.

**DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

**Who's turning 3?**

**Who's turning 4?**

**Who's turning 5?**

**Who's more than 5?**

Easton Allen

Jack Berkebile

Harrison Jass

Conor O'Shaughnessy

Bennett Rahlf

Violet Weiers

### DROP OFF AND PICK UP CONCERNS

\*Have your child ready to get out of the car, coat on and seat belt off, last hugs and kisses given. This keeps the line moving smoothly. Also, in cold weather, this helps our volunteers and staff from freezing! Starting October, you may walk your child in to school if you prefer.

\*Please have your child's car seat situated on the passenger side of the car. This keeps children safer. We do not want children walking between cars.

\*Siblings should not be left in cars while parents walk in to drop off older children.

\*At pick up time, please pull ahead **out of the carpool lane** to buckle your child into their car seat. This will help to keep the line moving quickly and smoothly.

\*Thank you for helping us keep drop off and pick up times safe and efficient, it is much appreciated.

### FREE COVID TESTS

There are COVID tests available at no charge for anyone who may need them. Please contact Marie or your child's teacher to receive.

### PLAYGROUND

We will be going outside every day possible. Be sure to send your child in play clothes, appropriate shoes, and warm jackets and accessories when needed!

### LABEL LABEL LABEL

Please be sure to label any notes with your child's name, teacher, and the session that they attend. Clothing, jackets, hats, backpacks, etc., should also be labeled with your child's name as this will help alleviate any confusion.

### TUITION

November tuition was due October 1st. Reminder that tuition is always paid a month ahead. Any account not paid by the 15th of the month will be subject to a \$10 late fee. If you are paying tuition by check - checks are to be made out to Prince of Peace/CDLC. Be sure to put your child's name in the memo line of your tuition check to ensure proper credit to your account.

## **SICK CHILD POLICY**

Please inform the school if your child will not be present. Parents must notify CDLC within 24 hours when a child has contracted a contagious disease.

If your child cannot participate in daily activities, including outdoor play, due to the following symptoms, they must be kept home:

- ◆ Unexplained lethargy
- ◆ Vomiting within the last 24 hours
- ◆ Fever
- ◆ Drainage from eyes/ears
- ◆ Lice and ringworm (must be treated before a child may return)
- ◆ Bacterial infection before 24 hours of antibiotic treatment
- ◆ Diarrhea within 24 hours
- ◆ Undiagnosed rash
- ◆ Significant respiratory distress
- ◆ Chicken pox (unless lesions are healed)
- ◆ Requires more care than staff can provide without compromising health and safety of other children
- ◆ Dry, hacking cough within 24 hours

The symptoms listed have been established by the Department of Human Services with concern for the health and welfare of all children. Please help us keep illness to a minimum by being aware of these symptoms and keeping your child home if they come down with any of them.

If the symptoms occur while at school, parents will be contacted to pick up their child from school. We have a cot and an area where the child may rest until their parent or other authorized person is able to pick them up.

## **SCHOOL CLOSINGS**

If the weather is not safe for travel CDLC will close school. Closures will be announced on KSTP Channel 5 TV. You will also receive an email announcing the school closing.

### **Christmas Eve Worship**

**On-Campus Family Worship:** 2:00 & 3:30 pm

**On-Campus Candlelight Worship:** 6:00 & 7:00 pm

**Online Candlelight Worship:** 4:00 pm | [Facebook](#) & [YouTube](#)

Family Worship is designed for children and families, complete with angels, shepherds, kings, and the Holy Family. The Candlelight service is a beautiful and meaningful time of worship and music. Online Christmas Eve worship will be available at 4:00 pm – please have candles ready to light at home as we join in singing *Silent Night* together. There will be no Saturday 5:30 pm worship on Christmas Eve.

### **Christmas Day Worship**

**On-Campus Worship:** 10:00 am

**Online Worship:** 11:00 am | [Facebook](#) & [YouTube](#)

Join us on this high and holy day to celebrate the birth of Jesus the Messiah. We will gather at 10:00 am for a special time of worship and celebration with Holy Communion. Online Christmas Day worship will be the recorded presentation of the Celebration Christmas Choir & Orchestra, available at 11:00 am. There will be no 9:00 and 10:30 on Christmas Day.

### **Parent's Morning Out**

**1st & 3rd Wednesday | 9:00 am – Noon**

Parents' Morning Out is for parents of children age 6 weeks to 5 years old to enjoy some time out while our child care team cares for your children (September – May). Cost is \$15 per child or \$25 per family. Child care is located in 129 Commons in the lower level office wing. Contact Jeanne Kalsow with questions at [952-898-9378](tel:952-898-9378) or email [jkalsow@popmn.org](mailto:jkalsow@popmn.org) . [Click here to register!](#)

### **Parent's Night Out**

**2nd Saturday | 5:00-8:00 pm**

Parents Night Out is for any family with children ages 6 months – 5th grade. Offered on the second Saturday or each month from 5:00-8:00 pm, parents can go out and reconnect while their children are cared for by POP child care staff. Age appropriate activities and snack provided. Parents may bring dinner for children if needed. Space is limited. Cost \$15/child or \$25/family. At this time, masks are required for all children ages 3 and up. Child care is located in 129 Commons in the lower level office wing. Contact Jeanne Kalsow with questions at [952-898-9378](tel:952-898-9378) or email [jkalsow@popmn.org](mailto:jkalsow@popmn.org) . [Click here to register!](#)

**POP Pre-K Worship | Sundays 10:30 am | Wednesdays 6:00 pm**

POP Pre-K (ages 3-5) explores key Bible stories in an engaging and age-appropriate atmosphere. Every lesson is designed to gather preschoolers together into a welcoming environment, dig into a foundational Bible story, and help kids see themselves in the story in a way that builds faith. Lessons are reinforced, and community encouraged, through activities, games, music, and art.

**POP Kids Worship | Sundays 10:30 am | Wednesdays 6:00 pm**

POP Kids (grade K-5) seeks to help young disciples trust God's character and experience Christian community. Our weekly worship experience and small group time is designed to focus on these three basic truths: I can trust God no matter what; I need to make the wise choice; I should treat others the way I want to be treated.

**MOPS & MOMS NEXT**

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) is an opportunity for moms with infants, toddlers and preschoolers to surround yourself with other moms for a supportive community, service projects, fun crafts and DIYs, and inspiring guest speakers. Moms Next offers the same supportive community for moms with children in grades K-5.

**Group options, meeting Sept-May:**

MOPS & Moms Next | 1st & 3rd Thursday | 9:30-11:30 am - [Click here to register!](#)

MOPS & Moms Next | 1st & 3rd Thursday | 6:00-8:00 pm - [Click here to register!](#)

Moms Next | 2nd & 4th Wednesday | 5:30-7:00 pm - [Click here to register!](#)