



**Bible Stories: Epiphany, Noah's Ark, John the Baptist and Baptism of Jesus**

**Themes: Rainbow and Transportation**

Dear Preschool Parents/Guardians,

We welcome the New Year with great joy and hope in our hearts. We wish everyone a happy and wonderful year of learning and new experiences ahead. We are looking forward to a fantastic comeback to school from our winter holidays.

This month, our lessons will be guided by the bible stories in Epiphany, Noah's Ark and John the Baptist and the Baptism of Jesus. We will also learn about the significance of hope, in our lesson about "Rainbow", as well as appreciate the fun and convenience in travelling as we will gain knowledge on the different kinds of transportation.

Let us keep Jesus in our lives as we have our journey in 2017!

#### Preschool Registration and Re-registration

Registration in St. Matthew's Preschool for September 2017 will start on JANUARY 4. Interested families may pick up the application forms from the preschool classroom. Completed re-registration forms for children currently registered in Social Recreation program will be due on JANUARY 20, 2017.

#### Registration in Elementary School

St. Matthew's Elementary School's registration forms for September 2017 will be available starting JANUARY 4. Completed registration forms will be accepted until JANUARY 16, 2017. Interested families can pick up the forms from the school office (*the said registration forms will not be available at the parish office or online*).

#### Scholastic Book Orders

Scholastic book orders for this month will be due on JANUARY 20. Kindly hand-in your orders on or before the due date. Thank you for your support.

#### School Mass

Everyone is invited to attend the School Mass on JANUARY 13 and JANUARY 27 at 9:00 am. Please note that the Pre-kindergarten AM class will be accompanied by their teachers on that day.

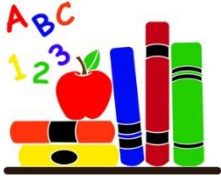
#### Dress-Down Days

Dress-Down Days will be on JANUARY 17 for Social Recreation classes and JANUARY 18 for Pre-kindergarten classes, everyone is encouraged to wear "Stripes."

#### Uniform

To ensure the safety of your children, kindly make sure that they come to school in their preschool uniform. Please label the preschool hoodies with their names. Thank you!

Letters and Numbers Focus for Pre-Kindergarten Program



Letters Yy, Nn, Zz and Review of Letters Xx, Vv, Yy,  
Counting and Writing Numbers 1-10



January 4 - Registration for St. Matthew's Preschool and  
St. Matthew's Elementary School Starts  
January 13 and 27 - School Mass  
January 16 - Last Day of Submission of Registration Forms in  
St. Matthew's Elementary School  
January 17 - Dress Down Day for Social Recreation Classes  
January 18 - Dress Down Day for Pre-kindergarten Classes  
January 20 - Due Date for Scholastic Book Orders



JANUARY

Erika - 6  
Gabrielle - 8  
Jake - 12  
Logan - 12  
Caleb - 14  
Elahi - 17

Sincerely,

St. Matthew's Preschool  
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