

Lighthouse Preschool News

Teaching God's children about their Creator, Savior, and Friend while preparing them for a lifetime of wonder, learning, and service.

Sept. 2020

A new series for a new year! What is a child?

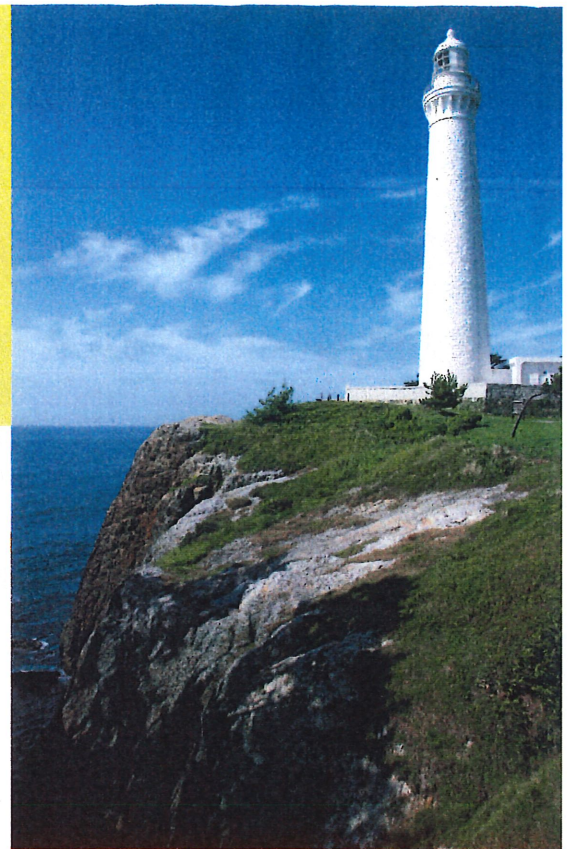
Last year, we learned about how the Lighthouse Preschool addresses the needs of students' overall development. We do not focus merely on their academic development, but also their spiritual, social, emotional, and physical development. Hopefully, as you saw the various activities we do, you were able to get a closer look into how we ensure the development of all our students.

This year, we are going to try something a little different. During each month, our newsletter will focus on answering the question, "What is a Child?" It seems like an obvious question with obvious answers. However, we might be surprised to find that people have answered this question differently. Even members of the same generation, church body, or family will answer this differently.

Why is a definition so important? Well, depending on how you answer this question will reveal what your underlying beliefs are. Those underlying beliefs impact how you treat, interact, and care for a child. By unpacking those beliefs, we, as Christians, are also able to see if what we believe lines up with our faith and allows the Word of God to bear on us to shape us to His good and perfect will. (Continued on Back)

Announcements:

Please continue to pray for the health of our students and families!



Upcoming Dates:

September 7th- No School/Labor Day

October 12- No School



Thank you for all the snack donations! We are stocked and ready for the year!

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A great activity to try is to list 10 things that answer the question, "What is a child?" For our grammar nerds, we could say they can be adjectives or nouns. While some of them might be subjective and based on an opinion, try to keep the list to objective definitions. (For example, "cute" is a subjective word, but "unique" is an objective word.)

If you do this little activity, I would love to hear from you! Email me at alisonaa@stpaulsaberdeen.org! Stay tuned to next month's newsletter, where I start unpacking a Biblical definition of what a child is!

From one Child of God to all you others, Mrs. A

REMINDERS:

-Please save those Ken's and Kessler's receipts. We can begin accepting receipts from August 2020 and later.

-If you see the following people, please thank them for their efforts this summer to make the preschool great!

Russ Podoll, Dennis Angerhofer, Jerry and Betty Ochner, Cindy Jung, Terry Ellingson, and Paul Swanston.



A note from Mrs. Siebert

Thanks be to God for another preschool year! As we begin the year, I would like you to know that I am truly blessed to be teaching so many little ones! The month of September will be full of new experiences as we focus on learning rules and routines and meeting new friends. Please pray for a smooth transition for us all as we go forward with a great school year!