



EUMC Awesome Adventures

December's Theme: *Shepherds and Angels: Messengers of the Covenant*

Focus Passage: *But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is Christ the Lord." Luke 2:10-11 (NIV)*

By the end of the month, the children will be able to:

- Name that the shepherds' story is found in the New Testament in the Gospels.
- (3rd—6th graders) Locate the story in the Bible. Identify Luke as the third of four Gospels.
- Retell the story of the birth of Jesus from the point of view of the shepherds and the angels.
- Recognize the shepherds' fear, amazement, and joy at the sights/sounds of the angels' visit.
- Express that God's Good News truly is for all people, young and old, rich and poor, educated and not.
- Question who are the messengers of the Good News, both in Bible times and today. Discuss whether we are messengers and, if so, why we need to be messengers.

This month's rotation includes: Bible focus, art, cooking, video, and games .

CHILDREN'S AREA SUNDAY SCHOOL ~ TEACHING SCHEDULE

Preschool (3 yr—5 yr)

Beth Ezzell

December 6	Trudy Collier
December 13	Linda Hughes
December 20	Alice Adams
December 27	Frances Johnson

Kindergarten—2nd Grade

December 6	BIBLE	Amy Quigley and Chris Miller
December 13	ART	Laurie Oswalt and Debbie High
December 20	COOKING	Sharon Dunn and Alene Hagwood
December 27	VIDEO	Luanne Osborne and Jeannie Gibbs

"The Rock" (3rd, 4th, 5th grade)

December 6	BIBLE	Sharon Dunn and Janice & Bobby Pridgen
December 13	COOKING	Phyllis Griffin and Linda Pridgen
December 20	VIDEO	Lynn Bradley and Brenda Bazemore
December 27	ART	Lisa Clark and Margie Holt

Thank you to all who spend time with the children of EUMC on Sunday morning and helping them to grow in their faith.



LOGOS NEWS!!!!

LOGOS welcomes children ages 3 years to 5th grade! The sessions are held each Wednesday beginning at 5:45 p.m. and end at 7:45 p.m. (2 hours). The evening begins with dinner at 5:45 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall along with the church family event Wednesday Night **GROW** (**G**etting **R**efreshed **O**n **W**ednesday). The children sit with table parents.

Following dinner and table activities, the children then move to classes in Music and Bible in the children's wing of the church.

LOGOS Themes and Menus for December:

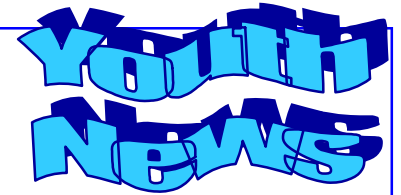
		<u>Theme</u>	<u>Menu</u>
December 2	5:45 p.m.	Pajama Night	Pancakes
December 9	5:45 p.m.	Christmas	Ham/Macaroni and Cheese

LOGOS and GROW will not meet again until January 6, 2010

MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR!



From the Red Backpack:



From the Red Backpack:

MOTHER AND CHILD

No mother ever loved her son,
 With every mother's tender love,
 More than young Mary loved this one,
 As angels sweetly sang above.
 Sing Alleluia, Allelu,
 Those angels sweetly sang above.

She kissed his little infant head,
 Still marked with bruises from his trip,
 And those first tears he ever shed,
 She let upon her shoulder drip.
 Sing Alleluia, Allelu,
 Those tears upon her shoulder dripped.

The babe reached out his perfect hand,
 And tightly grasped her trembling finger,
 Then he let go his mother and,
 A mark upon his palm did linger,
 Sing Alleluia, Allelu,
 That mark upon his palm still lingers.

In strips of cloth she wrapped him tight,
 And rocked sweet Jesus till he slept,
 In those first hours of morning light,
 She held our savior as she wept.
 Sing Alleluia, Allelu,
 She held our savior as she wept.

These things she treasured in her heart,
 And lay him down to manger dreams,
 The first time Mary's child would part,
 To rest his head on wooden beams.
 Sing Alleluia, Allelu,
 He rests his head on wooden beams.



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DECEMBER UMYF CALENDAR

<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>December 2</i>	6:00 pm	Bible Study
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>December 5</i>	10:00 am	Frolic in the Madness
<i>Sunday</i>	<i>December 6</i>	5:00 pm	Ladies Night Dinner
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>December 9</i>	6:00 pm	Bible Study
<i>Sunday</i>	<i>December 13</i>	5:00 pm	UMYF
<i>Sunday</i>	<i>December 20</i>	5:00 pm 7:00 pm	UMYF Youth Christmas Party at the Highs