

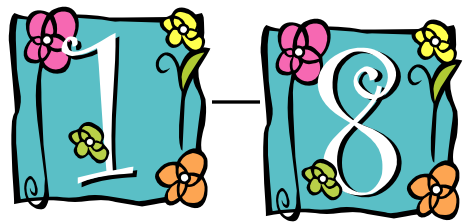


# Teddy Bear Broadcast

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St. Peter's Lutheran  
Early Childhood Center



This week in the teddy bear classroom we had a great deal of fun learning about Peter and the crippled man. We talked about how the crippled man had never been able to walk and after he was healed, he leapt for joy. We did rubbings of the bottom of our shoes, we played hide and seek with paper hands and feet, and we simply went outside and ran so we could feel our legs.

We also had fun learning about *Transportation*. We colored vehicle patterns, we made tracks in play dough, we used plastic straws and paint to create turkey tracks, we used Legos and yarn to create a freight train and we played with cars, trains and community tracks.

**Next Week's Theme:**  
*Thanksgiving & Books*

**Language Arts:**  
Letter Aa-Ii  
Potato Play  
My Book about Me!  
Thanksgiving Feast

**Science and math:**  
Numbers 1-8  
Pumpkin Pops  
Counting on 8



### Important Dates

- November 25<sup>th</sup> - Thanksgiving Feast @ 10:30  
School Closed at noon for Thanksgiving Day Break  
Day Care Open
- November 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> - School and Day Care Closed
- December (first and second week)  
Gather Christmas gifts for needy families
- December 8<sup>th</sup> - Early Childhood Center  
Christmas Program, 6:30 p.m.
- December 9<sup>th</sup> - Pajama Day in the ECC



**Bible Lesson**  
The angel visits Mary

**Bible Verse**  
*Sing for joy to God.*  
Psalm 81:1

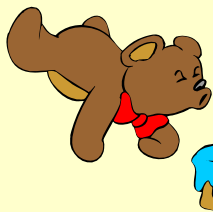
**Bible Activities**  
My Angel  
Coloring Wings



## Some Things to Know



Our Special Bear, Lily has gone on a vacation again, due to the aggressive flu season this year and multiple illnesses; Lilly is taking some time off as a preventive measure to lessen the children's chance of illness. I will prepare a new schedule when Lilly comes back to school and resumes her weekly trips home.



**November  
24th is Mrs.  
Rowland's  
Birthday!**

## Snack Helpers

Monday: Grant

Tuesday: Jacob

Wednesday: Thanksgiving Feast

*Please bring enough  
food for  
40 children.*



Questions or concerns?

Contact Mrs. Rowland or Mrs. Puccinelli @  
916.689.3050 or [kpuccinelli@splseagles.org](mailto:kpuccinelli@splseagles.org)

## Parent's Corner

### Christmas is Coming!

#### Christmas Families

As part of mission outreach, this year our classes will be adopting families that are in need for the Christmas season. This will be in place of the usual student gift exchange at the party on the last Friday. Instead we will ask our families to donate that money to our classroom adopted families. The Early Childhood Center has information about the family they have adopted. You can then either purchase a needed gift, join with another student to purchase something, or donate money to fill the needed items. We work with Love, INC (Love in the Name of Christ) for help these families. There are currently 148 families awaiting bed and who are sleeping on floors. This is our small part to help a few families with needs, brighten their Christmas with their families, and show God's love through us.

This year, our family has six children ranging in age from six to seventeen. We will be purchasing clothing, coats, food, and other gifts. There will be a "Giving Tree" by the entrance door to the preschool and another in the kindergarten room. You may take a tag from either tree, fill the need on the tag and bring it back wrapped, with the original tag.

Again, the purpose will be to help our students understand the concept of giving and sharing what God has given us.

Please watch the Friday notes for information and also for suggestions on how you can help. Thank you.

### Needs for the Week

- 2 boxes of Vanilla instant pudding
- 1 large can of pumpkin
- 1 jar of pumpkin spice
- 4 Five pound bags of flour
- 4 Five pound bags of sugar
- 4 large bags of semi-sweet chocolate chips

