

PRESCHOOL NEWS  
Final Edition  
May 30, 2007

Dear Preschool Parents,

I am hopeful you all were able to enjoy a wonderful Memorial Day weekend and that it is just the beginning of a great summer ahead. We are looking at the last four days of four year old preschool. It is absolutely amazing how quickly this year has gone. Mary Lou and I have enjoyed each and every moment with your preschooler and you. I look forward to the return of some of you next year as well as watching the growth and development next door as many move on to Kindergarten. Our first preschool class is now entering junior high here at St. Thomas and Mary Lou and I beam with pride when we watch them from afar.

Now on to the business at hand:

\* **Friday, June 1**- PM children will attend the All School Mass. Parents are invited to sit with us. Please arrive at preschool on time so that we may have a few moments in the room prior to heading over to church.

\* **Wednesday, June 6** - Our last day of school.

We will be having a SPRINKLER PARTY during the last hour of each class on June 6th. Please feel free to join us outside the Ministry Center for fun as we celebrate our last day together. The back playground area will be open and the sprinkler will be set on the grassy area next to the parking spaces. **YOU WILL NEED TO PARK YOUR CAR IN THE CHURCH PARKING LOT ON THIS DAY AS WE WILL HAVE CONES SET OUT FOR THE SAFETY OF THE PRESCHOOLERS.**

Send your child to school with their bathing suit on UNDER their clothes. If possible, please put their name on their beach towel. Send them in sandals and put sun screen on them at home. We will be out in the sun for about an hour. Snacks will be served in our room prior to going outside (SEE SIGN UP SHEET IN THE CLASSROOM) however we will be giving popsicles out during the last 15 minutes or so outside.

In the event of rain, we will still celebrate our last hour together in the room with some fun activities, please still join us if you can.

Saying good bye is always tough. Your preschooler may struggle with the upcoming "last day" and the unknown of what comes next. Please know we are gently easing into our final day by keeping things as routine as possible. Report cards will be in your child's folder on their last day of school.

Any questions, please feel free to give me a call. Again, thanks for a great year!