

# Sunday School

## PARENTS CORNER

### Murphy's Message to the Kids

God's Wonder Lab Scientists! What an amazing vacation Bible school theme. The kids are not only learning about the Miracles of Jesus but we are having a lot of fun with the crafts, games and science experiments. And, I have a new friend, Dr. Ozzy the spotted owl and all the scientist friends that have joined us for our five week program. Have you had a chance to meet all of them? It is so exciting to make new friends—the furry kind and those that aren't quite so furry!



Special Thank You to all of our helpers who have made God's Wonder Lab so special: Eileen Blumhardt-Butler, Famang Dorley, Sharon Hayes, Carleen Jackson, Danika Goldstein, Dee Goldstein, Meghan Walsh, Justin Downie, Shoena Mohr, Jim Linman, Sr., Jim Linman, Jr., Bob Grimes, Marietta Poldrack, Pastor Rachel, Lynn Ferguson and our amazing team of cooks and our always patient AV Team.

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### Horton ... Our Elephant

We want to introduce everyone to Horton our adopted elephant. Horton is an African elephant that is currently housed in the safety of a nature preserve. Horton is one of God's endangered species and our Sunday School children are caring for him through their tithes and offerings. We will be using Horton to introduce the children to the diverse challenges facing God's animal kingdom and how we, as God's hands and feet, can make a difference. If you are passionate about being a steward in God's kingdom, we encourage you to come join us in our adoption and drop your change in our "pink whale bank" in the Sunday School area.

We will be holding Sunday School during the summer with a special Sunday curriculum and activities for our children. Please note that beginning July 17 we will return to our normal schedule of crafts and welcome at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School lessons at 10:00 a.m. and Children's Worship after prayers of the people. On the 2nd and 4th Sundays the Praise Team leads the children in songs and joyful praise.

We would love to hear your feedback on Sunday School and our recent God's Wonder Lab Summer Bible School (VBS).

How did your children enjoy the format?

Did you feel that your child was able to share the lesson each week?

Is there something your child particularly likes that we should continue to incorporate?

In the fall we would like to look to expand our classes to offer a lower elementary and an upper elementary class. If you are interested in teaching every other Sunday, we would love to have you join our team. We are looking for two additional teachers to join us

Your Sunday School Team

