



Thank you for meeting with Mrs. Herrold during the Zoom parent teacher conferences. **If you haven't done so already, please remember to return your child's portfolio to school.** We will continue to add pages throughout the rest of the school year.

Thank you for all the help for our Valentine's Day Party!

We started the month of February hearing the story about Zacchaeus, during our Jesus time. We learned that Jesus loves us all no matter how tall or short we are! This past week we learned about Bartimaeus, a man who was blind before Jesus healed his eyes. In early January, the Lutheran Church remembers the baptism of Jesus by John the Baptist. Christ our Lord says in the last chapter of Matthew, "Therefore go and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit." Pastor Klein would welcome your inquiries about baptism for you or your children.



We are beginning our study of emotions. I always have found that children need to learn the words to express how they are feeling. This year is even a little trickier because of our masks. In the past, we would practice making "feeling" faces as well as using our words to express how we are feeling. This year we will concentrate on using our words to tell others how we are feeling. I would ask that you would work with your child at home, making the different faces that express how they are feeling. We are making our faces under the masks and looking to see if a person's eyes can tell us how they are feeling.

This week we have also been practicing using scissors. The children cut tape to create pictures. We have also been exploring lights and shadows during our free choice time.

