



# NEWSletter

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**The Mission of Faith Child Care, Inc.:** “to provide quality Christian child care for families of the Fox Valley community in a nurturing environment that fosters developmentally appropriate growth.”

## *News and Notes from the Director*

“In a little stable, Far across the sea, Was a little Baby, Just like you and me. Shepherds stood around Him, Angels watched with care, For this Babe was Jesus, Lying, smiling there. Oh I love this Jesus, Who was little then. For He surely loves me, Little though I am.” (Christmas Hymn)

The theme of our children’s program this year is “Born in a Stable”. The children will sing about the night of Jesus’ birth and share their love for Him. We hope that you can join us at 5 PM on December 13th to hear their beautiful message.

A reminder that 2019 contracts were due in the office on Monday, December 10th. If you have not already done so, please return your child’s as soon as possible so that we can get them scheduled for January. Because of the split week, new fees will go into effect as of January 7th. Children currently in 4K will keep their current contract until the end of the AASD school year in June.

The staff and I have completed and submitted all of our YoungStar paperwork. We are now waiting to hear when our four-week window for our formal rating will begin.

My wish this Christmas for each of you is that you know how loved you are by your Heavenly Father, and that you find ways to pass that love on to everyone in your life.

On a personal note ... I will be out of the office from December 31 through January 4th to celebrate Christmas with my daughter and her family in Ohio. Please contact Lori if you have any questions or concerns during my absence. Christmas Blessings to you and your families, Miss Sandy

Faith Child Care is looking for two people who are interested in becoming members of our Board of Directors. Each position is a three-year term, beginning in February 2019. The members we are replacing have backgrounds in early childhood and public relations. Please speak with Sandy Amundson if you are interested in one of these positions or submit a letter of interest to her by Monday, January 10th.

- Max-12/1
- “Miss” Kendra– 12/6
- Anna-12/10
- Owen-12/13
- Paitin-12/14
- Katelynn-12/16
- Sam-12/20
- Payton-12/24



Please join us for the Christmas program at 5PM on December 14th in the sanctuary of Faith Lutheran Church. Join us afterwards for a birthday party for Jesus in the Fellowship Hall of the church.



## Future Events:

December 4-Fundraiser Pick up starting at 4 pm

December 7-Eagles visit Shopko to pick out Toys for Tots

**December 13-Christmas Program-5:00 pm**

December 17- Mr. Shane visits the Grasshoppers & Willows

December 24 & 25-Faith Child Care is Closed-Merry Christmas

January 1-Happy New Year!-Faith Child Care is Closed

January 18-Mr. Shane visits the Grasshoppers & Willows

## OUR FAITH FAMILY GROWS AGAIN!!!!

We welcome the Birkholz family to Faith Child Care!

We rejoice with the Biesterveld family in the birth of Lillian and the DeJager family in the birth of Wesley!

A HUGE THANK YOU to everyone who participated in our Fall Fundraiser and gave Un-fundraiser donations. Our total profit between both of them was \$9

The TenHaken family was the winner of the \$25 Target gift card. Their total sales were \$295.

## OPERATION OUTREACH

THANK YOU TO everyone who donated non-perishable items for the Salvation Army. We collected over 60 items! It looks like our Operation Outreach for December is off to a great start! Please place your unwrapped item under the tree by December 12th.