#### Music time:

Music time is the first thing we do when the kids arrive and Pastor Eric does a great job of getting them moving and singing!

#### Snack time:

We serve a variety of foods for snack time. Please let us know of any food allergies by filling out the WOW registration form.

#### Bible story time:

We share the Bible story in a very visual and engaging way by using vibrant felt boards. The detail is amazing and the children have the opportunity to participate in the sharing of these stories.



# Craft time:

Our craft projects are either connected to the Bible story or our Christian faith.

#### Game time:

We choose active games. Sometimes the games are related to the story for the day and other times they are kid favorites. Whatever the game, we aim to get them moving!



#### Prayer time:

To wrap up our WOW session, we review the Bible story and close in prayer.

### Children's Choir:

Children's choir meets immediately after WOW until 5:00 p.m. and is for students in grades 1-5. (Kindergarteners too if they have an older sibling attending and parents feel they are ready.) If interested in choir, fill out a registration form online or find a form on the shelf by the church office.

# WOW (Word On Wednesday) 2018-2019



All Saints Lutheran Church Norwood Young America, MN 952-467-3388 www.allsaintsnya.org

#### Goals:

WOW is an after school program for grades 1-5 held on Wednesdays. All children in the community are welcome. Kindergarten students can attend if they have an older sibling attending and the parents feel their kindergartner is ready for this experience. WOW includes snacks, music, games, Bible stories, prayer, and crafts.

WOW is in place to help children further develop and deepen their relationship with Jesus Christ, strengthen their faith, and encourage them to share that faith in Jesus with others. The WOW program is a safe, encouraging, positive place for elementary children to be Wednesdays after school.

#### **Bussing:**

Free bussing is available for Central Elem. students.

Students who go to other schools are encouraged to attend WOW, but need to work out their own transportation.

#### Absences:

When the WOW bus arrives we take attendance to make sure we have everyone. Therefore, **we need parents to contact All Saints if their child will be absent from WOW**, just as they would contact the school to report an absence.

#### 2018-2019 WOW Schedule:

Sept 19 WOW: Building the Ark Sept 26 WOW: The Big Flood & The 1<sup>st</sup> Rainbow Oct 3 WOW: Isaac a Peacemaker Oct 10 WOW: Miriam Becomes a Leper Oct 17 No WOW, MEA break Oct 24 WOW: An Angel Appears to Gideon Oct 31 No WOW, Halloween Nov 7 WOW: Ruth & Naomi Nov 14 WOW: Ruth & Boaz Nov 21 No WOW, Thanksgiving Nov 28 WOW: A Disobedient Son Dec 5 WOW: Jesus' Birthday Party Dec 12, 19, 26 No WOW, Christmas Break WOW: Sermon on Mount & Woman@Well Jan 2 Jan 9 WOW: Jesus Takes Care of Us Jan 16 WOW: A Story about Seeds Jan 23 WOW: Peter Saved From Drowning Jan 30 WOW: Forgiving One Another Feb 6 WOW: Loving Jesus w/all Our Hearts Feb 13 WOW: The Pharisee & The Publican Feb 20 WOW: Jesus Visits Mary & Martha Feb 27 WOW: A Lost Boy Came Back Mar 6 No WOW, Ash Wednesday Mar 13 WOW: Saul Gives His Heart to Jesus Mar 20 WOW: Paul Becomes a Missionary Mar 27 No WOW, Central Spring Break

Apr 3 WOW: Last day party



#### WOW fee:

The WOW fee is \$30 per child for the year with a family maximum of \$60. Scholarships are available. Please talk to Pastor Eric.

#### **Registration Form:**

The enclosed registration form must be completed for your child. Or you can go online to fill it out and pay the fee. A new form is required each year.

## Time frame:

The children arrive at the church about 3:00 p.m. WOW lasts until 4:30 p.m. Parents must come into the church building and down to the fellowship hall to pick up their children. Children will not be released to find their parents.

