

April is here with the warmer weather, sunnier skies and bluebonnets. We are so fortunate and thankful to share the gift of Easter with you and your families. We hope you will read and spend time talking with your children about Jesus and the Easter Story....find a good book and share it at home!

SPRING FLING
Saturday April 5th

Bring your family and friends on Saturday, April 5th, between 9:30 & 12:30 for games, bouncy houses and snow cones on the large playground. Pre-ordered food will be provided by James Coney Island from 11:30-12:30. Bring lawn chairs and blankets and join the fun.

Don't forget to volunteer for a forty-five minute slot at your classroom booth. Everyone giving time makes Spring Fling successful! Ten dollar donations from each family are used towards prizes. Thank you to Alicia Flick and Wendy Gibbs for chairing this event—see you Saturday, April 5th!

MUNCHIES WITH MOM

Moms, join us Wednesday, April 2nd and Friday April 4th for munchies, orange juice and coffee. Check with your class to confirm your special day and morning time.



Dates to Remember

April 2 & 4: Munchies with Mom



April 15: 9:15-9:30 All School Chapel (Butterflies through Kindergarten)

April 15 & 16 - School Pictures

April 18 & 21: Easter Holiday

April 30: Preschool Begins

May 1: **May 2015 TUITION DUE**

May 22: Last Day of School



BIBLE
VERSE:

“Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here:
HE HAS RISEN”
Luke 24:5-6



APRIL Service Project



Our service project this month is the Open Door Mission, which serves homeless men. We will be collecting body soap, men's deodorant, toothbrushes, toothpaste, men's socks, shower slippers, pen/pencils, spiral notebooks, highlighters and drawing tablets.



Website:
www.opendoormission.org



“WILDERNESS ESCAPE”

“Where God Guides and Provides”

Pines Vacation Bible School will be the week of June 16-20 from 9:00-noon. Children must be 3 1/2 years old and potty trained by June 1st to attend. For more information call Mary Sterner at 713-467-2234 or mary@pinespc.org. Registration has begun.

FIRE ENGINE TO VISIT PINES

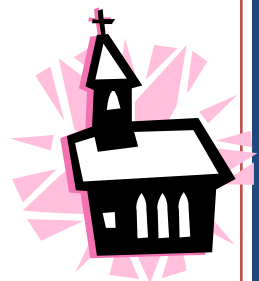
On Wednesday, April 30th, the fire engine is scheduled to visit the Pines. Hopefully, it will not be called away to a fire! Ask your children about the “big red truck.”



SCHOOL CHAPEL

Parents Invited!

On Tuesday, April 15th, the preschool will have a school chapel from 9:15-9:30 for the Butterflies through Kindergarten classes in the Sanctuary. Please join the pastors as they share the Easter Story with the children.



REMINDERS

- Families registered for next year must pay the **MAY 2015** deposit by Thursday, May 1st., to ensure placement for the Fall. **Remember, May 2014 Lunch Bunch fees will be due**, even though the tuition is prepaid for **THIS** May (2014).
- **Tuition is due on the 1st of each month and late after the 5th .**
- As a reminder, Pines Preschool does not offer a summer program.
- Praying parents meet on Mondays from 9:05-9:20 in W-13. Each week they pray for each child by going through the directory one name at a time. They also pray for each teacher and any other prayer request for the school. We are so thankful that we are located in the House of God where we can ask for his help in all things.
- *Lenten Prayers at Pines - 12:00 noon to 12:30pm April 5, 12, 19*



Pines Church Holy Week Schedule

Sunday, April 13th: 9:30 & 11:00 - Palm Sunday Services

Wednesday, April 16th: 12 noon - 12:30 pm

Thursday, April 17th: Maundy Thursday Service 7:00-8:00pm

Friday, April 18th: Good Friday Service - 12:00noon-1:00pm

SUNDAY, APRIL 20th EASTER SERVICES:

7:00-8:00 AM: Sunrise Service (Bendwood Park)

9:30-10:30 AM: Worship Service (Sanctuary)

10:30-10:50 AM: Easter Egg Hunt for the children

11:00-noon: Worship Service (Sanctuary)

CLASS PICTURES

Class pictures will be taken on Wednesday and Thursday, April 16 & 17th. Forms to order pictures will go home the week of April 7th and due in the office by Tuesday, April 15th. Check with your class to see which day your pictures will be taken.

God Bless you,

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