For Unto Us a Child is Born

ROTATION OVERVIEW:

Sunday School Time Schedule:

10:00 Students meet with shepherds in workshop locations.

10:05 Lesson Begins

10:40 Closure

10:45 Closing Begins in the Choir Room Upstairs

10:55 Sunday School Ends. Parents pick up children from the Choir Room.



Memory Verse: Isaiah 9:6 (NRSV)

For a child has been born for us, a son given to us; authority rests upon his shoulders; and he is named Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

Scripture Reference: Isaiah 9:6-7

GOALS AND OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the rotation, the students will:

- be able to find Isaiah 9:6-7 in their Bibles.
- memorize Isaiah 9:6.
- understand that Jesus is our <u>Wonderful Counselor</u> and practice talking to Him in prayer.
- understand that Jesus is our <u>Mighty God</u> who insulates us with His love even when our lives get over heated.
- understand the reference to <u>Everlasting Father</u> as One who created the world, has always been with His people, is there for us now and will be for us and all people in the future.

- Students will understand that Jesus is the <u>Prince of Peace</u>.
 He wants us to care for and love others as we do for ourselves.
- Students will be able to make the connection between the OT prophecy of Jesus Birth and the fulfillment of that prophecy.

Workshop Descriptions:

<u>Singing and Ringing</u>: In this workshop, students will be learning a portion of Handel's Messiah, "For Unto Us A Child is Born." In addition, they will be using choir chimes to accompany traditional Christmas carols.

Cooking: We are so excited about this workshop in particular! How many of you have ever gotten to make a Baked Alaska? Students will focus on Jesus our Mighty God as they make a Baked Alaska. Our Mighty God protects us from "melting" just like the meringue protects the ice cream.

Holywood Studio: "The Nativity" - starring the voices of Gregory Harrison as Joseph, Helen Hunt as Mary, and Vincent Price as King Herod

All Roads lead to Bethlehem as God fulfills a prophecy and a promise to mankind and a Child is born in a stable beneath a shining star. On a sure-footed donkey, Mary and Joseph make the difficult journey from Nazareth, where Mary will give birth to her son. The Three Magi ride their camels out of distant lands to worship the new-born king. From Jerusalem, mad King Herod sends his Roman Legionnaires, mounted on fine horses, to find the Child he fears. And at the bidding of the Angel of the Lord, humble shepherds make their way on foot from their fields and flocks to pay homage to the Christ Child.