

**The following should be done
DAILY:**

- 1. Sing 2 songs from Conscious Discipline**
- 2. Do breathing exercises**
- 3. Review the classroom rules**
- 4. Utilize the Feelings chart to identify big feelings with students**
- 5. Identify those who are absent**
- 6. Pray for those who are absent and for your classroom that day.**
- 7. Pray individually with each student as they come in**
- 8. Talk about the Bible story while changing diapers and or potty training.**
- 9. Read at least 2 books to the class - Great times to do that are while the lunch is being put out, nap time is starting, or at the end of the day.**
- 10. Incorporate God into all aspects of the curriculum throughout the day!**

Curriculum Activity:

Items you will need –

- “All You Need for a Snowman” by Alice Schertle
- Sturdy cardboard
- Liter bottles
- Ball



Ahead of time, make snowmen from something sturdy and attach them to liter bottles.

Read book with one or two children at a time. Show the children the set of bowling pins and let children bowl and knock them over.

Art Activity:

Items you will need –

- Dark construction paper
- Sugar
- Water
- Colored chalk



Place a child in a high chair and place a smock on them. Put 50% water and 50% sugar into a container in front of the child. Watch the sugar dissolve and then talk about even though we can't see Jesus, He's there with us, even though the sugar dissolved, it's still there. We are always able to talk to Jesus even though we can't see Him. Let the children then dip colored chalk into the water/sugar solution and make swirls on a dark piece of construction paper. The sugar will sparkle when dry.

Bible Activity:

Bible Story: "Jesus Read a Scroll"

Verse: 1 John 4:7

Items you will need –

- Bible story picture with story and song printed on the back of it
- Puzzles
- Bible
- New Testament Bibles for each child
 - ❖ As a child works a puzzle, talk about the people who listened carefully when Jesus read the Bible at church.
 - ❖ Show the child your personal Bible. Let him turn the pages carefully
 - ❖ Look at the Bible story picture and tell the story. Sing the Bible Song.
 - ❖ Remind the child that Jesus told the people the words He read from the Bible were about Him. Give each child a New Testament Bible.

Colors/Shapes:

Items you will need:

- 3 small paper plates per child
- Black pom pom's
- Orange craft foam
- Small sticks
- White cotton balls
- Glue



Ahead of time, cut orange craft foam into small, long triangles for snowman noses. Glue the plates together to make a snowman.

Work with children two at a time. Lay all the pieces on the table. Give each child a snowman body. Have the children glue the different shapes onto the snowman. As they glue on the shapes, talk about the color and shape of each piece. Add the sticks for arms.

Books:

Read the following stories multiple times this week:

- "Frozen Noses" by Jan Carr
- "Hello Snow" by Hope Vestergard
- "One Winter's Day" by Christine Butler
- "A Very Special Snowflake" by Dan Hoffman
- "Snowballs" by Lois Ehlert
- "Snowie Rolie" by William Joyce
- "Snow Day! Snow Play!" by Jenne Armstrong
- "A Little Bit of Winter" by Paul Stewart

Song:

Sing this song several times throughout the week:

"Snowflakes and Cupcakes"

"Dance Like Snowflakes"

"Snowflakes, Snowflakes"

"Snowflakes Falling Down"

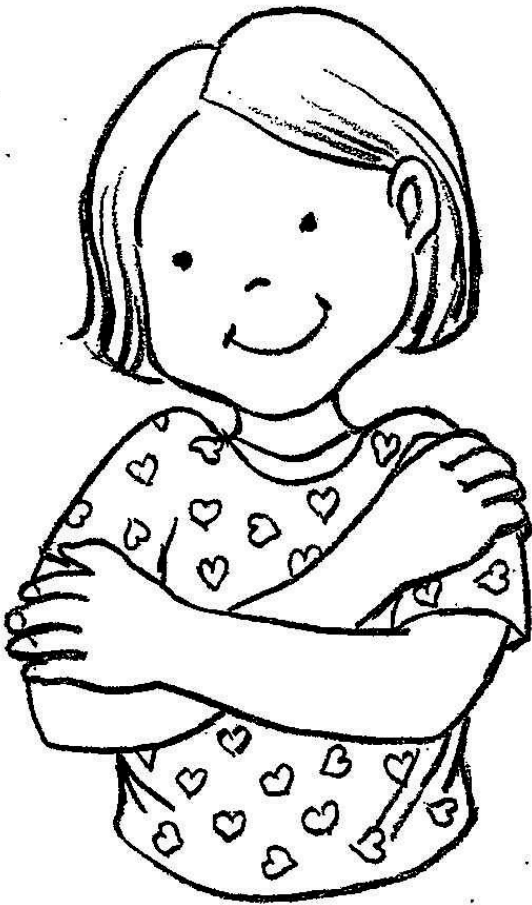
Bible Story:
"Jesus Read the Scroll"
Luke 4:16-22

- **Jesus went to church.**
- **A church helper gave Jesus the Bible scroll. All the people listened.**
- **Jesus said: "The words in the Bible are about Me. The words are true."**
- **The people thought about the things Jesus said to them.**

Bible Song:
Sung to "Mulberry Bush"
Jesus read the Bible at church, Bible at
church,
Bible at church;
Jesus read the Bible at church,
And all the words were true.



1 John 4:7



Love

(Hug self.)



comes from God.

(Wiggle fingers as hands move down from the sky, like rain.)

Snowflakes and Cupcakes

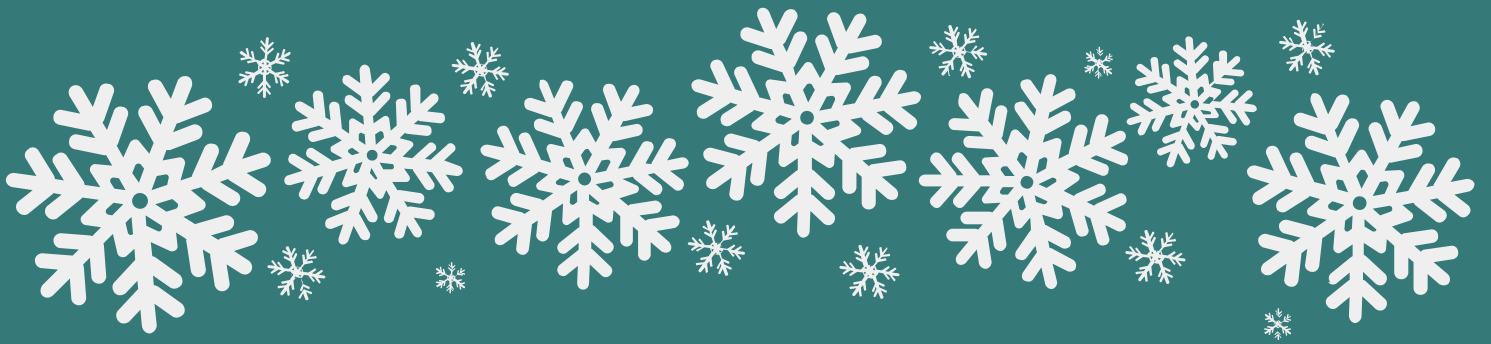
(Tune: Raindrops and Lemon Drops)

If all the snowflakes were chocolate
covered cupcakes
Oh, what a snow it would be!

I'd go outside with my mouth open
wide. Ah, ah, ah, ah, ah, ah ah.

If all of the snowflakes were
chocolate covered cupcakes
Oh, what a snow it would be!





Dance like Snowflakes

(Tune: Frère Jacques)

Dance like snowflakes,
Dance like snowflakes,

In the air,

In the air.

Whirling, twirling
snowflakes,

Whirling, twirling
snowflakes.

Here and there,

Here and there.

Snowflakes, Snowflakes

(Tune: Twinkle Twinkle)

Snowflakes falling
One bye one,
Time to play and have
some fun.
Build a snowman
Snowballs too
Come and see what you
can do.
Snowflakes falling
One by one
Time to plat and have
some fun.





Snowflakes Falling Down

(Tune: Row, Row, Row your boat)

Snowflakes
falling down,
Falling to the
ground.
Big white fluffy
flakes
that do not
make a sound.

