

# News from the Two's February

February is a month to celebrate Love, our love for one another and God's Love for us. We begin with groundhog puppets made from recycled materials. We love the earth. The Mitten by Jan Brett offers us an opportunity to see how many animals we can fit in a mitten. We try on many mittens of different colors and match them into pairs. We use fine motor skills to practice lacing mittens for our door tags. "The Parable of the Prodigal Son" shows a parents love knows no bounds. We will be making Valentine cards for the homebound members of First Presbyterian Church for our class Outreach Mission program.

Mary Wore Her Red Dress is our BIG BOOK by Merle Peek. We review colors and learn a great new color song. We match tiles with pictures of the colored clothes from our story. What color are we wearing today?

**Our Valentine Party is approaching. Individual treats please remember the school is tree nut free. We will be making Valentine's Bags in class to bring home our goodies. Please make sure each treat has a child's name on it. We are working on recognizing our own name. Our party is a Pizza Party with fruit. The dates are Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> and Friday the 15<sup>th</sup> at 11:00.**

The end of February is when we hold our 2 ½ Parent Teacher conferences. The sign-up was sent out via Email. You will receive an information sheet with discussion topics and have an opportunity to express concerns you would like to discuss.

**School event for February 19 and 20 is a PJ and Cereal Day. Please sign up for supplies and wear your jammies!**

**We need:**

**1 Family BOX Fruit Loops and Lucky Charms 1 Gallon 2% Milk Cups Bowls Spoons Napkins**

Children best grasp the reality of God's love when they experience its expression at home. We can teach them about His love as we embody the qualities of our heavenly Father. **God is love. God cares. God initiates.**

**God's love comforts us like a hug,  
Mrs. Craft, Mrs. Woltjen, and Mrs. Craney**

