

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.

Our Valentine Party is approaching February 10th. 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.

EAT BREAKFAST WITH YOUR TEACHERS PJ DAY for February 23rd wear socks and shoes. Each student will bring in a small zippy of their favorite cereal and the box for a project. We need 1 gallon whole milk, 1pkg unopened cereal bowls, 1pkg unopened spoons, 1 package unopened cups.

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 and Mrs. Clark