

RENEW

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News

A Sower went out to sow... The Parable of the Sower is a great story in the Bible. It can be found in Mark 4:1-9. It is a story or parable that Jesus told to help others learn about God's love. Today our focus was on how God's love is a seed in me. God planted the seed of Jesus in my heart so that I can grow in my relationship with Jesus. So you can imagine, we did a lot with seeds today!

We moved like seeds, planted seeds, ate seeds, looked for seeds, examined seeds, and made cards with seeds. All to help us remember that God's love is a seed in me!

Tonight talk with your kids about what that means that God's love is a seed in them... in us. What can God's love do in my heart? How can I share God's seed of love with others?

My child came home with a pot of seeds! What do I do with them? Each day your child will come home with a new pot that contains a different seed type. Today was Tomato! By the end of the week you will have the makings of a pizza garden! So what do I do with them? Our recommendation is to keep the soil moist by spritzing with water. Keep them in a window sill with sunlight, but where they are still protected. When they are about 3 inches tall you can transplant them to the outside or a garden in a large pot. The seeds are organic and should produce a great crop! Your child may have come home with more additional seeds in the seed packet. Use them however you would like.



Watermark is here this week with us sharing their musical talents! They will be leading music in the sanctuary for opening and closing. We will even see them around the building tagging along with the different traveling groups. Matt, Henriette, Scott, and Kevin are a great group of young adults. Coming in the Elementary entrance, there are some items for sale that will help support their ministry... and you can find out more about them!

Mission Moments Each morning during our opening, we will be taking an offering of water. Water to help those who do not have access to clean water. There are 2 organizations we are supporting through this moment. Hearts with Hands is a local group that brings water and other supplies to places that have been affected by disasters. We are collecting bottled water (from the grocery store) to donate to their efforts. We are also collecting financial donations which will be donated to Lutheran World Relief as they help to "fill the well." These resources will help to build wells in impoverished areas of the world where there isn't a consistent access to clean water.



Have more questions about ReNew or Nativity Lutheran Church? Feel free to contact me! I'd love to hear from you!
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