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House of the Father

"I will be a Father to you,
and you will be my sons
and daughters, says
the Lord Almighty."
2 Corinthians 6 v 18

EMBRACING THE OUTDOORS

We believe in the importance of outdoor play for babies, providing them with a safe, joyful environment to explore and grow. Each day, the little ones are encouraged to engage with nature, feeling the grass beneath their feet, hearing the birds chirp, and discovering the world around them. This outdoor time not only boosts their physical development but also nurtures their curiosity and social skills. Watching their smiles as they play together is a reminder of the power of fresh air and freedom in shaping happy, healthy children



RAISING LITTLE HELPERS



Raising children to do chores is an important way to teach responsibility, teamwork, and life skills. By involving kids in tasks like setting the table, sweeping, or helping with laundry, they learn the value of contributing to the household and the satisfaction that comes from completing a job. Chores also help children develop a strong work ethic, independence, and a sense of pride in their accomplishments. With a little guidance and consistency, these habits can set them up for success in the future.

BUILDING FOUNDATIONS

From a young age, activities like playing with blocks, catching a ball, or even assembling puzzles can improve hand-eye coordination. Strengthening this coordination not only boosts physical abilities but also enhances cognitive development, helping children with tasks that require focus, timing, and fine motor skills. Our pre-schoolers enjoy many activities that stimulate their development in preparation for “big school”.



VALENTINE'S DAY

Valentine's Day is a wonderful day to celebrate with our children, to teach them about love, kindness, and friendship. It's a chance for children to express their affection for family, friends, and classmates in a fun and creative way. Our learners got to dress up for school and bought gifts to give away. The toddlers and staff wore red and enjoyed some much-loved finger painting. Through simple activities, they learn the value of giving and receiving love, making Valentine's Day a heartwarming experience for everyone involved.



NOAH'S PARK

For children aged 3 to 6, Solid Ground Church hosts Noah's Park each Sunday, where our youngsters enjoy a delightful blend of fun and learning. Through interactive stories, lively songs, and creative crafts, they experience the joy of discovering new lessons about faith, kindness, and friendship. The playful atmosphere encourages them to explore spiritual values in a way that feels exciting and meaningful. Sunday School becomes a special time where they not only grow spiritually but also build lasting memories, laughter, and friendships with their peers.

A Personal Note

Greetings friends,

Although we are approaching the end of summer, the weather has been particularly hot and humid, with plenty of showers adding to the humidity! Despite the heat, our children have been enjoying their time outdoors, playing, exploring, and making the most of the sunshine in between the rain. Their laughter and energy are a reminder of the joy that fills this place, even on the warmest days.

Our school children have been thriving as well, diving into their studies with enthusiasm and eagerness. It is wonderful to see their growth, both academically and personally, as they continue to build bright futures.

However, as always, we face the challenge of meeting the growing needs of the children under our care. The financial support we receive is essential to providing them with the education, shelter, food, and nurturing environment they need to flourish. We are incredibly grateful to those of you who have faithfully supported us throughout the year. Your generosity is making a lasting impact in their lives, and we couldn't do it without you.

Sharing our news with your extended family, work colleagues, friends and business associates helps make our home and needs known. Whether it's a one-time donation or ongoing support, every contribution makes a difference in the lives of these children.

Your partnership allows us to continue providing them with the love, care, and opportunities they deserve. Thank you for your unwavering support and belief in our mission. Together, we are helping to create a brighter future for these children.

With gratitude,
Loressa, Staff and Children



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