



# Church of the Savior Preschool Principal's Corner Newsletter

April 2024

*Astronomical April*

*Happy Earth Day!*

Dear Families,

I hope everyone had a wonderful Easter holiday and break. It didn't really feel like spring weather here in New Jersey, but I'm sure the week off and time spent with family made up for it.

The month of April started off with a shake, rattle, and roll, as New Jersey and the northeast experienced a 4.8 magnitude earthquake! This was the most significant earthquake to impact North Jersey since 1884. In addition, we will be witnessing a solar eclipse today, Monday, April 8<sup>th</sup>. It only makes sense that April is the month that we celebrate Earth Day!

The children will be celebrating Earth Day, here at COS, by planting a butterfly garden, making Earth Day crafts, and having a small in-house science fair with the 4-year-old classes who will create a class science project. I will read a story to the children related to Earth Day!

In addition to the Earth Day festivities, the 4-year-old classes will be getting a visit from Roxy the Recycling Raccoon, on Friday, April 12. This program, sponsored by the Bergen County Utilities Authority, will be a fun and informative program for the children, to let them know of the importance of recycling and taking care of our earth!

Please make a note that our summer camp registration is now open! This summer we will be adding a junior camp, for those children between the ages of 2 ½ and 3 years of age! Our regular school registration is also open and ongoing. Please be sure to register for next year, as classes are filling up.

Just a reminder, if your child will be absent, please make sure that you notify the office, so that we can maintain proper records and have an accurate count of the number of children we have in the building. This is a state requirement.

Stay well and safe everyone.

Best,

Alex Cavaliere

**Dates to remember:**

**April 8-** Return to school and solar eclipse

**April 8-**Roxy the Raccoon recycling program for the 4-year-old classes

**April 22-** Earth Day celebrations 3's & 4's

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Psalm 24:1-2

The earth is the LORD's and all that is in it, the world, and those who live in it; for God has founded it on the seas and established it on the rivers.