



Miss Nisbet's

Weekly Newsletter
September 19 – 23, 2022

Unit of Study: Zoo Animals

Bible Story: Birth of Samuel – God Hears Hannah's Prayer

Bible Verse: "Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: rejoice!" Philippians 4:

Share Time: Children may bring one item from home that reminds them of the zoo

S.P.A. Jingle: Elephant E says, "E, E, E, E, Elephant. Pick me up, I say you can't."

Academics to Practice this Week: **Color:** brown **Shape:** oval **Number:** 8

Featured Composer: Ludwig van Beethoven

Home Enrichment Activities:

- Practice writing letters and numbers together using a homemade sand tray. Sprinkle a thin layer of sand or soil onto a flat surface, such as a box lid or shallow plastic tub. Spread it evenly, so that the sand is covering the bottom. Use your pointer finger to demonstrate how to write different letters and numbers in the sand, starting with our letter of the week: E, e and our number of the week: 8. You may extend this activity further by having your child practice drawing shapes or writing their name.
- Have a family day at the zoo! Go and see the wild and funny animals God has made. Discuss with your child which animals are their favorites and why.
- Invite your child to make a zoo at home using their stuffed animals. Have your child help you sort the animals and put each kind into a box or some kind of container to represent their zoo enclosure. Now you and your child can be the zookeepers! Ask your child what they think a zookeeper does. Make sure you wash and feed your zoo animals!
- Help your child make a list of things to pray for this week. Remind them that we can talk to God about all different kinds of things! We can ask God for help, pray for others, and thank God for His provisions. At the end of the week, review the list with your child and identify ways you have experienced God listening to your prayers just as He listened to Hannah's prayer in our Bible story this week.

Special Snack: Our class will be making muffins next Thursday, September 29th. Please use the sign-up sheet, on the window, if you wish to donate items. Thank you!



**God Bless,
Miss Bonni Nisbet**

