

# A Kids' Club Passport To Adventure



## Travel Log: December 2018

### EXPLORING DEEP BLUE SHORES

This month in *Deep Blue Kids Church*, we are learning about Advent and preparing for Christmas. We are learning about Jesus' birth and also more about his mom, Mary, and his dad, Joseph.

This month we'll see the Deep Blue Kids (Asia, Kat, Edgar and Caleb) celebrate Advent by decorating, baking cookies, traveling to visit family, lighting an Advent wreath and more. What are special traditions your family has that help you celebrate this joyous season?

Check out the Advent/Christmas board on Pinterest at <https://www.pinterest.com/DeepBlueKids/adventChristmas> for more creative ways to celebrate Advent and prepare for Christmas with your family!

### DECEMBER SCRIPTURE FOCUS:

#### \*Mary: (Luke 1:26-38)

- An angel tells Mary that she will have a son. A Son that will be named Jesus.

#### \*Joseph, Mary and Jesus: (Luke 2:1-20)

- Jesus is born.

Because of our upcoming Winter Break, we won't be able to explore some of our December scriptures as much as we would like to, in class. If you would like to dive deeper as a family, feel free to extend your learning to include:

#### \*Elizabeth and Zechariah (Luke 1:5-25)

- An angel tells Zechariah that Elizabeth will have a son, who will be named John.

#### \*Mary and Elizabeth (Luke 1:39-66)

-Families celebrate with Joy

#### \*Simeon and Anna (Luke 2:25-38)

-Families love and celebrate together

### DEEP BLUE INCENTIVES:

As we continue to collect our "Warm Fuzzies" towards more goals, we'd love your help! There are many ways you can help your child/ren earn more warm fuzzies for our jar, including:

\*Encourage the kids to bring their Bibles, if they have one.

\*Encourage your kids to complete and return any bonus work they might bring home

\*Look over the family take home sheet with your child. See what we're learning. Sign it and have them bring it back!

\*Do an extra chore to bring in some change for our Angel Tree Mission Project.

\*Watch our "Deep Blue Kids of St. Paul's United Methodist Church" Facebook page for more fun challenges!

We're so CLOSE to another party! The kids love to add fuzzies to the jar each week and it's fun to see all the participation and effort they give in the process!

## DEEP BLUE KIDS CHURCH:

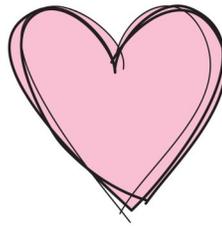
**Sunday Mornings at 9:30am**

Join us on Sunday Mornings for Kids' Club! Each Sunday we invite kids Pre-K through 4th grand to join us in the Children's Corner where we'll introduce and explore a brand new Bible adventure! During the month of December we'll also be hard at work finishing up our Christmas Musical, "Straight Outta Bethlehem"



**"In the depths of who I am,  
I rejoice in God my Savior."**

**Luke 1:47**



## UPCOMING EVENTS:

**Sunday, December 16th at 4:00PM**

Plan to join us for music and a heart-warming message with this year's annual Christmas Musical:  
**STRAIGHT OUTTA BETHLEHEM**

## WINTER BREAK:

Our last KIDS CLUB 611 for 2018 will be  
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 12th

Our last SUNDAY MORNING CLUB for  
2018 will be SUNDAY, DEC. 16th

See you back on SUNDAY, JAN 6th  
and WEDNESDAY, JAN 9th 2019!

## CHILDREN'S OFFERING:

The children are encouraged to find ways to help their family to earn money for our Children's Offering. We have been able to reach out to many people and places through our offerings. It's a very cool thing for the kids to see that even though they may feel small, they can do great things together to help others.

Because our current Deep Blue Adventures focus on family, we're hoping to reach out to help other families. We're choosing to collect to sponsor a child on our upcoming

### **ANGEL TREE**

during the upcoming holidays.

If we're able to collect a larger amount, we will sponsor more than one recipient for a holiday blessing.

Encourage those kids to bring in their extra change so we can work together to serve others!



**At HOME with GOD**