SUNDAY SCHOOL TAKE HOME PAGE

To parents:

This page lets you know what your child learned in Sunday school today. In addition, you will find this week's memory verse, a suggested activity, and a short prayer to reinforce the lesson. Being involved and interacting with your child can be very rewarding for both of you.



What we learned:

Today, the children gained a better understanding of crucifixion and the meaning behind Jesus' death on the cross. We are very special to God. He allowed His only son to die for our sins, so that we may live. (Scripture used: Mark 14:43-51; 15:1-15, 22-37)

Memory Verse:



"And being found in fashion as a man, he humbled himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross." Philippians 2:8

Practice this verse several times with your child during the week. This will not only help him or her remember the verse, but it will also help to reinforce what he or she learned during class.



Suggested Parent/Child Activity:

Bake some tastey **Cross Cookies** with your child. You can purchase a can of refrigerated cookie dough, or *if you like use a homemade cookie dough recipe*. Instead of making round cookies, shape the dough to look like crosses. While waiting for the cookies to bake, talk about the cross, and how it represents how much God loves us.

After the cross cookies finish baking and still hot, press tiny candy hearts into them, such as the kind you find on Valentine's Day.





Daily Prayer:

Dear Lord, thank You for loving us so much and for sending Jesus. He died on the cross so that we may have a relationship with You, as Your sons and daughters. Thank you, Lord, for taking my sins upon Your shoulders, and for forgiving me. Amen.