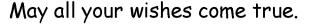


HAPPY NEW YEAR

Tune: "Happy Birthday"

Happy New Year to you.



Happy New Year my friend.

Happy New Year to you.

Thank you for a Merry Christmas

Thanks to everyone for our wonderful Christmas Party. The children had a fun time opening gifts and eating cookies.

To see photos of our party, I've put together an online scrapbook. Please see attached sheet for more information on how to view it.

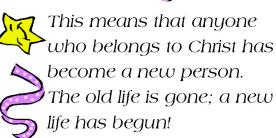
We hope you had a great Christmas and you have a wonderful New Year.

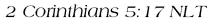














Toddlers learn by exploring and

experimenting. They love to do things over and over. Here are some activities that toddlers enjoy:

- Roll a ball to them to catch.
- Provide blocks for them to build with.
- Provide safe mirrors for them to look at.
- Let them fill containers over and over again.
- Have them listen and move to music.
- Play hide and seek.
- Let them push or pull a favorite toy.
- Provide wheeled toys without pedals.
- Look at and talk about picture books.
- Talk about everyday objects.
- Make comparisons.
- Talk about cause-and-effect relationships.
- Sing simple songs with them & add movement.
- Play pat-a-cake.
- Let them pound a toy workbench.
- Let them play in a sandbox
- Let them stack blocks and other objects.
- Provide things that can be taken apart.
- Give them simple directions to follow.
- Play matching games.
- Encourage pretending & dress-up.
- Introduce art: crayons, chalk, and paint.
- Provide play dough and finger paint.
- Encourage the development of routines.

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Pamm's House will be CLOSED:

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day: Monday, January 15, 2007

