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## A Servant's Heart

"Wisdom's instruction is to hear the Lord, and humility comes before honor."

Proverbs 15:33

**Principal's Message** 

Black Friday and Cyber Monday are all over the TV these last few days. One commentator spoke of a police officer who was telling people that pushing somebody down to save \$20 on a toaster oven is still considered assault, even on Black Friday. I'm not against sales; I like a good deal as much as the next person. But I have to remind myself that things do not offer satisfaction or give our lives meaning, in spite of the message we hear in car commercials – Das Volkswagen. Only in a life lived in the service of the King has true meaning and brings true peace.

That peace is what we celebrate when get together for Christmas dinner, when we buy Christmas gifts for our children, when we go out into the forest looking for a Christmas tree. We do need to guard against the materialism that is driving western culture as we celebrate Gods' plan for salvation but we can still enjoy seeing our grandkids open presents on Christmas morning. We can still find joy in our family Christmas traditions and know the peace that passes all understanding. May your Christmas holidays be a time of rest and refreshing and may they bring you closer to the Saviour.

~ Randy Wood

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## **Activity Days**!

## **Star Wars Activity Day**

With wonderful weather we met in the Airdrie Genesis Center to enjoy a day of learning. Students were exposed to creating a Star Wars Character in Art, writing them into Star Wars in Creative Writing and making Star Wars Air Ships in Science. We were kept protected by some Sand Troopers, even when Darth Maul walked through the door. The Lord blessed the day with safe travels, learning and fellowship. How great is our God?





\*\* REGISTER BY EMAILING OR CALLING THE NORTHSTAR OFFICE \*\*\*\* Spaces fill up quickly!!!

December 18: Winter Wonderland Christmas, sledding and skating. Located at Pioneer Lodge. From 10– 2 December 18: Winter Wonderland Christmas, baking and crafts. Located at Red Brick School House in Edson. From 10 –2

#103,1001-20 Ave | Box 2220 Didsbury, AB T0M0W0 | 1 877 335 1171 www.northstaracademycanada.org | office@nsaschool.ca Christmas in Bethlehem. The ancient dream: a cold, clear night made brilliant by a glorious star, the smell of incense, shepherds and wise men falling to their knees in adoration of the sweet baby, the incarnation of

> perfect love. Lucinda Franks











