



Dear Parents of Kindergarten and 1st Graders.

During the All-Sunday School Children's Christmas Pageant, **The Bethlehem Trail**, your children will be **Cowboy Stars and Cowgirl Angels** who announce the birth of Baby Jesus and call the Cowpokes to come worship Him. This letter should give you the information you need to prepare your child for the program. We look forward to helping your children with their roles and having a great time.

COSTUME: GIRLS:

THE CHURCH WILL PROVIDE: White tutus, wings, halo on a cowgirl hat and bandana. Girls should wear white t-shirt and white tights or leggings or a white leotard and tights or leggings. They may wear ballet slippers or any other kind of slippers or even cowgirl boots.

BOYS:

THE CHURCH WILL PROVIDE: star cowboy hat, star t-shirt and bandana

Boys should wear blue jeans and long-sleeved white shirt, any kind of shoes or cowboy boots.

SONG: "Rise Up Shepherds and Follow"

They will all sing "Deep in the Heart of Texas" and other songs as support.

Included in this email or handout is a SONGSHEET with your child's song. I will be sending you an online recording of the songs soon. The children will be practicing the songs in Chapel and Sunday School up through the date of the pageant. PLEASE help your children learn their song, as well as the songs we ALL will sing.

PRACTICES: There is only ONE formal practice prior to the program:

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9 at 10:00 a.m. in the Church

PLEASE BE THERE!

We will try to make this go as fast as we can and

let the younger ones go when they are finished with their part.

THE BETHLEHEM TRAIL: SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10 at 5:00 pm in the church.

Children will need to be in their Sunday School classroom at 4:15 pm to get ready to line up for the pageant. prepare for the pageant. There will be a Texas style Parish Christmas Dinner for the entire family in the Parish Hall after pageant. Please call Halleeta if you have any questions. We are excited to be with you and your children in this wonderful celebration of the birth of Jesus.

Love in Christ, Halleeta & the Christmas Pageant Committee

