



## **Best practices for the CW&W room during the Flu/Cold Season.**

Use sanitizer or wash hands upon arrival.

Contain the affected pieces into a tub at the end of your CW&W sessions.

Use 1/4 Bleach and 3/4 Water to spray and let dry. (You could also use bleach wipes.)

Provide Greeters/Storytellers gloves when disinfecting the pieces.

Lysol spray can be used on the sand in the desert box, felt pieces, carpet squares and any other materials that cannot be wiped or sprayed down with the bleach mixture.

During Flu Season you might also want to limit access to all stories. Maybe choose a few stories to work with during this season. For example during Advent use just the advent stories and How the Church Tells Time.

If you have a child that might display flu/cold symptoms have a special tub of work materials that can be easily disinfected.

Have children wash hands before using playdoh and or clay.

Regular washing of the response time rugs/towels.

Have feast foods, cheese, apples, and/or crackers in a single container. Proportion out individual servings on little paper plates or in disposable Dixie cups.