

## **Kindergarten News**

### **Classroom News**

Happy St. Patrick's Day! Thank you to our room parents for bringing in a green snack to brighten our day!

Kindergarten will lead morning prayer next week. Prayer times are at 8:15, with the exception of Friday, which will be at the assembly at 8:20. Please feel free to stay and listen to your child's prayer. A copy of the prayers will come home in the yellow folder.

On Tuesday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, Ms. White is looking for volunteers in the art room. The students will be making recycled paper. If you are able to help, please sign up on Volgistics.

### **Curriculum Focus for Next Week**

#### **Religion**

We are learning about the story of Zacchaeus. We will hear how Jesus taught Zacchaeus to be fair and kind. We will also talk about how we can be forgiving of others.

#### **Language Arts**

We are learning about identifying the climax of stories. We will discover that the climax in a story is the place where things suddenly change.

The students have started writing their own letters to parents to ask for something. They are writing what they want and giving some pretty good reasons to get what they want! Look for those letters to come home before Spring Break.

#### **Math**

We continue to practice decomposing numbers to 20 and writing the equations in different ways. We are polishing up our number writing skills as well as our subtraction skills.

#### **Science**

The students have been observing the plants in our classroom as they grow and have been wondering what the roots look like. To demonstrate this, the students have brought home a Ziploc with a sunflower seed in it. We added a little water, too. You can watch the seed sprout roots and a plant if you hang it in a window.

### **School News**

We will have Spirit Day on Thursday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>. The student council is planning some great growth mindset games and activities to make the day special. There will also be a special dress day for each of the classrooms. Stay tuned as to what our class decides!

### **Upcoming Events**

3/17- End of 2<sup>nd</sup> trimester

3/23- Spirit Day

3/24- PBS assembly, Cathedral Bowl, token goal free dress

3/27- 3/31- Spring Break

4/5- Mass

4/14- Good Friday, regular school day (make-up snow day)