Kindergarten News

Classroom News

It is almost Catholic Schools Week! We are looking forward to kicking this off on Sunday at the 9 a.m. Mass. I hope that you can join us. Following the Mass, we have Open House at the school for prospective families. Please invite your friends to visit! We'd love to have a full kindergarten class next year!

Curriculum Focus for Next Week

Religion

In religion, we are practicing the Our Father. We will learn that this prayer is honoring God as our Father. We will celebrate being a part of a Catholic School during National Catholic Schools Week. Please see below for details about each day.

Language Arts

We are thinking about problems and solutions when we read. We are identifying the problem and then predicting the solution.

We are also finishing up our map project. We've made a map to get to the gym, included symbols for important places along the way, and then written directions that match the map.

Math

We are continuing to count to 100 by 5's and 10's, by 2's to 20, and we are getting closer to writing to 100.

When you see the 100's chart coming home, it is great to use it to play simple math games. You can play mystery number: have your child put a finger on any number, have them count forward 5 numbers, count backwards 8, add 10... Have fun with it and link several of these steps together.

Social Studies

We are embarking on a unit all about maps. We will look at many different types of maps as well as learn about map keys. The students will have artwork to compliment our study of maps. I hope you enjoyed seeing the relief maps that came home!

School News

Catholic Schools Week Schedule

Sunday, 1/29

Faith, Knowledge, Service: In Our Parish

*Mass at St. Mary's, 9 a.m.

*Open House, 10- 12:30

Monday, 1/30 Faith, Knowledge, Service: In Our Community

*Author Visit, Mike Thaler

Tuesday, 1/31:

Faith, Knowledge, Service: In Our Students

*2nd and 4th grade to St. Vincent DePaul School

*Buddy classes make cards for local citizens in service- kindergarten goes to Trinity Episcopal at 147 NW 19th Ave

Wednesday, 2/1

Faith, Knowledge, Service: In Our Nation

- *Special Friends Breakfast, 7:50
- *Mass, 9:30 a.m.
- *Virtual Fieldtrips using Nearpod

Thursday, 2/2

Faith, Knowledge, Service: In Our Vocations

*Talent Show, 2 p.m. and 7 p.m.

Friday, 2/3

Faith, Knowledge, Service: In Our Families

*Empathy Kick Off Assembly

*Family Groups play board games

Upcoming Events

1/25- POW

1/27- PBS Assembly, ½ day

1/29- CSW Mass, St. Mary's at 9 a.m.

1/29- 2/3- Catholic Schools Week

2/1- Special Friends' Breakfast and Mass

2/2- No school, Teacher in-service