Kindergarten News

Classroom News

Thank you for all your help in saying goodbye to Miss Morrin! We sent her off on her next journey with treats and special notes!

May Crowning is coming up on Wednesday at 8:30 in the church. I hope you will be able to join us! Students should wear Sunday Best clothing and bring in a flower to honor Mary. A flower from your garden is just fine!

Attention all mothers! In honor of Mother's Day, the kindergarteners would like to invite you to join us for a little treat on Friday, May 12th from 8:15-8:35. We hope you can join us for a special visit for you and your kindergartner.

Curriculum Focus for Next Week

Religion

We are practicing for May Crowning in the church with our buddies. We are looking forward to wearing Sunday Best clothing and bringing in a flower to honor Mary.

Language Arts

We are learning about summarizing and synthesizing. This means that we tell the important parts of the story with our own words.

In writing, we continue to work on writing narratives. We are making sure our narratives have a setting, character, and an overall main idea. We are including details to support the main idea and make our stories more interesting.

Math

We are working on sorting objects by various attributes. The students will have to name a sorting rule and then find other objects that fit the criteria. For instance, rather than just sorting by color, students will sort by color and size.

Science

We are working on completing our Book Creator report to tell about butterflies. The students wrote facts, edited their work, and then typed their sentence. Typing was hard!!! To finish the report, the students added illustrations.

School News

The Speech Festival is coming up! Annually, Cathedral hosts a speech festival in June. We will continue this tradition with each class performing a group chorale piece on June 8th. Parents are invited to watch the chorale performances (in the afternoon, times are TBD). Along with this, students kindergarten through 8th grade, will participate individually in the classroom. Pre-kindergarten students can choose whether they would like to participate in their classroom.

Start thinking about a piece your student can memorize- a poem, part of a favorite story, part of a speech... From this, 3 students will be selected to share their piece in front of the whole school on June 8th. Student's individual selections are due by May 12th and will be presented to the classroom during the week of May 22nd. More information will be coming soon!

Please see the attached documents for more information as well as the sign up form. The sign up form and a copy of the speech selection should be sent to the classroom by May 12th. Thank you!

Upcoming Events

5/3- May Crowning led by kindergarten and 8th grade, 8:30

5/4- Art Show and Spaghetti Dinner

5/12- Mother's Day sweet treat, 8:15

5/12- Speech Festival selections due

5/17-5/18- Middle School play

5/24- POW

5/26- half day, 11:30 dismissal

5/29- No school, Memorial Day

5/31- Mass