

“We Have Come To Share in Christ”

Fourth Grade Parent News: Feb. 21st, 2020

Grace, Mercy and Peace to you from our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ,

*** These last couple weeks have flown by quickly for me, mostly because of being so busy with BB tournaments. Thanks for your understanding about the newsletter last week and not as many papers coming home. I promise I will get caught back up next week. We are still doing a bunch in the classroom, you just may not be seeing things come home.

***Ash Wednesday—Next week is Ash Wednesday and the kids will receive the imposition of ashes during chapel. The is the be-

ginning of Lent, the 40 days when Jesus prepared himself and his disciples for His death and resurrection. This may be a new experience for some and what a blessing we have to be able to explain the rituals of church to them and let them ask all of their questions. Church services during Lent are 4:30 pm and 7:00 pm in the gym.

***TSO and Art Museum -Thanks to all who drove for the field trip this last week. I think we only had one student that had ever been to the Symphony. I am so glad to help bring new experiences to the kids. The 30 minute operetta

Brundibar was performed. Have the kids tell you the story or look it up together. We also did a scavenger hunt for artwork in the museum which was a great learning experience for the kids.

God's Blessings,
Mr. Jess Thacker



Dates to Remember:

- Feb. 28th— Ash Wednesday
- Feb. 28th—8th Grade Fundraiser—dress in jeans for \$2 donation to the 8th grade
- March 6th-9th—NO School End of 2nd Tri-semester—(This is Friday and Monday OFF)
- March 13th—Daddy/Daughter Dance—info to come
- March 19th—Field Trip to Henry Ford Museum
- March 23-27th Spring Break

Spelling, Math & Reading

Spelling Words:

1. innocent
2. swaying
3. unfamiliar
4. sunburned
5. mutineers
6. cannon
7. instantly
8. swamped
9. ammunition
10. portion
11. provisions
12. slashed

13. advancing
14. victorious
15. stockade

Reading:

We will be finishing up soon reading the Classics Starts version of Treasure Island, retold from the Robert Louis Stevenson original. It again is my hope that you have been reading with the kids or at least asking them about the story. My favorite part of reading class is when the kids ask to keep reading the next

chapters. If it was up to them, as far as subjects go, we could spend all day on Reading and Religion.

Math Practice:

***Basic Facts—Keep practicing Multiplication facts.
***Subtraction—go through multi-digit subtraction with the kids. They sometimes forget, “top to bottom and right to left” steps. Also borrowing is sometimes forgotten.

Special points of interest:

- **March 9th—NO SCHOOL—**This is a new date that has just been added to have off of school. It was added to give a teacher work day and school clean up before we have our accreditation site visit on the 16th. Any questions, please ask and we will answer as best we can. Thanks for understanding.

Mr. Thacker's class

If there are ever any question you may have please feel free to stop in, call and leave a message, or just shoot me an e-mail.

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Working together for the success of our kids!!

Remember:

Please help check and remind kids to make sure they have their name on all papers. Second Trimester I will take 10 points off for no name.

What's to come:

Chapel Offering: Phil's Friends

Literature— Treasure Island

English — Ch. 9 Helping Verbs and Inverted Order sentences

Ohio History— Ch. 4 From Territory to State

Science- Matter-Solids, Liquids, Gases

Field Trips—Feb. 20th Symphony/Art Museum; March 19th Henry Ford Museum, Detroit; April 1st Valentine Theatre; May ?? Mudhens Game; May 21st Swan Creek Park-Walking



Please Continue to Check Work and Sign Assignment Notebooks!!!! Please make sure that you are looking over the kids' assignment notebooks and work. I am asking that you sign their assignment notebooks and they will show them to me each morning. This will help to make sure they are checking things over at home. This will also keep you involved with what we are going over in class. Together we will only be successful. Thanks in advance!!!

Memory for the Week

CATECHISM: The Seventh Petition—But deliver us from evil.

What Does this mean? We pray in this petition, in summary, that our Father in heaven would rescue us from every evil of body and soul.....

Scripture: But the Lord is faithful. He will establish you and guard you against the evil one. 2Thessalonians 3:3

Theme Verse for 2019-2020:

"Growing Up Into Christ!"

Rather, speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ. Ephesians 4:15

