Church and School

"We Have Come To Share in Christ"

Fourth Grade Parent News: Sept. 27th, 2019

Good Afternoon,

***Grace, Peace and Love to you from our Father in Heaven, Jesus Christ.

*** Well here we are at the end of September and the middle of the first Tri-mester of school and it has passed so quickly it's scary. We have already been through so many things in class and I know that there are so many cool things yet to come: from Bridge Building-to Egg Drop-to Lego Robots in Science, Shurley English Jingles and Sentence Flow, and into our 3rd novel in Reading. Again remember you will not see all of the things at home that we are working on, but it is always my hope that you discuss in, and dig into conversation with your kids about what we are doing in class. It will make for good family time.

***577 Foundation— Today is/was our trip to a great outdoor experience for the kids very close by. Make sure again to ask the kids about this field trip. Thanks again to the drivers, a big class is hard to coordinate getting to places.

***"Meet me at the Pole"—this week we started chapel with our "Chapel Families". Prayer should be a big part of our lives as Christians and our Chapel focused on that. We prayed together outside as small groups, then as a large one, along with schools across the world. All started by kids wanting to make sure that prayer existed in our school. Amen!!!

***Don't forget to read the "Viking Voice" for more school information.

God's Many Blessings Mr. Jess Thacker



<u>Dates to</u> <u>Remember:</u>

- <u>Sept. 29th</u>- Kids sing for 10:30 Service
- <u>Oct. 4th-</u> Mid Term Reports Home
- Oct. 9th-1/2
 Day of School—
 Teacher In service
- Oct. 10-11th
 NO SCHOOLTeacher Inservices, St. Louis
- Oct. 15th & 17th
 Parent/Teacher
 Conferences
- Oct. 18th-Grandparents Day, Chapel 11:00,

Spelling, Math & Reading

Spelling Words:

- 1. warden
- 2. aluminum
- 3. biscuit
- 4. windshield
- pounding
- 6. collecting
- 7. plastic
- 8. gobbles
- 9. commences
- 10. tightening
- 11. overnight
- 12. forgiveness
- 13. percent

- 14. loyal
- 15. nonsense

Math Practice:

Please begin working on multiplication facts. My advice is to not do them in order, but random basic facts 1-9. Ask them any time you are driving or getting ready for meals or when ever. This will improve every other part of math as most can be connected to these basic facts. Thanks for your help at home too.

Reading:

We will begin reading the Newberry Award winning story "Shiloh". I would like to rémind you a what a great gift reading is and how wonderful it can be to do together. I love watching the kids get lost in the story. It is also awesome to hear their progress in reading skills throughout the year. Let them read out loud to you often, this improves fluency and comprehension skills. Also, nothing wrong with reading out loud to them, this helps improve listening skills and lets them enjoy the story too.

Special points of interest:

Parent/Teacher Conferences: All conference sign ups must take place on 'Sign' Up Genius" Information of how to log into this will be in the Viking Voice, or contact me and I can help you through the process. It will be very helpful especially for those with multiple kids, in picking your own times. Do it EARLY!!!!

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 kidsli

Remember:

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

What's to come:

Memory for the Week

<u>CATECHISM:</u> The Fourth Commandment—Honor your father and mother.

What does this mean? We should fear and love God so that we do not despise or anger our parents and other authorities, but honor them, serve and obey them, love and cherish them.

<u>Scripture:</u> Children, obey your parents in everything, for this pleases the Lord. Colossians 3:20

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

<u>Chapel Offering:</u> "Enpuzzlement"—Food pantry type mission to provide food for the hungry, look at their website www.enpuzzlement.org This is where we will be taking our November field trip to for our service project.

<u>Literature</u> "Shiloh" by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor

<u>English</u> — Ch. 2 Sentence Flow—Subject Nouns (SN), Verbs (V), Adjectives (ADJ), Adverbs (ADV), Article Adjectives (A)

Ohio History— Ch. 2 The First People

Science Bridge Building and Testing

<u>Field Trips</u>—<u>Sept. 27th</u> 10:30-1:00 577 Foundation, Perrysburg; <u>Oct. 24th</u> 10:00-2:00: Fort Meigs, Perrysburg; <u>Nov. 18th</u> Enpuzzlement 10:00-1:30, Milbury Ohio; <u>Dec. 12th</u> Copper Moon Art Studio Toledo; <u>Feb. ???</u> Art Museum; <u>March ???</u> Henry Ford Museum Detroit; <u>April 1st</u> Valentine Theatre; <u>May ??</u> Mudhens Game; May 21st Swan Creek Park-Walking





<u>Beginning the year right!!!!</u> 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!!!