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4th Grade Newsletter

December 15-20, 2024

Third Week of Advent

Cry out with joy and gladness: for among you is the great and holy one of Israel. Isaiah 12:2

Weekly News

- Gaudete Sunday- The Third Week of Advent. We celebrate this week with joy. We rejoice for the birth of Jesus is near. The rose (pink) candle is lit. There is a beautiful prayer for joy on your Advent Prayer Sheet.
- Christmas Books-students are asked to bring in their favorite Christmas story/book. We will be reading a few each day and comparing/contrasting the stories. We will also be working hard to finish our North Pole Story.
- Progress Reports are in the Home Folders. Please sign one copy and return.
- Our unit on pronouns is complete. Due to the snow day, the grammar test was moved to Tuesday.
- Unit 9 in science is complete. The students have a study guide and there will be test on Wednesday.
- Module 8 in math is also complete. We will review on Monday and Tuesday our two digit multiplication strategies. There will be a quiz on Wednesday. The children may use any strategy they wish.
- The Best Christmas Pageant Ever has been a wonderful book to read with the children. It portrays the message that Jesus came for ALL of us, even the Herdmans. The new movie (rated PG) is available to purchase. I will view it this weekend and if the content is appropriate, I would like to show it to the class on Friday. The other plan is to show the older version that is available on You-tube.
- No spelling this week. We will be working on vocabulary for The Best Christmas Pageant Ever.
- Hope everyone enjoyed their second snow day!

Important Dates

Tuesday-Grammar Test

Wednesday-Library; Science Test; Math Quiz

Thursday-Christmas Celebration

Friday- Mass; No Spelling Test

Focus Areas for the Week

- Religion**-Advent/Christmas
- Math**-Two digit multiplication
- Reading**-*Best Christmas Pageant Ever*
- Science**-Animals Structures and their environment
- Social Studies**-Southeast Region
- English**-Pronoun Review
- Phonics**-Suffixes
- Spelling**-No spelling
- Writing**-North Pole Story



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