DECEMBER 4th Grade Newsletter

2nd Week of Advent

The Lord has done great things for us; We are filled with joy. Psalm 126:1

Weekly News	Focus Areas for the Week	
-This has been a busy week. We have a special visitor from the North Pole who keeps the students guessing each day where he will pop in. The students will be journaling the elf's adventure along with a few more fun activities. Excitement for Christmas is in the air.	Religion-Advent Math-Division Strategies Reading-The Beatles Were Fab (and They Were Funny) Science-Zoology –Vertebrates Social Studies-Michigan Government English-Modal Auxiliary Phonics-ly, y endings Spelling-ing and ed endings; Double Rule Writing-Saint Report	
-In religion we have been discussing Moses and how he was chosen to help God's people and taught us about the 10 Commandments. We watched the movie, The Prince of Egypt, during our lunch time. Ask your child about this amazing story and how God made a covenant with his		
people.	SPELLING WORDS	
 -Knight of Columbus has a poster contest. The children created a poster at school with the theme Keep Christ in Christmas. Please fill out the form in the Home Folders /Binders and return it if you would like your child to enter their poster in the contest. Deadline is Monday, Dec. 13. -PTO is sponsoring Christmas Caroling on Thursday, Dec. 9. If you would like to spread some Christmas Cheer followed by hot chocolate and cookies, come out and join the fun at 5:30 pm. Important Dates Monday-St. Nicholas Stations Wednesday-Mass Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary Thursday-Library; PTO Caroling at 5:30 p.m. Friday-Spelling Test; Mass 	BASIC 1. wiped 2. covered 3. mapped 4. pleasing 5. slipped 6. putting 7. traveled 8. seeking 9. visiting 10. mixed 11. shipped 12. phoning 13. offered 14. smelling	16. checking 17. fainted 18. landed 19. becoming 20. wandering REVIEW 21. traced 22. spinning 23. dancing 24. escaped CHALLENGE 25. honored 26. modeling 27. securing
	15. hiking	28. shuddered

Anchor Yourself in Christ