

JANUARY

4th Grade Newsletter

January 24-28, 2022

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life. Psalm 19:8

Weekly News

-In religion we are discussing the gift of intellect, free will, and the capacity to love that God has given us. God wanted us to be happy. He loved us so much that he gave us the freedom to choose to follow Him and share his love with others.

—MAPS Testing in math is complete. We will test on language art concepts next week. Scores will be available at conferences.

-Our new unit in math pertains to finding the area of shapes and irregular shapes. This is a short unit and we will be completing it on Tuesday, reviewing Wednesday and Thursday. The assessment will be on Friday.

-Social studies states and regions is going great. We are moving into the southeast region. The children will need to be able to locate and identify the capital of these states too.

-In reading we will be taking a short break from our stories and work on our writing notebooks/journals. The students will organize their animal report research and write their rough draft and final copies this week. They will also be sharing stories from their writing binders. We have been so busy that we haven't taken the time to share their very creative stories.

-Conference Forms-Please send in the Parent Teacher Conference Form if you have not already done so. I look forward to meeting with you soon.

-Next week will be a review spelling test. These words were taken from our last three units.

Important Dates

Friday-Spelling Test; Unit 9 Math Test; Mass

Focus Areas for the Week

Religion-Freedom/happiness come from God

Math-Finding area of irregular shapes

Reading-We will be writing our animal reports

Science-Animals and how they obtain energy

Social Studies-Southeast Regions

English-Subject Verb Agreement

Phonics-Vowel digraphs

Spelling-Review Unit

Writing-Animal Report

Spelling Review-Test Jan. 28

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| 1. board | 11. phoning |
| 2. world | 12. wandering |
| 3. thirteen | 13. turkey |
| 4. allowed | 14. melody |
| 5. peddle | 15. prairie |
| 6. hangar | 16. laziest |
| 7. dared | 17. friendlier |
| 8. escaped | 18. prettiest |
| 9. dancing | 19. question |
| 10. traveled | 20. stomach |
| 21. busier | 23. studied |
| 22. monkey | 24. equal |

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