



# First Grade News

December 11, 2017



## Field Trip Attached



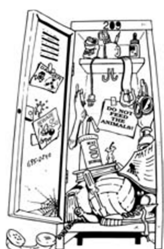
Kindergarten to 5<sup>th</sup> grade are going to see the movie 'The Star' at the Wildwood Movies 16 on Tuesday, Dec. 19<sup>th</sup>. The Cost of the field trip is \$8.50. We need parent drivers. Please have form and money returned back to school by Friday, Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>. I'm sorry for such a short turn around on this.

## Voters' / Call Meeting

Tonight (December 11<sup>th</sup>), we are having a voters' meeting to call a new music minister and 5<sup>th</sup> grade teacher (for next school year). All congregational members who are 18 years old are encouraged to come and participate in this important function of the voters' assembly. Meeting will be held in the church fellowship hall (church basement) at 6:30pm. Pizza will be served at 6pm. Child care is available. (Let Mr. Lunak know if you need this.)

## Christmas Program Notes

Students should meet in the classroom by 3:40 pm. First graders will be on the girls' locker room side of the gym. FYI – children should dress either in their Christmas clothes or church clothes.



## Lockers

Over the Christmas break, I would like to encourage that we get lockers cleaned out except for gym shoes and paint shirts (locker decs – are ok

too.) Some lockers still have fall coats in them along with other unidentified things.



## Thank You

Thank you to Mr. & Mrs. Ames for the generous donation of Money Dice for our classroom. It is very appreciated.

## Christmas Classroom Gift Exchange

We will have a classroom gift exchange. It will be done that the classroom party. Girls should bring a gift for a girl; boys for a boy. **Please label the gift with your child's name.** Gifts should be \$6



## Cookie Houses

One of the first grade traditions is making cookie / candy houses. I need help with supplies.



- Girls should bring in one or two tubs of vanilla / white frosting.

- Boys should bring in a bag of candy. It can be any kind of candy that you and your child thinks would look great on a house; so gun drops, hard candy, M&M's, chocolate kisses, etc. (It's ok if the candy is wrapped. The children can decide if you want to unwrap to use it or leave the festive wrapping on.)

**We need these ASAP if you haven't already sent it in.**



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## Christmas Celebrations

We will have special days the week before Christmas to celebrate the ‘fun’ of the season.

*Wednesday – Dec, 13<sup>th</sup> – Angel Day*  
Wear something white or yellow

*Thursday – Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> - Wiseman Day /*  
Bring Your Gifts to the New  
Born King

Bring your Advent Box back.

*Friday – Dec. 15<sup>th</sup> - Christmas Hat Day*  
*Monday, Dec. 18<sup>th</sup> -- Elf Day*

Wear something red and / or green

*Tuesday – Dec. 19<sup>h</sup> -- Reindeer Day*

Wear something Brown

*Wednesday – Dec. 20<sup>th</sup> - Grinch Day*

Wear something grinchie and/or  
green.

*Thursday – Dec. 21<sup>st</sup> – Jingle Bell Day*

These days are just supposed to be light  
hearted and fun. Your child can choose to  
wear the color or not.

## Candy Cane Sales

Candy Cane Grams are this  
week. The cost of each is 50  
cents. Order forms were sent  
home last week. If you need  
additional forms, please see me. Candy  
canes will be delivered on Thursday,  
December 21<sup>st</sup> at the Christmas party.



## Stocking Stuffers



If you are looking for stocking  
stuffers, some new schools  
supplies would be greatly  
appreciated. The most needed supplies for  
practically everyone are:

- Glue sticks
- Pencils (regular yellow #2) please  
no shrink wrapped
- Big erasers
- School white glue
- crayons

(Remember to label supplies.)



## Wednesday Afternoon

I am looking for a parent or grandparent  
who would like to join the class in the  
afternoon for recess duty. I have one  
parent who has volunteered for every one  
Wednesday. So I am looking for the other  
Wednesday. The starting time is flexible from  
1:15 to 1:30 pm. It would be approximately 20  
to 25 minutes of outside time. If your schedule is  
permits and cold is ok with you, please let me  
know.



## Save the Date

January 24<sup>th</sup> is Lutheran Schools’ visiting day. 1<sup>st</sup>  
grade is doing a service project of tying blankets  
for Beloit Memorial’s Family Care Unit. To  
make this a success, we need parents and  
grandparents to help. Please plan on joining us to  
celebrate Lutheran Schools and helping members  
in our community. More information will follow  
next month.



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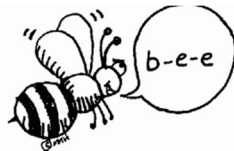
## Mark Your Calendars For:

1. Movie Field Trip – Dec. 19<sup>th</sup>
2. Children’s Christmas Service – Dec. 17<sup>th</sup>
3. Christmas break – Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup> to Jan. 2<sup>nd</sup>
4. First Grade Service project – Jan. 24<sup>th</sup>
5. Field Trip to Beloit Memorial Hospital – February 12<sup>th</sup> during the afternoon.
6. Gala of Giving School Auction – May 12<sup>th</sup>



## Spelling Words

Students will have an additional word during the next four weeks till Christmas. It will be their middle name. As a class we are still having difficulties logging in to the computers because a good number of students still cannot spell their middle names.



### **For the week of December 11<sup>th</sup>:**

(Unit 14)

a I to the was are  
of

Bonus Words: ago only easy goes

### **For the week of December 18<sup>th</sup>:**

(Unit 15 - review) Test on Thursday

up us bus fun run bug  
bad fix yet I of was

### **For the week of January 3<sup>rd</sup>:**

(Unit 16)

grin skip plum spin frog slam

bonus word: grab snap slip plug

## Memory Work

### **Due Tuesday, December 12<sup>th</sup>:**

To you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. Luke 2:11

### **Due Friday, December 15<sup>th</sup>:**

You shall call His name Jesus, for He will save His people from their sins. Matt. 1:21

### **Due Tuesday, December 19<sup>th</sup>:**

And she gave birth to her firstborn, a Son. She wrapped Him in cloths and placed Him in a manger. Luke 2:2

### **Due Friday, January 6<sup>th</sup>:**

May all kings fall down before Him, all nations serve Him! Ps. 72:11

### **Due Tuesday, January 9<sup>th</sup>:**

For we have seen His star in the East, and have come to worship Him. Matt 2:2

Have a good week.

Miss Schultz

Come let us  
*Adore*  
Him

