

First Grade News January 20, 2020





Lutheran School Week

National Lutheran Schools Week is a special time to set aside to recognize our Lutheran heritage in Christian education and provides us an opportunity to do a few things out of the ordinary - just for fun! Special events have been planned for the entire week.



All School Service Project -

This week each class will be collecting food for ECHO. Please share the blessing the Lord has given you with bring in a box or can goods this week.

Thursday, Saturday & Sunday –

Children sing the weekend of January 24th, 26th & 27th ^t. Families may pick the service they wish to attend



Monday – Joyfully Christmas

The whole school is watching a movie in the gym. Students are encouraged to bring a blanket or sleeping bag and pillow to stretch out on the floor. Students can wear something Christmassy or even their Christmas jammies. . (*Remember school dress code must be followed.)

Tuesday – Joyfully Thankful

We are thankful for our community workers. Dress up as what you want to be when you grow up or favorite community helper. (*Remember school dress code must be followed.)

Family Reading Night. – Tuesday night. A great time to read and do some AR quizzes. Also there will be prize drawings for families who attend. Bring your own camera, and get your picture taken with Clifford.

Wednesday – Joyfully Peacefully

Dress Patriotic - Wear that Red, White & Blue

Thursday – Joyfully Faithful / School Pride

We are thankful for the gift of our school. We something that is St. Paul's wear, orange or blue and / or crosses

We are also going bowling. Permission form has already come home.

Friday – Visiting Day

We dismiss at noon with lunch at home (or out to lunch with Grandma & pa ^(C)). I look forward to seeing you on Friday. Younger siblings are not encouraged to attend; this is a day for parents / grandparents. We will have the opportunity to worship as a school that morning. We will be doing several special projects that the children could benefit from your assistance. The major project the children will be working on is Project Linus blankets. I have all the supplies we are



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going to use. (If you have your own sewing scissors, please bring it.) We will be doing the blankets immediately after chapel. Parents / Grandparents may spend the whole morning or drop in as their schedule permits.



We will have a Scholastic book fair for the week in the gym hallway. The students will

do wish lists on Monday. Check your child's folder for this. You are encouraged to also come and see for yourself.



<u>Mother's Day</u> <u>Projects</u>

Mother's Day is also just around the corner. I am asking parent to help cover the cost of this project. The cost is \$10. Cash or check is fine. If you are paying by check, please make them out to me (Ruth Ann Schultz). Please send in the money by Wednesday, Feb. 7th.



<u>Gala of Giving</u> Auction

The Gala of Giving Auction will be held in May. It should be an evening of fun

and fellowship. (More detail about the actual auction will follow in the next coming months.) Each classroom is contributing a 'basket' or special thing for the auction. Our class will be making a project.



I am asking that the children bring in their favorite actual cookie recipe. Please have it to

school by January 24th. This will be apart of the first grade auction project.

100th Day of School

Thursday, February 6th marks the 100th day of school. Each child should bring 100 things of something. Please have them count out the objects. Objects can



be arranged on poster board or in a container. It is up to you and your child. We will share the projects with the class on Wednesday. (Projects / objects can be sent to school after February 1st.)

JLIT

Janesville Lutheran Invitation (Basketball) Tournament – JLIT – is held every year. Our school will be hosting seven other Lutheran



Schools from Wisconsin and Illinois. It is a weekend of great basketball, but it is much more. It is a weekend of fun, fellowship and sharing the love of our Savior. JLIT is a major fund raiser for our school. The financial benefits far out reach the athletic department. Every area of the school is impacted.

JLIT is the weekend of Feb. 28th to March 1st. Your help is needed for the weekend. Sign-up sheets have been out in the hallway by our lockers. You may also call Mr. Fenrick to volunteer (754-4471 ext 208.)



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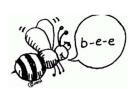


Calendar At A Glance

- 1. Home basketball games –January 24th.
- Lutheran Schools' Week January 26th to 31st.
- Parent / Grandparent Visiting Day January 31st.
- 4. Noon Dismissal February 7th
- Beloit Memorial Hospital Field Trip– Feb. 10th during afternoon.
- 6. JLIT February 28th to March 1st
- 7. Noon Dismissal February 28th
- 8. No School on March 2nd
- 9. Gala of Giving May 9th.

Spelling Words

For the week of January 20th :



(Unit 18) bugs cats pigs sits runs gets bonus words: cards chips pumps twins

For the week of January 27th:

(Unit 19) – **Test on Thursday.** doing going seeing feeling keeping feeding bonus words: mowing bending picking packing

For the week of February 3rd:

(Unit 20 - review) grin skip frog best fast still bugs pigs gets seeing feeling keeping

For the week of February 10th: (Unit 21)

came name same game gate gave bonus words: ape wake mane tame

Memory Work

Due Tuesday, January 21st: Third Commandment – Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy.

Due Friday, January 24th: Fourth Commandment – Honor your father and your mother.

Due Tuesday, January 28th: Fifth Commandment -- You shall not kill.

No Memory on Friday, January 31st.

Due Tuesday, February 4th: Sixth Commandment – You shall not commit adultery.

Due Friday, February 7th: The Seventh Commandment – You shall not steal.

Due Tuesday, February 11th:

The Eighth Commandment – You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor.

Due Friday, February 14th:

The Ninth Commandment – You shall not covet your neighbor's house.

Due Tuesday, February 18th:

The Tenth Commandment – You shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his manservant or maidservant, his ox or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.

Have a good week. Miss Schultz

