



April 3, 2017

Week 31

2nd Grade Sentinels

Dear 2nd Grade Parents,

Welcome back!

Last week we:

- Worked hard to measure the strips for our sculpture!

Curriculum for this week:

- **Religion:** Begin the Passion Week stories with Palm Sunday, Jesus Washing the Disciples' Feet, the Garden of Gethsemane and Peter Denies Jesus.
- **Reading:** Enjoy reading *Frogs*, by Gail Gibbons as we learn about the life cycles of frogs and continue our theme of "Our Changing World"; practice differentiating between facts and opinions.
- **Phonics:** Practice words with the -oo sound like *book*.
- **Spelling:** Finish Unit 11 as we take our tests.
- **Grammar:** Continue to explore the wonderfully descriptive world of adjectives.
- **Writing:** Work on drafting and revising our measurement sculpture descriptive paragraphs.
- **Math:** Use our strips to create a sculpture! We look forward to sharing our masterpieces with you at the Curriculum Fair and Auction on April 28! We'll also begin Chapter 7, *Geometry and Fractions*, as we review plane figures and begin to learn about solid figures.
- **Social Studies:** Begin our Unit on America's Past and Symbols as we see how the Native Americans lived from the land.
- **Second Step:** Continue our Unit on Emotion Management with a lesson on Managing Anger.

Let's have a blessed week in Christ!

Mrs. Janetzke

Upcoming dates:

- **Monday, 4/3-** March reading due
- **Tuesday, 4/4-** Buona lunch
- **Wednesday, 4/5-** Parents welcome at 2:45 chapel
- **Wednesday, 4/5-** Lenten soup supper 6:15 and worship 7:15
- **Friday, 4/7-** Pizza lunch

Star Student:

This week we will begin learning about Joshua Mathley. Please keep him and his family in your family's prayers.

Memory Corner:

Due FRI. 4/7

"If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. 1 John 1:9"

Home Connection: Confess means to acknowledge your sins, to admit what you've done wrong and to ask Jesus to forgive you. When we confess, we ask for God's mercy. When God hears our confession, he forgives!