

K5 Newsletter

Week of April 1, 2022

Literacy Focus: Identifying and explaining the problem and solution in the text.

Letter of the Week: Ww

Word Family: NG Ending
Digraph

Sight Words: going, long, bring, wish, which

Math Focus: The students are learning to recognize and describe 2D shapes.

Upcoming Events:

Friday, 4/8 - Spring Color Out of Uniform Day

Tuesday, 4/12 - April Birthdays Out of Uniform Day (Ava)

Thursday, 4/14 - 11am Dismissal

Thursday, 4/14 - Cousin Subs Day

Friday, 4/15 - Spring Break

Monday, 4/25 - Classes Resume

Outside Time: As the weather is getting warmer, please remember to send your student with a couple different options, as well as hats and gloves. A lot of the time it is cooler or windy for our first recess and then much warmer for our lunch recess. Options will help the students to be properly clothed for playing outside.

Teacher Message

Hello K5 Families!

Literacy and Science: This week we finished reading a chapter book called Mrs. Piggle Wiggle. This week, we focused on the problem and solution in the story. We talked about the problem that the children in the story have and how Mrs. Piggle Wiggle gives the parents an idea to fix it. In science, we continued learning about the states of matter. We learned that water can be a solid (ice), liquid (water), and gas (water vapor). We also learned about mixtures and you can put things together to make a mixture. The students had fun making and separating the mixtures.

Religion: Our Bible story this week was about sisters, Mary and Martha. We talked about how we should always try to make God our first choice and other things our 2nd choices. For example, first going to Mass on Sunday and then playing at the park. We had our first lesson from Our Rooted Theology of the Body program. In this lesson, we focused on the gift of creation. We talked about how God created the world and us in it and we should take care of all creation and be grateful to God. Our saint of the week is St. Gianna Beretta Molla. We learned that she was a doctor and had a family. This week, we are continuing our walk with Jesus on His Journey to death through the Stations of the Cross. We are focused on Station 9: Jesus falls for the third time. Station 10: Jesus is stripped of His clothes.

Math: We continued our unit on 2D shapes. This week we have focused on identifying and describing triangles and rectangles. We have learned how to describe, draw and explain each shape and their attributes. We talked about how a triangle has 3 vertices and a rectangle has 4.

Extra Clothes: Even with the weather changing, it is still a good thing to have extra pants, shirt, underwear and socks here at school. Sometimes the students will step in a puddle, slide down a wet slide, or fall in the mud. Please make sure your student has those extra items in their backpack.

St. Gianna Beretta Molla, pray for us!