

K5 Newsletter

Week of March 1, 2024

Literacy Focus: characters, setting, and major events of the story.

Letter of the Week: Jj

Word Family: UT Family

Sight Words: Review

Math Focus: The students are learning to identify and describe 3D shapes.

Upcoming Events:

3/3 Cousin's Sub Day

3/4 Read Across America Week

3/4 Wellness Warriors Event: Run the Halls

3/8 Fish Fry

3/19 March Birthdays Out of Uniform (Remington)

3/28 11am Dismissal

3/29 No School - Easter Break

Outside Time: Students should be dressed in proper winter clothing. They should have boots, waterproof mittens, hat, snow pants, and a winter coat. **Snow items will be sent home on Fridays to be cleaned and dried as necessary.**

Teacher Message

Hello K5 Families!

Literacy: We finished up our American Symbol unit by learning about the Liberty Bell, Statue of Liberty and Abraham Lincoln. The students wrote many facts about each of these important symbols. They brought home their American Symbols journal this afternoon. Check it out with them!

Religion: We learned about St. Katharine Drexel. She was born in Pennsylvania. She helped the poor and built many missions and schools in the Western part of the U.S. We talked about the stories, called parables, Jesus told to teach us how we can be closer to God. We are working to make Jesus's cross lighter by our sacrifices, fasting, almsgiving, and prayer. We continued our walk with Jesus on His Journey to death through the Stations of the Cross. We are focused on Station 5: Simon helps Jesus carry the cross 6: Veronica Wipes the Face of Jesus.

Math: We are learning about 3D shapes and their attributes. We learned about the sphere, cylinder, cube, rectangular prism, cone, pyramid, and triangular prism. Play I spy with your student to find these shapes in everyday items. Have them share how they know it is that 3D shape by describing the attributes.

Read Across America Week (March 4th-8th)

***See flier in Thursday Folder for more info.**

Monday: Dress for the places you would like to go.

Tuesday: Wear blue or red

Wednesday: **Uniform** with silly socks

Thursday: Wear stripes and/or favorite hat

Friday: Wear green

St. Katharine Drexel, pray for us!