



2nd Grade: Mrs. Watkins and Mrs. Thomas

February 4, 2022

***Well that was a surprisingly short week!** We hope you enjoyed some snow fun and family time!

***We celebrated our 100th day on Tuesday!** Can you believe we've reached that point already? We are so thankful that we have been able to be in school all of these days! God is good!

***How are the President Hometasks coming along?** We are excited to learn about different Presidents our country has had, and how they helped form our nation. Remember, they are due Wednesday, February 16.

***We are so proud of the kids and how they presented the chapel message on Monday!** We hope you were able to watch online!

Religion

We will be finishing our religion book on miracles next week. Wow, it's been a great journey reviewing all of Jesus' wonderful miracles. We will also do some work in our Compassion Section of our notebooks to prepare for an end of the year project. We will add Jesus' miracles as evidence that He was ALWAYS showing compassion. We will also discuss if anyone was able to share compassion at home, especially during these cold, snowy days.

Reading/Language

Next week our stories focus on heroes! We will discuss what makes a hero, and do a writing activity about a 'hero' in our lives. Our phonics focus will be the or and ore sound, and we will look at the prefix over-. In Language we will practice writing longer sentences and using commas in a series.

Science

We will continue our lessons about the Earth, focusing specifically on the different bodies of water and how they help and impact our environment.

Memory Work

The third article of the Apostles' Creed: **I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen!**

Math

We will start the week with an assessment, then work on double digit subtraction and borrowing/regrouping. We are going to continue to practice double digit addition and writing money amounts in two different ways.

Social Studies

We will finish up our unit in our textbooks and students will receive their study guides on Tuesday. We will start on it in class, but students will be encouraged to take home all SS materials on Tuesday, Wed, and Thursday to study for the TEST ON FRIDAY. We will play the review game on Thursday.

Spanish

Our new Spanish unit will be studying animals and what foods/items we made from them.

Teacher Tip!

As we reflect back on National Lutheran Schools Week, we want to give a shout out to you, the parents, for your decision to send your children to Messiah! Lutheran Schools are a blessing, and it a blessing to see God work in the lives of our families. Being able to weave together Christian teachings and strong academics helps grow the whole child!

Spelling

horn, story, fork, score, store, corn, morning, shore, short, born, tore, forget