

2nd Grade: Mrs. Watkins and Mrs. Thomas

April 29, 2022

*H.I.S. Puppeteers

The H.I.S (Hands in Service) Puppeteers from St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Des Peres are coming to visit Messiah! They will share Jesus' love with our kids through fun skits and songs. Kids of all ages and parents are invited to the Square on Sunday, May 1 at 9:00am (during Messiah Kids). The performance will last 45 mins. We hope to see you there! *(Fun Fact: Mrs. Meyer's mom is the director of this group!)*

If your child hasn't attended Messiah Kids before, please [register here](#) ahead of time, so we can have a nametag ready for you!

*Monday, May 2nd is the **LHS Play4Parker Day**. Students may wear either their Play 4 Parker shirts or a blue shirt with their uniform bottoms. See the Mane Events for other details.

*Next week the children in K-2 will be taking some **standardized tests** in reading and math. These will help us understand strengths and weaknesses and help prepare for next year!

Religion

We will be learning more about Pentecost and the Holy Spirit next week. We will also be working on several special 'secret' projects, shhhh!!! ;)

Reading/Language

We will be reading more traditional tales in our reading books. One of the stories is Stone Soup, a classic favorite! In our "free time" we will be preparing to present our own version of the *Stone Soup* play. It will be ready for recording and viewing the last week of school.

Science

Next week we will wrap up our study of the earth and take our unit test on Wednesday.

Memory Work

I lift up my eyes to the hills - where does my help come from? My help comes from the Lord, the maker of Heaven and Earth.
Psalm 121:1-2

Spelling

aim, snail, bay, braid, ray, always, gain, sly, chain, shy, bright, fright

Math

Keep working on those x3 facts! Can you sing *Three is the Magic Number* by heart yet? :) We will also be working on time to the quarter hour.

Social Studies

These kiddos are so interested in history, and we are having a blast learning about Colonial times! Next week we will wrap up our Colonial Unit and the reading of Revolutionary War on Wednesday in preparation for Colonial Day on May 6th! *Reminder: Students should wear their Colonial costume on that Friday, or wear their school uniform.*

Spanish

Next week we will review with Loteria on Monday and then take our test on Tuesday!

Teacher Tip!

We're not quite to summer yet, but now is a great time to start planning for it! Included here is a link for a wonderful reading program provided by Lindenwood University. We also would love for you to consider Messiah's Day Camp. It's a great way for the kids to see some of their friends while running, playing, and staying connected to God's word!

lindenwood.edu/academics/beyond-the-classroom/summer-camps