

Memorial Lutheran School

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NEWSLETTER – 20

March 2-5, 2021

IMPORTANT DATES

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| Wednesday, March 10 | Tuition is due. |
| | Lent service at 7:00 PM |
| Wednesday, March 17 | Lent service at 7:00 PM |
| Wednesday, March 24 | Lent service at 7:00 PM |
| Friday, March 26 | End of third quarter |

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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| March 8 | Simeon |
| March 12 | Elizabeth |



FROM MRS. LEITZ

Preschool: This week we have been learning about Jesus instituting the Lord's Supper and teaching His disciples to serve instead of being served. The night before Jesus's death He reminds us that we are here to serve Him and others not ourselves. He did not come here to live the life of a King even though as our Lord and Savior He is certainly deserving of it. He lived a humble life and we want to follow His example.

The threes have been working on the letter R and working on cutting this week. The fours have been working on the rectangle shape and left and right. The new group have been listening to sounds and telling if some sounds are the same or different. We have started learning about dinosaurs!

May you all have a wonderful weekend!

Kindergarten: This week we have been learning about Jesus instituting the Lord's Supper and teaching His disciples to serve instead of being served. The night before Jesus's death He reminds us that we are here to serve Him and others not ourselves. He did not come here to live the life of a King even though as our Lord and Savior He is certainly deserving of it. He lived a humble life and we want to follow His example.

In math we have been working on addition, subtraction, and the number 15. For Superkids we have finished letter M and are working on letter P next.

* Please look for a note about the letter P picnic we will have. In science we are having a test on properties.

May you all have a wonderful weekend!

FROM MRS. DOMKE AND GRADES 1-5

This week in our study of God's Word we continued studying the parables Jesus told on the Tuesday of Holy Week. The two we looked at this week were about the wicked renters and the wedding feast. In both parables Jesus urges people to see that He is the Savior and to follow Him. Jesus reminds people that to reject Him is to reject eternal life. We are so grateful that Jesus loves us so very much that He went to the cross for us, took away our sins, and ensured our place in heaven.

Thanks for taking the time to schedule a parent/teacher conference, parents. I sincerely appreciate the time to talk about progress. For those who haven't been able to schedule yet, I have time whenever you are ready!

Students may want to have a sweatshirt in school for those days when the weather decides to moderate, since we have 50 degree days and then 35 degree days. I guess that's Michigan!

Remember to help your first and second graders with memory work and hymn. Some kids could really use more practice, even though we do work on them in school.

We are going to begin working on our musical for the end of the school year. I don't know exactly how we'll make it work, but I know we need to! It is important for us to have a few more "normal" things happening this year!

Thanks for everything and have a great weekend!

GENERAL INFORMATION

WE WILL HAVE three more midweek Wednesday evening Lent services before Holy Week. The services are at 7:00 PM. Join your hearts with others as we hear about what Jesus did to pay for our sins that we might have eternal life with Him in heaven.

KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP AND PRESCHOOL INFORMATION DAYS Our congregation's Board of Christian Education has decided that this year, in an effort to limit the number of people entering our school building during the school day and thus minimize the risk of spreading the Covid-19 virus, our Kindergarten Roundup and Preschool Roundup days will be held either remotely as parents meet with Mrs. Leitz via computer or phone, or in person by setting up a time with Mrs. Leitz to meet at school.

If you know of a family interested in Preschool (children must be 3 or 4 years old by September 1) or Kindergarten (children must be 5 years old by September 1) at our school for the 2021-2022 school year, please speak to Mrs. Leitz or Pastor Voss.

Mrs. Leitz and Mrs. Voss have prepared information flyers for you to distribute to families you know who have children in those age groups. Please speak to one of them to get copies to distribute.

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER Yesterday Pastor Voss sent an email message to our school families asking if it works for the families to receive the weekly school newsletter by email and/or reading it on our church & school web site, rather than printing a copy of the newsletter each week for each family. ***If you want to continue to receive a printed copy, please let Pastor Voss know.***

NEEDED ART SUPPLIES Mrs. Chaffee is looking for some materials for art class that you may have around your house. She needs newspapers, any color(s) of yarn, and inexpensive paper plates. If you have any of these things, let Tracy or Mrs. Leitz or Mrs. Domke know. Thanks!

A NUMBER OF ITEMS on a cart inside the school lobby are available for free. In addition, one of our families wants to give away a corner desk the family no longer uses. Once the weather warms, Pastor Voss will wheel the cart outside occasionally in the morning so you can take a look at the items. If you're interested in the corner desk, let Pastor Voss know and he'll put you in touch with the family.

We don't want either the cart or this newsletter to become a clearinghouse for families who have items they wish to give away. If, as things develop, we decide not to publicize this anymore due to the volume of items received, we trust that you will understand.

Here is the contact information for the men on our congregation's Board of Christian Education.

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THE THEME FOR THIS SCHOOL YEAR IS GOD'S GRACE IS ENOUGH FOR US. Our theme is based on 2 Corinthians 12:9 and it reminds us that God's undeserved love for us sinners in Christ's sacrifice to save us is the greatest blessing and most certain truth in all the world. May He ever keep all of us in the faith that trusts our Savior!



GOD'S GRACE IS ENOUGH FOR US

And he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, because my power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore I will be glad to boast all the more in my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may shelter me. 2 Corinthians 12:9

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