



May



Holy Cross Lutheran
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Mrs. Thomas' Classroom Newsletter

Thank You!

I would just like to thank you for the opportunity you have given me this year to have your child in my class. This year has been a blessing to me-filled with many memories of a great group of kids. I wish you a restful summer! God's blessings!

Last Day of School-

On the last day of school, we will be having field day in the morning. The closing service will be at 2:45 in the church. After lunch, our class will go to Freddy's for visiting and an ice cream treat. I plan to leave about 1:15 and get back by 2:30 at the latest. I hope you will be able to join us and assist with the driving.



A Note from the Librarian-

All library books should be turned in by this date to the school library. Classroom library books should be turned in by Wednesday of next week. Thanks.

Reading-

We listened to book reports this week. It was fun to see what objects the kids chose to put in their bags and hear what the symbolism was. It also gave me a list of vacations spots for the future! We read examples of narrative poetry and realistic fiction this week. We discussed stanzas, repetition, and figurative language.

Spelling-

There will be no test next week.

Please have the kids bring an extra bag to school next Wednesday in case they need it to carry supplies home for the summer!

English-

We continued to work with adverbs, words that mean "no," and synonyms and antonyms. *We will plan on taking the Unit 7 test on Wednesday.*

Religion-

We discussed the miracle of Jesus raising Jairus's daughter and the parable of the sower. *Memory work for Tuesday will be John 11:25: Jesus said, "I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in Me, though he die, yet shall he live."*

Social Studies-

We read about and discussed the Great Lakes and Plains states this week. *We will take the next states test on Tuesday over the Western region. The list is attached.*



Science-

We obtained information, graphed, and interpreted data, and described patterns relating to speed.

Math-

This week we solved 2-step word problems and found the average, median, range, and mode of a set of data. *The last math test of the year will be on Thursday over Lessons 1-95.*

Spanish-

The 4th graders have been excellent Spanish students this year! They most recently have been working on vehicles of transportation, but are already very good at making simply sentences with the nouns they know in Spanish & colors, matching the gender of the adjectives with the nouns (even better than some middle school classes!) It has been a delight to work with them in Spanish! Thank you. Señora Amey