Mrs. DiGiovanni's 4th Grade Class Newsletter
March 2-6
2020

Dates to Remember

March 3...Spring pictures
March 6...Fish Fry, Grade 4
March 12...4th Grade Mass
March 13..No school (staff Inservice)
Fish Fry, Grade 1
March20...Fish Fry, Grade 5
March 24...Pre-K and K Round-up
March 27...2 hour Early out/ end of 3rd quarter/ gr. 2 Fish Fry
April 3...Fish Fry, Grades k and 6
April 10-13...Easter break

Ending with –ed/ing

Studying	joking
Served	dropped
Exciting	noticing
Cared	beginning
Dripping	changed
Stopped	walking
Sleeping	acting
Trying	address
Errand	collect
Decorating	prepared

More plurals

Children	patches	
Women	glasses	
Wolves	compasses	
Volcanoes	sketches	
Scarves	potatoes	
Loaves	zeroes	
Foxes	leaves	
Stitches	halves	
Weaknesses	brushes	
Sandboxes	heroes	
Succeed	traffic	equally
Mosquitoes	parentheses	

What are we studying?

Reading: We are reading 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea, by Jules Vern. Along with this book, we study vocabulary, sequence of events, character analysis, etc.

Spelling and Grammar: Spelling is worked on daily, with a pre-test on Mondays or Wednesdays and a final test on Fridays. In Grammar, we are working with **pronouns...**both singular and plural, their antecedents, and whether they are subject or predicate pronouns.

Math: We are learning about factors and multiples of numbers. We are practicing long division, which includes decimals and double digit divisors. We practice our Math facts daily with our "Rocket Math".

Social Studies/Science: We are studying the **Southwestern** states. In Science we are studying the **water cycle** and **weather.** We also read and discuss the Science Spin and Scholastic magazines.

Religion: We are studying chapter 13 in our "Alive In Christ" book, which emphasizes family love, and living out the fourth commandment. We also read in our Bibles, and journal about the life of Christ.

Writing: We will be writing about our families, and how we can honor the members of our families through our thoughts (prayers), words, and deeds. We are writing an essay about Harriet Tubman. We will write an essay about a "moment that I felt close to God. One of these essays will be entered into an essay contest.

Bible Verse of the Week

"You did not choose me, but I chose you, that you should go and bear fruit...so that whatever you ask in my Father's name, He may give it to you."

John 15:16