

Mrs. Prestwood's Ponderings

Third Grade



Shhh...Don't Say the "A" Word Yet!

On Ash Wednesday, almost 40 days ago, we buried our alleluias in a box so we could bring them back on Easter Sunday. But why? Does it become a bad word? Will you get in trouble if you say it before Easter? By no means! However, between Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, we are to reflect on the pain and suffering that Jesus went through for us, that He chose to do so we wouldn't have to die eternally. That is a very somber and sobering thought, enough for us to not have the joy of "alleluia" when we think about it. But what a joy it will be when we can once again say Alleluia, for the joy of Jesus rising to life again for us! So get those "A" words ready, for Easter joy is almost upon us once again!

MATH

. Last week, we added the concept of regrouping to multiplying 2 digit by 2 digit. This week, we will review this concept more to make sure we have mastered it.

No test this week!

GRAMMAR

Last week, we learned about quotations at the beginning and ending of sentences, as well as dialogue. We will continue with punctuating dialogue this week.

LATIN

Last week, we practiced translating adjectives with their nouns. This week, we learn ordinal numbers such as first, second, and third as well as the question **Quo vadis**, which means "Where are you going?"

Test on Friday, April 10.



"Oh sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things! His right hand and his holy arm have worked salvation for him.
Psalm 98:1

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Looking for a home church? Join us on Sunday at **Our Savior Lutheran Church!**
Bible class - 8:15

Church - 9:30

Sunday School for all ages - after church

HISTORY

Last week, we learned about Macbeth, King of Scotland, and El Cid, Spanish hero. This week, we learn about William the Conqueror and the Investiture Controversy involving Pope Gregory VII and Henry IV.

SCIENCE

Last week, we learned about Bradwardine and how different experiments can sometimes produce the same results. We even played bocce ball in the hall! This week, we will learn about Buridan and his study of projectiles and what affects their movement.



Easter Schedule at Our Savior Lutheran Church

- Palm Sunday Service - March 29 @ 9:30 with drama to follow
- Maundy Thursday Service - Thursday, April 2 at 7:00 with drama before and after
- Good Friday Service - Friday, April 3 at 7:00 with drama to follow
- Easter Sunday Service - Sunday, April 5 at 9:30 with egg hunt to follow

Learn By Heart, Week 30

Memory Work

What is the Office of the Keys? The Office of the Keys is that special authority which Christ has given to His church on earth to forgive the sins of repentant sinners, but to withhold forgiveness from the unrepentant as long as they do not repent.

"I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven." St. Matthew 16:19

Important Reminders

- **Wednesday, April 1 - Chapel at 8:15 - Families are welcome!**
- **Literature Test - Wednesday, April 1**
- **No school (Easter break) - Friday, April 3 and Monday, April 6.**
- **Easter party - Tuesday, April 7**

Please make sure you are checking your child's planner and signing it daily. This is the best way to communicate with your child about his or her school day and important assignments!