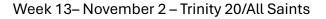


Pre-K Ponderings





BIBLE STORY & SONGS

- David and Goliath
- Only a Boy Named David
- A Mighty Fortress

LITERATURE & POETRY

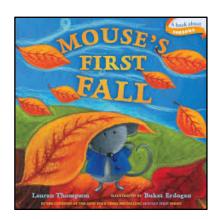
- First the Chicken, Laura Seeger
- Scared Is... Laura Purdie Salas
- A Nap in a Lap, Sarah Wilson
- The Biggest Shadow in the Zoo, Jack Kent
- Big Frank's Fire Truck, Leslie McGuire
- Just a Mess, Mercer Mayer
- Nighty Night Narwhal, Irene Montano
- The Tale of Peter Rabbi, Beatrix Potter
- The Foolish Tortoise, Eric Carle
- The Leaves on the Trees, Thom Wiley
- Love From the Crayons, Drew Daywalt
- Mouse's First Fall, Lauren Thompson



SHOW & TELL

(Tuesday)

Next week, bring an item that begins *or ends* with the letter Nn.



LETTERS & NUMBERS

- Reviewed Gg, Hh, Bb, Pp.
- Review 5. Things related to five: things shaped like pentagon (open envelope, doghouse, gems,
 - white part of soccer ball); vowels; food groups (fruits, vegetables, milk, meat, bread), oceans, Great Lakes, senses, branches of the military.

OUTDOOR LEARNING (Tuesday afternoon)

Fall scavenger hunt. We also took the kite outside in the afternoon during this windy fall weather.



SCIENCE (Thursday)

Fizzy spiders – Using a pipette, each child will get to squeeze vinegar onto a frozen block of baking soda and water. They will use tweezers to carefully extract the spiders from the frozen blocks of ice. This simple science activity is always a fun one!



Reminders

If you have any questions, please call/email me or the school office.

Please consider supporting this year's **Eagle Fund**! We have a lofty goal of \$100,000 to meet our budget needs for this calendar year. OSL is committed to teacher and staff development, safe grounds, rich curriculum, and quality materials. This all takes more funds than tuition can provide. We hope that you see the value in the education we provide and that you will consider donating towards this year's Eagle Fund.

Reformation Day, October 31st, commemorates when Martin Luther nailed his Ninety-Five Theses on the door of the Castle Church in Wittenberg, Germany in 1517. He wanted to take part in an academic debate, protesting the Catholic church's practice of indulgences. He opposed the view that salvation from our sins could be bought, pointing to the truth of the Bible, that faith and salvation is only through Jesus' blood shed on the cross (Ephesians 2:8-9), not able to be purchase or earned. Many other reformers began sharing the truth of God's Word, opening the discussion about the Bible. Because it was now easier to print the Bible in the common language of the people, many ideas were spread far and wide. Other reformers were Martin Brucer (1491-1551) a Protestant, John Calvin (1509-1564) a French theologian, Thomas Cranmer (1486-1541) was part of the English reformation, John Knox (1513-1572) was an Anglican reformer, and Pierre Viret (1511-1571) was a Swiss reformer. Lutherans teach grace alone, faith alone, and Scripture alone.



Scripture Alone



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