

# Mrs. Prestwood's Ponderings

## Third Grade



### *Ashes to Ashes, Dust to Dust*

Have you ever wondered what this phrase really means? When God created Adam and Eve, He created them from the dust of the earth and His Breath of Life. Man was created for God's glory by God's glorious power! But then man made the mistake, causing all to live in sin from the moment of conception. This sin makes us heartily sorry, and we place ashes on our foreheads on Ash Wednesday as a reminder of how sorrowful we really are. Then at the end of our lives, when God calls us to Him, we return as dust to the earth. But that is not the end for us, only our physical bodies, for from then, we live with God eternally, with no ashes and no dust, just glorious life! Amazing!

#### MATH

Last week, we learned rounded by 10s, 100s, and 1000s and learned how to estimate and why we estimate. Next week, we will learn how to multiply 2 digit numbers by 2 digit numbers. This will be a slower process for some, so be patient with both yourselves and your scholars!.

**Test on Friday, March 6**

#### GRAMMAR

Last week, we finished working with conjunctions and types of sentences. Next week, we will learn helping verbs and linking verbs.

#### LATIN

Last week, we learned about adjectives and how they have the same endings as the nouns they modify. Next week, we will continue practicing with adjectives describing nouns of different declensions. Keep studying those words!

**Test on Friday, March 6**



“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 focused solely on our history fair projects as we did our timelines in class as well as our poster boards. Next week, we will have the culmination of our hard work as we present our projects to the class and to the school. We have worked really hard for this!

**Dress rehearsal - Monday, March 2; Presentation - Tuesday, March 3 at 6:30**

## SCIENCE

Last week, we did not do science as we finished our history fair projects. Next week, we will study for a test that we will have over our labs on Thursday, March 5.

**Test on Thursday, March 5**

## Important Reminders

- **Memory Work test - Friday, March 6**
- **Math Test - Friday, March 6**
- **Dress rehearsal for history project - Monday, March 2**
- **History Fair Presentation - Tuesday, March 3**
- **Science Test - Thursday, March 5**
- **Latin Test - Friday, March 6**
- **Geography Test - Friday, March 6**

## Learn By Heart, Week 26,

**Memory Work: What is confession?** Confession has two parts.

First, that we confess our sins, and second, that we receive absolution, that is, forgiveness, from the pastor as from God Himself, not doubting, but firmly believing that by it our sins are forgiven before God in heaven.

*"If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just, will forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." 1 John 1:8-9*

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!

## Lenten Schedule

March 4, 11, 18, 25 - Lenten services with meal before.  
Please join us as we walk to the cross with our LORD.

