

Mrs. Prestwood's Ponderings

Third Grade



OUR SAVIOR

LUTHERAN SCHOOL

Nifty Week 9!

As we head into the last week of the quarter, I am challenging the children to be more independent in searching for answers. While we always read through the material as a class, it is more the children's responsibility to search for answers. I am always available to help, but I eagerly foster their desire for more independence and more challenges to help them think!

MATH

Last week, we learned how to find the area of a shape. We also learned that we **ALWAYS** need to label our answers! This week, we will learn how to solve for the unknown on Monday and then practice this skill throughout the week. **We will not have a test on Friday in math.**

GRAMMAR

Last week, we took a test over parts of speech and types of sentences. Because this was challenging for many, we will retest for those who need it on Monday. However, we will dive into prepositions on Tuesday.

LATIN

Last week, we learned new vocabulary and wrote flash cards over our Latin. This week, we will continue working on word cases as well as declension of nouns. **We will have a Latin test on Thursday.**



"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 Constantine I and the Edict of Milan as well as Augustine of Hippo.

This week, we will stray from our timeline a bit as we start studying about Martin Luther and the Protestant reformation.

We will have a geography test on Thursday.

SCIENCE

Last week, we learned about Ptolemy and his theory of the shape of the universe. We will be taking a break this week from science as we study Martin Luther, but will come back to Ptolemy after the fall break.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- **Latin test - Thursday, Oct. 9; Mid-Atlantic states geography test - Thursday, October. 9; Memory Work due - Friday, October. 10**
- **Annual Scarecrow Contest - Starts September 23**
- **Picture Retakes and Makeups - Wednesday, October 8.**
- **2025 Book Fair - Live Now! In person 10/6-10/10**
- **Parent-Teacher Conferences - Oct. 15/16**

Look at These Important Dates!

Every Friday - Donut Friday (Bring \$1 to support 8th grade trip and get a donut!)

Life With God Class - Monday at 6:30 PM in the Bible classroom (lower level of church)

Grandparents' Day - October 10th - RSVP now to come and join us!

Smart Families Talks (Online event)- October 21 (9am or 7 pm)

Learn by Heart Memory - Week 9, Trinity 16

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. What does this mean? I believe that God has made me and all creatures; that He has given me my body and soul, eyes, ears, and all my members, my reason and all my senses, and still takes care of them. He also gives me clothing and shoes, food and drink, house and home, wife and children, land, animals, and all I have. He richly and daily provides me with all that I need to support this body and life. He defends me against all danger and guards and protects me from all evil. All this He does only out of fatherly, divine goodness and mercy, without any merit or worthiness in me. For all this it is my duty to thank and praise, serve and obey Him. This is most certainly true.

"[For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him will not perish but have eternal life." John 3:16

Annual Fund - Donate Today!

Through our annual fund, we seek to ensure that our school continues to provide high-quality Christian education to all our scholars, regardless of their financial circumstances.

All gifts will allow Our Savior Lutheran School to go above and beyond for its scholars and families. We have a lofty goal this year for our #EagleFund of \$100,000. Please help us meet our end of year budget needs by supporting this year's #EagleFund campaign!

If we reach our goal by December 31, our scholars will get an extra day of Winter Break in February!

Thank you in advance for your support. We can't do this without you!