



# Mrs. Prestwood's Ponderings March 25, 2024

### Math

Last week, we explored different combinations of numbers that added up to 10. We worked with blocks and markers and saw that there are many different ways to make "10". This week, we will explore a little geometry as we look at how to find the area of a shape or a surface.

### Praise the Lord, and let all that is within me, bless His holy name!

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## Phonics and Literature

Last week, we learned the letter "w", read about where wild things are and about watermelons, and tasted wheat berry salad. (Thank you, Mrs. Goodrum!) This week, we will learn the digraph "wh", which sounds a lot like w, but with an extra puff of air. We are so excited to be almost done learning the entire alphabet and the rules that we follow with language. The scholars are becoming excellent readers! Our red words this week are could, she, when, and one. For show and tell, bring something that reminds you of Jesus' love!

#### **Science**

Last week, we studied ants, learned about their life cycle, their habitats, and some interesting facts about them. We were also introduced to our brand new class pets - butterflies! We will be studying butterflies and exploring their life as we prepare for our field trip to the Cockrell Butterfly Center on April 11th.



## Please help your scholar memorize weekly to keep within their hearts.

Consider your place in life according to the Ten Commandments. Are you a father, mother, son, daughter, husband, wife, or worker? Have you been disobedient, unfaithful, or lazy? Have you been hot-tempered, rude, quarrelsome? Have you hurt someone by your words or deeds? Have you stolen, been negligent, wasted anything, or done any harm?

"Masters, treat your servants in the same way. Do not threaten them, since you know that He who is both their Master and yours is in heaven, and there is no favoritism with him." Ephesians 6:9

### **History**

Last week, we did not get a chance to study history as we were wrapped up with our ants in science. This week, we will catch up with life in ancient Crete and hear about King Minos and the minotaur.

### <u>Important Reminders!</u>

Every Wednesday at 9:45 - Chapel. All are welcome!

OSL Summer Camp is just around the corner. Call the office to register your child for all the exciting things happening this summer!

Remember to re-enroll your scholar for 2024-25.

Current students need to re-enroll for the coming year and space is limited!

### **Religious Studies**

Last week, we read about the week leading up to the death and resurrection of Jesus on Easter.

This week, we will continue hearing that God loves us so much that He sent His only Son to die and rise again. We have been looking forward to this part of Jesus's life for a long time and we are so excited to be able to say

the "a" word again!

#### **Look Ahead**

Sunday-Friday - Holy Week Observation

Sunday, March 24th - Palm Sunday service (9:00)

Thursday, March 28th - Maundy Thursday chapel (am); evening service (7:00)

Friday, March 29th - Good Friday (No school)

Sunday, March 31st - Easter service and celebration

Monday, March 31 - Easter Monday (No school)

Tuesday, April 1st - Class Easter party (2:15)

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