

By the power of God's Spirit, the mission of Bethany Lutheran School is to train, equip, and support witnesses for His kingdom.



January 23, 2022

Week 22



Dear 2nd Grade Families,

Curriculum for this week:

- **Religion:** Hear the unique way God spoke to Elijah and then see when Elisha, through God's power, healed Naaman. We'll also discuss how Naaman's washing away of leprosy points us to our washing away of sins through our Baptism.
- **Reading:** Finish reading *Dear Juno* by Soyung Pak; enjoy reading groups; begin a novel study on *The New Year Dragon Dilemma* by Ron Roy. The students will have a bookmark in their borrowed book with the reading assignment schedule listed. Students will read 1 chapter a night as homework then we'll re-read and discuss the chapter at school the next day. Parents may SHARE this reading with your child, depending on their reading level. Please note that the time spent reading can count for Book It minutes!
- **Grammar:** Review proofreading for subject and verb agreement in sentences.
- **Writing:** Continue revising our informational paragraphs about second grade as we beef up our detail sentences (the red E's) with detailed words and strengthen our conclusion sentences.
- **Phonics:** Review identifying words with the long 'o' sound spelled -o, -oa, -ow.
- **Spelling:** Wrap up Unit 7; begin Unit 8 with the Word Preview and by practicing words with the long 'a' sound spelled -ai, -ay, -a__e, and some other surprise spellings.
- **Math:** Practice the -2 facts; practice mentally subtracting 10 from a 2-digit number; learn how to use an open number line to add and subtract within 100; practice measuring to the nearest half inch; add 2-digit numbers to get a sum greater than 100; and use place value blocks to show numbers.
- **Science:** Finish our unit on Matter as we investigate ways to change and combine matter, see how temperature can affect matter, review concepts with the mysterious substance called Oobleck, and take the unit test.

Let's have a blessed week in Christ!

Mrs. Janetzke

Miss Hoffman

Upcoming dates:

- **Wednesday, 1/26-** chapel offerings support Redeeming Life Outreach Ministry's Maternity home
- **Friday, 1/28-** 100th Day of School
- **Tuesday, 2/1-** January Book It log due
- **Tuesday, 2/1-** Chinese New Year's day!

Memory Corner:

Due Friday, 1/28

"Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. Acts 2:38"
Home Connection: Tell your child about his/her baptism including date, location, sponsors, Pastor and visitors. Your child may also bring in 1 picture from his/her Baptism which we will display throughout the week.

Theme: In All Things

"For by him all things were created in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities- all things were created through him and for him." Colossians 1:16