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The Timber Times
April 25, 2019

School News

Mission Offering

Our total collected for the year so far has come to \$326.33. Thank you for your continued offerings to help support Shepherd of the Hills Church in Las Vegas, NV!

Easter Break

We hope you enjoyed your time off over the past Easter weekend! Now, on to the final push before the end of the school year!

Mighty Timber

Ashlianne Mjelde found MT Jr. last week! Find her picture on the next page to see where she found him! Mighty Timber is still looking for his LAST hiding spot of the year; he hopes to make it a good one! We will keep you posted when he decides!

3rd Quarter Free Pass Activity

Next week the kids who earned the free pass activity will be headed to Wonderland to mini-golf together! Congratulations to those of you who earned this activity!

Piano Lessons

Next week Monday will be Mrs. Turner's last day of piano lessons for the year. Thank you so much to Mrs. Turner for dedicating your time and talents this year to teach the kids! We truly appreciate you!

Word of the Week

K-1's word of the week this week is "surround." Turn the page to see Joanne Reofrir's example!

Preschool Teacher Aide Position

Because of our anticipated enrollment for the 2019-2020 school year, St. Matthew will be looking for a teacher aide in the preschool for next year! If you are interested in applying for this position, please speak with Mr. Biebert to pick up an application. Thank you!

K-1 Sing in Church

This Sunday Grades K-1 will be singing in church at 10:00AM! Please plan to attend this service! If you have a child in the K-1 classroom and you will not be able to attend, please let Miss Taasaas know as soon as possible.

Upcoming Dates

April

25 Softball Practice—3:30-5:00PM
28 Grades K-1 Sing—10:00AM
30 Softball Practice—3:30-5:00PM

Yearbook Orders

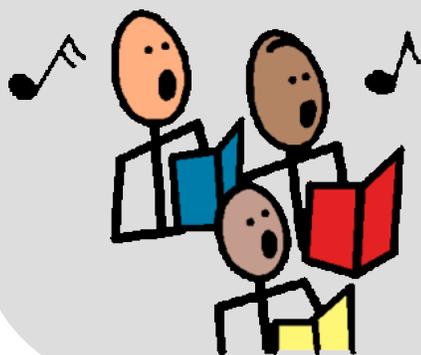
All yearbook orders must be turned in **next Friday, May 3!** Please attach payment with the order form. If you lost the original order form, please speak with Mrs. Biebert. We would be happy to get you another one!

D.C. Yard Work Day

Calling all D.C. trip kids! We are having our yard work clean up day on May 18. Please mark your calendars for this event, and plan to attend! Thank you!

Read2Ride

Silverwood's "Read2Ride" tickets should be here sometime next week! As soon as we receive the tickets we will pass them on to the rightful owners!



**GRADES K-1 SING
THIS SUNDAY
10:00AM**

4/26 Cleaning

Upstairs: D'Andrade

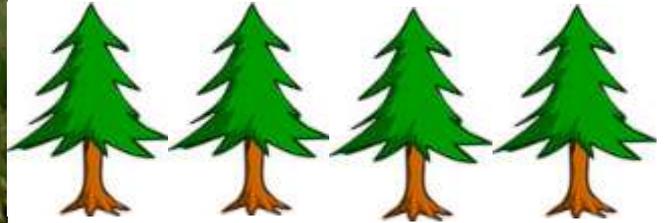
Downstairs: Posey

General School News – Continued



Ashlianne found MT Jr. hiding in the bushes in front of school!

Congratulations, Ashlianne!!!



WORD OF THE WEEK SURROUND

Joanne Reofrir



Word of the week: Surround
Meaning: To enclose on all sides.



The island was surrounded by water.

Classroom News

Preschool News

Miss Donna Lindsay(509.638.5361)

What a fun week to be back at school! Last week, each of the preschool classes were able to decorate their own Class Resurrection Gardens. We "recreated" the place where Jesus' was buried after he died on the cross. We collected "treasures" from my backyard to make the Garden beautiful, placed Jesus in the "tomb", rolled a stone in front of the tomb and sprinkled the Garden with grass seed. This week, the children were able to see what happened to their Gardens. The grass had grown, the stone had been rolled away by "an angel", and they saw that. . . Jesus is not here!! He is ALIVE!!!!!! A beautiful hands-on demonstration of Jesus' resurrection!! So cool!!

We stepped up our musical practices this week and are now practicing "EIEI Oops!" with K & 1. Keep working with your children on their lines for the musical. I would love all of them to have their lines memorized by Thursday, May 2. If you don't think your child is able to do this, please let me know quickly - we will need to give them to another child. Thank you for your cooperation!!

Next week we will focus on Letter Y, so 4-year old classes, bring a "Y" show 'n' tell item next week.

We have our Ritter's Field Trip on Monday and Tuesday next week - at 10 and 1. Siblings are welcome, drivers are needed. Should be a beautiful day for planting!!

Have a wonderful weekend!

K-1st Grade News

Miss Rachel Taasaas(360.271.5201)

Homework

Kindergarten

- Read 20 minutes (or more) each day.
- Our Word Family is the -un family.

First grade

- Read 20 minutes (or more) each day.
- Reading books will be sent home tomorrow.
- Lightning Words due tomorrow, April 26.
- Spelling test tomorrow, April 26.



Memory Work for May 2:

Love your neighbor as yourself. Matthew 22:39b

Singing in Church

A note went home on Tuesday. Please continue to practice with your child at home. We sing in church this Sunday, April 28 at the 10 am service.

E-I-E-I Oops!

This year our Spring musical is E-I-E-I Oops! We have two performances: May 16 and 17 both at 6:30 pm. If your child has a speaking part in the play they need to have all of their lines memorized by May 3.

You are responsible for your child's costume. If you have questions please ask. Our dress rehearsal is Tuesday, May 14. All costumes need to be at school by Monday, May 13.

Literature Bags

Literature bags are back! Each Thursday your child will have an opportunity to take a different bag home. Please return the Literature bag by Tuesday morning. This gives me or a parent an opportunity to look through the bag and check to see if everything has been returned. Please make sure all of the books stay in the bag when they are not being read. You will be responsible for any books or stuffed animals that are lost or damaged.

2nd-4th Grade News

Mrs. Kelsey O' Haver (509.570.2023)

We have had a busy but short week. We are currently doing play practice every day, so I am rotating on which subject we skip every day. I'm sure the kids have told you that! For that reason, there will be some random days when we do not have math, so you won't need to check papers.

Our big field trip is tomorrow. Since it is a long drive, I am making sure every driver has parent contact information in case of emergencies. So you know who your child is riding with...here are the driving arrangements:

Dana - Ginger & Robert
Kim - Josh
Michelle - Liam Y & Blake
Tinarose - Sage, MJ, & Liam T
Richard & Mark - Ben, Noah, Max, Martin
Mrs. O'Haver - Madison, Hannah, Leah
(Drivers - please be ready at school by 8:30! We will try to leave before 8:45.)

Please make sure you pack a lunch that does not need a microwave. Make sure your child has a water bottle as well. As I mentioned in the note earlier this week, we should be back by 3:30 pick up time, but just in case we are late (I have no idea what traffic is like) I will have drivers text or call parents.

I have had a few people ask about how much money to bring for ice cream. If you look on WSU's website - at Ferdinands - there is a menu with prices. Hopefully that will help.

Please feel free to call or text me if there are any questions!

We are so excited for tomorrow! Blessings on the rest of your week!

5th-8th Grade News

Mr. Jacob Biebert (715.402.0094)

Christ is Risen! I hope all of you had a fantastic Easter celebration. What a great celebration of our freedom of sin, death, and the devil. Now, on to the last push towards the end of the year!

Here is the memory work for our short week next week: **Monday(4/29): 1 Peter 1:13, 1 Peter 1:18,19 Tuesday(4/30): 1 Peter 1:23, 1 Peter 2:2,3 Wednesday(5/1): 3rd Article Thursday(5/2): Hymn 505:4,5 Friday(5/3): 1 Peter 2:9**

5-6th grade history has a presentation on slavery in the early colonies coming up on Monday. The students were given topic categories for their Google Slides. I had the kids come up with what they thought the topics should be first. They did GREAT! It has been amazing to see them grow this year in what they are capable of doing. They are all very much ready for the next step into upper grade history.

The 7-8th graders have a very meaty period in U.S. and Washington State history. They are looking at the Cold War and the Civil Rights movement.

Can you hear me? Our science class is learning about sound waves. We learned that not only can you hear sound, but you can also feel and see it. The students will be designing their own telephones in a group.

Our next D.C. fundraiser is May 18th. Please mark it on your calendars and plan on attending. God's Blessings on all of your week-ends. I will be wearing the hard hat this weekend as we remodel our basement. When our house collapses.....you know why!

Weekly Message

He Was Raised to Life for You

In 1994, Nevest Coleman was working his dream job as a groundskeeper for the Chicago White Sox, until he was convicted of murdering a 20-year-old woman. He received a life sentence. Twenty-three years later, in November of 2017, DNA evidence proved that the crime was committed by someone else. He was released from prison. A few weeks later, for the first time in more than two decades, Nevest Coleman showed up again for work. The Chicago White Sox had given him his job back.

As he languished in prison those twenty-three years, Mr. Coleman must have thought he would never again work at his dream job. Just as Jesus' disciples thought they would never see Jesus again—not after

what had happened to him on Friday. His horrible death had shattered their dreams and left them wondering what they would do now.

But at various times over the following weeks, their friend who had been so wrongly convicted, was standing right there in front of them, fully alive even after he had died. Showing them that, in the end, death does not win. Jesus did. And, because of Jesus' victory, death does not get the final say in the existence of Jesus' fol-

lowers. Jesus does. You see, it wasn't his own victory he was most eager to show the world. It was yours. "By this gospel, YOU are saved," the Bible says. No matter how weak, exhausted, guilty, or broken you feel from day to day. You are saved!

Prayer:

Father in heaven, thank you for the gift of salvation. Help me to live confident of the victory I have been given through my risen Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

By this gospel you are saved . . . For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, and then to the Twelve.

1 Corinthians 15:2-5