



November 25-26, 2024

Here are some notes for the week:

★ Reminders:

- We have chapel every Monday. The 2nd quarter missions will go to help the WELS world mission in the United Kingdom.
- Please be aware that morning temperatures are around the 30-35 degree mark. We have had many children showing up without, what one might say, is proper winter wear in Wisconsin. Younger children are especially encouraged to bring a hat, gloves, and even a coat as they go outside before it really starts to warm up for the day.
- Next singing date is the Children Choir sings at 8:00a.m on December 15th at 10am service at St. Stephen's.
- St. Stephen's is going to be a part of the Beaver Dam Holiday Parade again this year on Saturday, December 7 at 5:00 pm.

We are looking for enthusiastic volunteers to walk the route as we hand out candy and pass out fliers promoting our church and school. Participants are encouraged to wear our school colors. Since it will be dark, light-up necklaces or glow sticks, etc. may be a fun addition!! What a wonderful way to let others know about us.

- Donations of candy may be brought to the school office.
 - Details about our location on the parade route will be forthcoming.
 - Please consider joining us for this fun event and/or making a candy donation
 - Any question?: Reach out to Karen Cooper at kcooper@saintstephen.org.
- On Tuesday, November 26, starting promptly at 2:00, the students will be gathering in the gym for a jump rope competition. Parents and families are invited to attend. We ask that you park in the main west lot and enter the school through the office door (S1). We are also asking that the students wear their tie dye t-shirts that were given out at the beginning of the year as a sign of solidarity. Thank you.
 - There is no school Wednesday-Friday, November 27-29 due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

- On Friday December 20, we will have a classroom party and gift exchange. If your child would like to be part of the gift exchange, please bring a gift of no more than \$10. Boys will buy a gift meant for a boy. Girls will buy a gift meant for a girl.
- ★ Students will be bringing home a red folder every day. Please take out the papers that say keep at home. If it is in return to school, please return. These things will be field trips slips, project notes, or uncompleted homework from school.
- ★ **Here's what we will be learning this week:**
 - Christ Light we will learn stories about the faith of the Captain and Gentile Woman.
 - **No Memory Work for this week. But next week passages will be:**
 - **Wednesday December 4th** ...Mary was pledged in marriage to Joseph. Before they came together, she was found to be with child by the Holy Spirit. Joseph, her husband, was a righteous man and did not want to disgrace her. So he decided to divorce her privately (Matthew 1:18-19).
 - **Friday December 6th** "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward mankind" (Luke 2:13-14).
 - Math we will learn :
 - (Monday) Ordering Two-Digit Numbers
 - (Tuesday) Addition Facts: Sums of 13 and 14 / Making an Organized List to Solve a Problem
 - (Wednesday-Friday) No School
 - Superkids we will learn:
 - Decode and encode words with oi/oi/, oy/oi/, ou/ou/, ow/ou/, and ow/ō/.
 - Encode and decode words with tag-along e
 - **Spelling Words due 12/6**
 - boy, enjoy, joined, points, shout, ground, around, crowd, flower, snow, below, yellow
 - Science/ Social Studies will be about people, places, and the environment.
 - Music we will work on the song we are singing for Children Christmas service.

Please let me know if you have any questions this week.

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