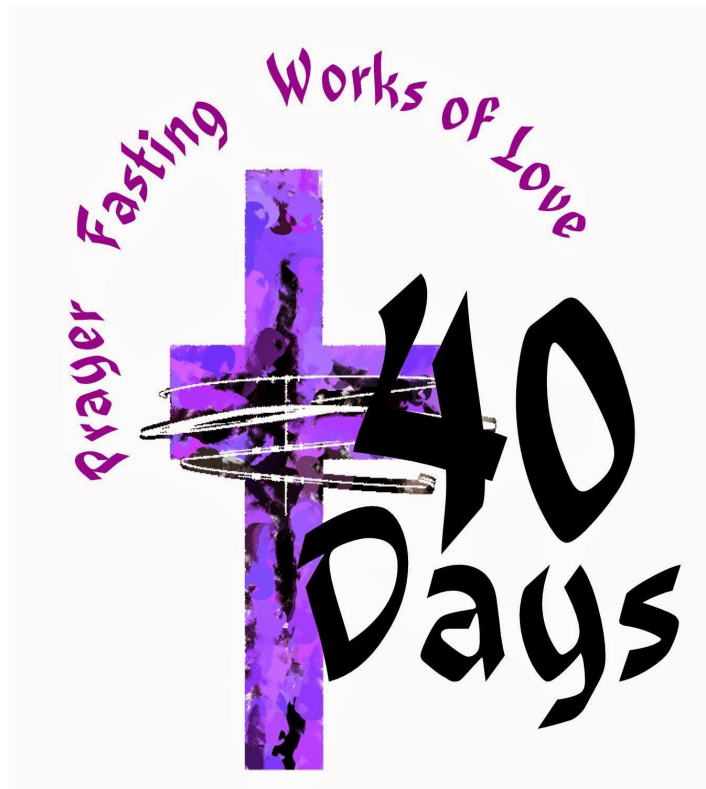


March 2022 Newsletter
Grade 2R



Dear Parents,

March has arrived very quickly. This will be a busy month for the students as they continue to learn story writing. We are also journeying through Lent and preparing for the wonderful celebration of Easter.

Language Arts

Reading: Please continue to read every night! Fluency in oral reading always improves the more the students read AND by reading the same texts a few times through. It's good for them to continue to read story books to improve and fine tune their fluency and expression. They are all welcome to share a book that they have practiced by being a "guest reader" in our class. Children always love reading out loud to their classmates using the microphone!

Working with Words: We are continuing to focus on these in our writing each week at school but would love for you to extend the learning at home. If you have time, please work on **spelling** these words correctly within a sentence!

Feb. 28 - March 3 - food, work, brother, through, funny

March 7 - 11 - gave, things, close, even, grow

March 14 - 18 - gone, same, knew, begin, winter

March 21 - 24 - must, stop, happy, catch, third

March 28 - April 1 - night, goes, last, school, walk



Math:

We are continuing our unit on **Addition and Subtraction Strategies**. The students are really developing an understanding of these strategies. Please continue to play math games at home to help enhance this learning!

Science:

We are finishing our unit on **Hot and Cold Temperatures**. We will be starting our next unit on **Magnetism** very soon and we will be learning about and exploring magnets.

Social Studies:

We are continuing our new unit that focuses on the Canadian Inuit community of Iqaluit. The students have really enjoyed learning about the culture and language and symbols of this unique Canadian community.



Important Dates for March

February 28-March 3 - Friend of the Week is Denzel

March 1 - Shrove Tuesday - School Council will provide pancake lunch.

March 2 - Ash Wednesday - Liturgy in the afternoon.

March 4 - PD Day - NO SCHOOL

March 7-11 - Friend of the Week is Mateo M.

March 11 - Hot Lunch (Boston Pizza)

March 14-18 - Friend of the Week is Nicole

March 18 - Hot Lunch (Subway)

March 21-24 - Friend of the Week is Noah

March 23,24 - Parent/Teacher Interviews

March 25 - Lieu Day - NO SCHOOL

March 28- April 1 - Friend of the Week is Teddy

March 31 - Lent Mass at St. Mary's Church

Have a blessed journey through Lent with your families!

God Bless,
Cathy Ratzlaff

