

**School Theme: Walk By Faith!**  
**Fifth/Sixth Grade News**  
**Highlights for**  
**October 7-October 11!**

**Christ-Light**--Jacob and Laban; Jacob's Return

**Memory gems:** Hymn 593:1-5 & passages

**Catechism:** Lesson 11: Jesus Christ, True God; Lesson 12: Jesus Christ, True Man; Miss Erica's card

**Reading**--Novel: The Whipping Boy by Sid Fleischman; Quiz on Chapters 1-9; read chapters 10-15; vocabulary words: predict meaning, exact meaning, part of speech, sentence, & picture

**Spelling**--Fifth grade: Unit 8--le, el words; Sixth grade: Unit 8--ie, ei words

**English**--Verbs: Review action (main) & helping verbs; direct objects

**Spanish**--Numbers 1-20; 30-100

**Writing**--Review stages of writing: Brainstorming; evaluate each others poems

**Rainbow writing:** Haiku poetry--4 season poems that follow the syllable pattern: 5-7-5

**Math**--Fifth grade: Listing the factors of whole numbers; Division with and without remainders; recognizing halves; parentheses and the Associative Property; Martin Luther College meet math: problem solving; Sixth grade: Ratio & Rate; adding and subtracting fractions that have common denominators; writing division answers as mixed numbers, multiples; investigation 2: using fraction manipulatives

**Science--Fifth grade & Sixth Grade:** scientific method: Comparing the different containers to see if glycerine keeps bubbles from popping; students applied Daniel Bernouli's Principle to keep bubbles flying through the air

**Geography--**United States: states & capitals; major cities of the U.S.; physical features of the U.S.

**Social Studies--**Exploration Unit: Bartholomew Diaz, Vasco da Gama, Christopher Columbus, Hernan Cortez, Francisco Pizzaro, Aztec and Inca people; the students researched on different explorers finding out what country they sailed, the years they explored, and what they explored or discovered.

**Physical Education--**softball unit: base running; hitting, fielding, and a game of wiffle ball

**Art--**Silhouette Painting

*Memory gems, quizzes, and tests for the week!*

**Monday:** Memory gems: The Fifth Commandment; Spelling: pretest unit 9; Math: test 4 A

**Tuesday:** Memory gems: Genesis 39:9b, Psalm 50:15, & Romans 8:28

**Wednesday:** Memory gems: The Seventh Petition with explanation; Spelling: practice test unit 9

**Thursday:** Field Trip!

**Friday:** Memory gems: Hymn 446:1-4 (5th); 1-5 (6th); Spelling: final test unit 9; Bible people quiz; Science: Bubbleology test

**Mission Money!**

1st quarter: Apache Native Americans in Peridot, Arizona

Your child can give mission money any time throughout the week.

So far we have collected \$33.45!

**Art Fair!**

Thank you to everyone who helped their child with the procedures or steps that he/she took while working on the project. Project card is due on Friday, October 18 along with the project!

### **Softball Unit!**

We started a softball unit two weeks ago; we have been using rag balls, softballs, and gloves. I do not have enough gloves for 21 students. Some students have brought them to school. If your son/daughter has a glove at home, could he/she bring it to school? Thank you for your help!

### **Leaves for Art!**

When the weather is dry, I would like the children to gather some leaves from their home. He/she can put them in a zip-lock bag & bring them to school. I have one student who has already done this. Thank you for your help in this matter.

### **Spelling Words!**

Your child's unit 9 spelling words are in the special envelope; there is a list of 20 and 21 words; the list of 21 words are more challenging; your child may choose the list of words he/she wants to take for their pre-test on Monday. Final test will be on Friday. Some students have 15 words. The list of 20 words are also found in their spelling book.

### **Dates to Remember/Other News!**

Thursday, October 17--Milwaukee Zoo Field Trip leaving at 7:45 A.M. All chaperones will be notified by Mr. Krebs this weekend!

Friday, October 18: art fair project should be brought to school

Wednesday, October 23--Roller Skating Party from 6-8:00 P.M.

October 28-31--Boys' Volleyball practices will be held from 3-4:30 P.M.

**Field trip to the Milwaukee Zoo: October 17!**

Thank you to those who are able to drive to the Milwaukee Zoo: Audra Gentz, Jennifer White, Jessica Kast, & Katie Winter. We will need an extra driver for the remaining chaperones that are not able to go with the above drivers. According to my records, Shannon Schmidt, Tammy Bunkoske, Shirley Nehls, Kevin Schultz, Cheryl Koepsel, and Ashley Rabebl are chaperoning. If there is anyone else, please contact me this weekend. Remember to bring a sack lunch with something to drink and some spending money for souvenirs. Kevin Schultz will bring two coolers for all of us.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Mr. Krebs

Have a fun-filled weekend!  
Stay connected to Jesus!



























