***January 8, 2018***

***Central Lutheran School***

4th Grade News

***Miss Keuning***

**A Glance at Upcoming Events**

Wednesday, Jan. 10th – 1:15 Dismissal

Monday, Jan. 15th – No School

Thursday, Jan. 18th – PTL Mtg (6:30pm)

Wednesday, Jan. 24th – 1:15 Dismissal

**Memory Work**

**For Tuesday:**

*Books of the New Testament (continued)*

1 Timothy, 2 Timothy, Titus, Philemon, Hebrews, James, 1 Peter, 2 Peter, 1 John, 2 John, 3 John, Jude, Revelation

**For Friday:**

*Luther’s Morning Prayer*

I thank you, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray that You would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that all my doings and life may please You. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

**Reading**

This week we will be reading *Paul Bunyan* and talking about tall tales. The students will be working on new vocabulary words, generalizing, inferring, and hyperbole.

**Grammar**

This week we will be working on irregular verbs and continue to review the concepts we have covered previously.

**Math**

This week the students will be learning about division with remainders, the calendar, rounding, and comparing fractions.

There will be a math test on Thursday.

**Social Studies**

We will continue learning about different cultures and groups of people in the United States and the way that each of them contributes to our country. (We didn’t get quite as far last week as I thought because of the delays 😊)

We have also been working on identifying states, cities, famous landmarks, and the like on a map.

If your child uses an iPad at home, “Stack the States” is a great resource to help him/her practice. There is a free and paid version.

**Science**

We will finish up our study of dinosaurs and fossils with our video series from Answers in Genesis.

**Spelling**

Students will have their pre-test on Monday and final test on Friday. This week our words will focus on possessives and the use of apostrophes between singular and plural possessive words.

its hers

ours theirs

mine brother’s

yours brothers’

family’s teacher’s

families’ teachers’

man’s aunt’s

men’s aunts’

girl’s boy’s

girls’ boys’

**Challenge Words**

country’s countries’ witness’s

witnesses’ laboratory’s laboratories’

**Religion**

This week the students will be learning about Jonah and the Three Men in the Fiery Furnace.

Chapel is on Wednesdays at 8:30 in the north gym. You are welcome to join us!

This trimester our chapel offerings will be going to support missionaries providing children with Christian education through *Lead a Child*.

**Library**

Library is on Thursday. If your child brought his/her library book home this past week, please have him/her bring it back so that it can be returned or renewed.

**Red Folders**

Your child’s graded papers as well as announcements from the classroom and office will be in his/her red folder. Please take time to look through these with your child.

**COLD Weather is Here!**

It’s been VERY cold lately, too cold to be outside last week! However, this week looks like it will be cold, but not so cold that we can’t go outside. Since we have snow to play in, please make sure that your child has his/her appropriate cold weather and snow gear. This includes a winter coat, hat, gloves/mittens, possibly a scarf, snow pants, and snow boots.

**Have a blessed week!**

Miss Keuning