***October 2, 2017***

***Central Lutheran School***

4th Grade News

***Miss Keuning***

**A Glance at This Week**

* There is an early on Wed. at 1:15.
* Donuts with Dad is this Wednesday.

**A Glance at Next Week**

* Monday, October 9th is a no school day for the students.

**Memory Work**

**For Tuesday:**

7th Commandment with Meaning

You shall not steal.

*What does this mean?*

We should fear and love God so that we do not take our neighbor's money or possessions, or get them in any dishonest way, but help him to improve and protect his possessions and income.

**For Friday:**

8th Commandment with Meaning

You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor.

*What does this mean?*

We should fear and love God so that we do not tell lies about our neighbor, betray him, slander him, or hurt his reputation, but defend him, speak well of him, and explain everything in the kindest possible way.

**Reading**

We will read a new story this week; this unit will be focusing on stories about teamwork. As we read, we will also be studying a new set of vocabulary words. We will continue to review the reading concepts that we have covered so far this year, such as author’s purpose, sequence, main idea, use of details, and point of view.

**Grammar**

We will continue to work on types of sentences – simple, compound, and complex as well as subjects and predicates. This week our new focus will be common and proper nouns.

**Math**

This week the students will be working on rounding numbers, measuring with a ruler, perimeter, shapes, naming fractions, and adding money. There will be a math test on Tuesday.

**Social Studies**

We are talking about regions in social studies. We are working to identify the five regions in the United States and the states that make up each one. We are also continuing to work on learning where all the states are in the USA and the capitals of each state.

**Science**

We will finish up chapter 1 on Monday with some activities about the scientific method. Watch for a study guide for a chapter 1 test to come home today. We will be going over it on Friday to ensure that all students have the correct answers. The chapter 1 test will be next Wednesday (October 11th).

**Spelling**

Students will have their pre-test on Monday and final test on Friday. This week our words will focus on adding “-s” or “-es” to the end of the words when making them plural.

We will continue to practice our spelling words during the week, but it is important that students practice them at home, too.

monkeys hobbies

friends daisies

plays delays

supplies scratches

taxes counties

holidays teammates

months memories

companies bunches

costumes batteries

sandwiches donkeys

**Challenge Words**

eyelashes

ambulances

 trophies

 secretaries

 inventories

**Religion**

This week we will be learning about the Passover, the Exodus, Moses and Miriam, and the Lord’s appearance on Mt. Sinai.

Chapel will be on Wednesday, and this trimester our chapel offerings are going to the Newhall Fire Department. You are always welcome to join us for chapel at 8:30.

**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**

Please continue to check your child’s red folder for graded papers and other announcements from the classroom and office.

**Donuts with Dad**

Donuts with Dad is this Wednesday – go to the small gym and enjoy treats and a time of fellowship with other Central dads and kids.

**Scholastic**

There will be no book orders coming home in October because of the Book Fair that will be at CLS – watch for more information about the days and times it will be open. This is a great time to look at and purchase new books.

If you ordered last month, the books are on their way and should be here soon! ☺

**Field Trip**

Permission slips for our field trip to *Roll Over Beethoven* in November came home last week. Please get your child’s permission slip signed and turned in.

If you are able to drive and come with us, I would love to have you! I only have two parents going/driving so far, so we still need more drivers – we can take up to five more!

**BRUNCH TIME!**

The brunch is coming up soon! The sign-up link came out last weekend in an email. Looking forward to a great brunch!

**Have a blessed week!**

- Miss Keuning

