# **Newsletter**

Week of May 2, 2022

I can't believe we have only 5 weeks until we are out of school for our Summer break. I have loved working with your students. They have amazed me with the growth that they have made. I will miss them terribly.

This week we spent time investigating plants. We explored the parts of a plant, the life cycle, and made a 3 dimensional craft of the plant parts. In religious education we talked about the 12 disciples and what it means to be a disciple. We began our unit on subtraction. Reading groups continued. We also began handwriting. The focus at this point is on pencil grip. I will be sending home a paper with visuals and information regarding proper pencil grip, how to sit, i.e.

# **UPCOMING**

### **Academic**

- Review of all letters, continue reading groups, nursery rhymes.
- Religious Education will focus on Mary as it is the month of May
- Math will focus on subtraction and review of concepts learned so far.
- In science we will learn about the ocean. One of the students read a book about whales and I showed them all some youtube videos on whales and they were very interested.

**Books:** Various non-fiction books about the Ocean, Rainbow Fish.

# Other:

- Our Spring concert will be on May 10th at 9:00.
- We will begin our tradition of saying the Rosary as a school in May.
- Going to the bookfair on Thursday the 5th at 10:40. Feel free to join us or you can go after school.

#### From Ms, Banaszak

Please consider signing up to help with the bookfair which runs from today (April 29) through May 5. There are lots of holes in the sign up genius. Please prayerfully consider helping out!

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0f4cadae2ea7fe3-ccsspring

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