



## What Wild Things Are Going on in K and 1?

1/22/25

This week in our **Word of God lessons** we are learning about the time when Jesus went to Mary and Martha's home. Mary and Martha had very different ways of serving their Savior. Martha hurried to do her best and prepare a meal for her honored guest. Mary gave Jesus her full attention as she sat listening at his feet. When Martha asked for help from her sister, Jesus told them that Mary chose what is most important...his Word. May we strive to follow Mary's example and let nothing distract us from studying God's

Word. It is our priceless treasure, the most important gift we could ever have!

**Report cards are coming out today.** There are some children in kindergarten who will get their report card later this week, due to illness. If your child was sick on Friday, plan for your report card to come home by Friday (1/24).

**Don't Forget: We will be singing in church on Sunday, Jan. 26 at the 10:00am service. Please make arrangements to have your child at this service.** Since we are going to sing our school theme song, we ask that the **children all wear their teal school t-shirts for this service.** We will sing at the beginning of the service, and the children will be excused to sit with their families after we are done singing.

**On Friday** we are having a special **"Grown-ups, Goodies, and God!"** event at the beginning of our school day. On this day, we invite our school parents to come in the morning, have a special breakfast treat with your child, and then join us for a short chapel service over at church. We are planning that the chapel service will be finished before 9:00am. **Please have your child wear their teal school theme t-shirts that day. We look forward to having you join us for the first hour of the day!**

**Kindergarteners** are continuing to learn about the letter Ee and Superkid Ettabetta. She loves toys, games, and puzzles.

Our **first graders** are continuing to learn about vowel teams this week. Last week we learned about the ai, oa, ee, and ea vowel teams. This week we are learning the ue and ie vowel teams.

### **Grade 1 Spelling List Tested on 1/31/25:**

#### **Vowel team words:**

1. blue
2. tie
3. heat
4. keep

#### **Memory words:**

5. would
6. could
7. some
8. one
9. new
10. were

#### **Contractions with not:**

11. isn't
12. didn't
13. aren't
14. wasn't
15. haven't

Because of our short week, we won't have a spelling test on Friday (1/24). Instead, **their next test will be on Friday, January 31** with a list that combines the Memory Words from this week's list and the words from next week's list, which focuses on contractions with the word not.

In our science lessons the first graders have started learning about simple machines. They have learned that there are six basic simple machines: lever, inclined plane, screw, wheel and axel, pulley, and wedge. Now we are looking closer at how each one of these simple machines helps us do work. At the end of February our school will be having a Science Fair. In our lowest grade classrooms (prek and K-1) we do whole group projects, but in grades 2-8 the students will create their own projects to show the scientific process. It is great to see these young scientists showing their skills!

Hot lunch this week is ham or turkey sub sandwich and chicken soup.

Let's have a great week ahead!

Mrs. Myslik