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3C
News and Notes April 19, 2010

In the Classroom this week:

Religion: We will continue to celebrate this **Easter Season.** We will be finishing up Chapter 16: Celebrating the Eucharist.

Math: We will continue to drill our Multiplication facts as we move on to extending our facts (if $2 \times 3 = 6$, then $20 \times 3 = 60$). Due to the 3rd grade Musical last week, our plans didn't quite work out. Study guides for Unit 7 should be in their red folders today. The test will be on

Wednesday.

Language Arts:

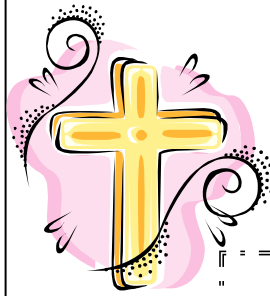
Reading this week's focus: Trickster Tales. Students will read 3 different stories from the anthology and compare them. We will look at Writer's Craft and note the elements of a trickster tale. In a trickster tale, a clever animal or person plays a trick on other characters; the trickster character has one or two main qualities, such as greediness or boastfulness; the language sounds as if someone were telling the tale aloud.

English: We will be working on adverbs. We will also try our hand at writing our own trickster tale.

Spelling/ phonics: Our high frequency words for this week are: they, what, their, said, would, some, other, could, use, thought, landed, during, today, example, heard, several, change, answer.

Science: We will be starting our unit on reptiles. Students will identify the things that differentiate a reptile from any other animal.

Social Studies: We will continue on in our Social Studies text book Chapter 3 Lesson 4. We will be discussing citizenship



This Week's
Student of the Week:

Hi! I'm Julia. The people in my family are Mommy, Daddy, Austin, Anna, and Lilly. I was born in Ohio, but my family lived in Kentucky. My favorite book is Doe Sia. My favorite movie is Aquamarine. My favorite sport is soccer. My favorite food is brownies. I have a pet fish named Pebbles. My favorite thing to do in my free time is play with my little sister Lilly. When I grow up I want to be a parent and a veterinarian. I am special because my family loves me.



Important Upcoming dates:

Wednesday April 21: Mass 9 am
Birthday Bash ~ April birthdays
Friday April 23: Walk-a-thon
Spirit day
Friday April 30: Walk a thon Rain date
Wednesday May 5: May Crowning Mass 9 am
Wednesday May 12: Field Day

