# 3B NEWSLETTER

Dear 3B Families.

### Reminders

#### **GeoJourney Test:**

Students will be tested on the Pacific region states and postal abbreviations on Thursday. The purple study guide came home last week.

<u>Living Rosary:</u> On Friday, we will go the church and pray the Rosary together. Students need to be in perfect uniform on Friday.

#### **Lunches of Love:**

Thank you for all of your lunch donations last week! Our second turn in day will be **Friday**, **October 25**.

#### Prayer to the Holy Spirit:

Students have been practicing the Prayer to the Holy Spirit. This prayer will need to be memorized by **Monday**, **November 4**. Your child can recite the prayer to me before this date if they are ready. They can recite the prayer to me before school, after school or at recess.

#### **Picture Retakes:**

Picture retakes will be on Thursday, October 24.

## Curriculum

<u>Math</u>: This week we will wrap up subtraction with an assessment on Tuesday. We will then begin Chapter 4: Multiplication. Students will learn about multiplication as repeated addition.

**Reading**: We will read chapter 4 of *The Boxcar Children* this week. We will focus on reading with good fluency and expression.

<u>Social Studies</u>: Students will take a test on the Pacific region states and postal abbreviations on **Thursday**. We will continue to work on our geography notebooks.

**<u>Science</u>**: This week, students will begin learning about life cycles. Students will learn that organisms must reproduce to survive and how life cycles ensure continued existence.

**Language Arts:** We will finish our persuasive paragraph this week. Students will learn how to edit their work with guidance before writing a final draft. We will then begin our next piece of writing, a fall leaf poem.

**Religion**: 3rd graders will explore on Mary as model of family living. They will also learn about family as the domestic church. They will honor Mary as they say the Hail Mary prayer

**Spelling:** The assignment due on Thursday and the test is on Friday. The pattern this week is short and long vowels.

math	toast	easy	socks	Friday	stuff	paid
cheese	June	elbow	program	shiny	piles	sticky

Challenge Word: holiday

This Week's Star of the Week: Nick Next Week Star of the Week: Griff

Have a great week!

Sincerely,

Erin Meland

