

# Bethany Lutheran School

## Mrs. Beall's 4th Grade Camp-Learn-a-Lot Newsletter

May 7-11, 2018

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Dear Families of 4th Graders,

I am happy to say that we made it through the accreditation visit this past week. I am so pleased as to how well the students welcomed our visitors. They exercised good manners, positive attitudes and showed that Jesus is truly the center of our school. For science we have spent some of the past couple of weeks germinating 3 types of seeds (sunflower, gourd, bean) in the classroom windows. Each day we have written down the progress of the seeds. It has been so fun to watch the student's excitement as they run to check their seeds progress. We have also planted sunflower and corn seeds in our school garden. In California Studies, the next couple of weeks we will be reading and discussing the California missions. So far, a couple of students have gone to visit their mission of choice. Please let me know if you should have any questions regarding the upcoming mission project. So far the students have done an overall good job with their outlines and I look forward to reading their paragraphs that are due on Tuesday, May 8th. The paragraphs and additional information will come home on Friday at the latest.

**Worship Picnic at Pena Adobe Park from** -- Thank you all who came to the picnic last weekend. Our class had 75 % participation and each student who went got a dress pass. The students get to have a pizza party, too. The date will be determined.

**Breakfast & Water Bottles Reminders:** The students first break is at 10:15 and I have noticed lately that some students have expressed being hungry after being at school for about an hour. Having more protein in their breakfast will help them reach 10:15 each morning without feeling hungry. Students have been leaving their water bottles at home a lot. Please help your child stay hydrated by having them bring a water bottle filled with fresh water each day. Your help with this is appreciated greatly, especially on warm days.

**Dress Code:** Thank you for your continued support & help regarding the dress code. ***Please remember that leggings can be worn underneath shorts or skirts on cooler days and not by themselves.*** The students are doing an overall good job with following the dress code. Following the dress code every day is very helpful and appreciated greatly. Please feel free to reach out to me should there be any questions or concerns and I will gladly help.

~Have a wonderful and restful weekend! Lovingly Serving Him, *Mrs. Beall* betty.beall@gobethany.com

**Spelling List 27** title, towel, battle, pedal, metal, simple, eagle, special, total, trouble, nickel, gentle, barrel, model, tangle, ankle, marvel, juggle, squirrel, riddle **Challenge Words:** cancel, decimal, material, pretzel, triangle

**Vocabulary word list 27**, meanings and study guide is on the back or second page of this newsletter

**Upcoming Dates to remember:** **Tuesday, 5/8** - P.E, **Wednesday, 5/9**--Chapel at 8:30, and music with Miss Donna, **Friday, 5/11**- Math Chapter 22 TEST, Spelling, Vocabulary, & reading comprehension **Tests, Music with Miss Donna** has been cancelled this upcoming week & P.E. **In the near future: Save the dates:** Spring Book Fair is May 14--18th. Please send money with your child on Monday, May 14th- This is the day that we will visit the book fair as a class. A Scholastic List of books and information will go home in this week's Friday folder.