

What's the Buzz in K-2?

1/9/23

First of all, I want to thank all of you for the cards and gifts you gave me this Christmas. I really appreciate your kind words and thoughtfulness. I feel very blessed to be able to teach your children and share God's Word with them every day!

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!

Memory Work –The January calendar went home last week. If you need a second calendar, you can always ask for one (just send me a text) or you can download one from our school website (www.stjohnpeshtigo.org) under the "Parent Resources" tab.

We are also learning a new song this month called, "Blest Are They" and I uploaded a YouTube video of a choir group singing it so your child can listen to it at home from your phone or tablet. It is also under the "Parent Resources" tab on our website.

Save the Date! This month on **January 20** we are having a special **"Grown-ups, Goodies, and God!"** event at the beginning of our school day. In past years we had "Dudes with Donuts" and "Muffins with Ma'ams" as a special time for a child to invite a special grown-up to come to school for a treat in the morning. This year we are combining the two and inviting both parents to come in the morning, have a special treat, and then join us for chapel over at church. We really hope you can join us! Watch for more information coming soon!

Our next time we sing in church will be on **January 29**. The song will be recorded after chapel and shown during the worship service.

Kindergarteners are learning about the letter Ee and Superkid Ettabetta. She loves toys, games, and puzzles.

Our **first graders** are continuing to learn about adding endings to super e words this week. Last week we learned how to add the -s ending, this week we are learning about how to add -ed and -ing to the end of these words. The rule we are learning is that when a word ends with a super e, they have to drop the e and add the -ed or -ing ending. Their next **spelling test will be on Friday, January 13.**

Second Grade is learning about the "kind/old" words. These are words that have a long vowel with consonants after it. Their spelling list focuses on these letter combinations. The next test will be on **Friday**, **January 13**.

Friday's hot lunch will be grilled cheese sandwiches.

Let's have a super week!

Mrs. Myslik

Grade 1 Spelling List Tested on 1/6/23:

vowel-consonantsuper e words plus an ending:

- 1. baking
- 2. baked
- 3. smiling
- 4. smiled

Memory Words:

- 5. oh
- 6. any
- 7. day
- 8. good
- 9. very
- 10. want

Grade 2 Spelling List: Tested on 1/13/23

"old" words:

- 1. old
- 2. told
- 3. cold
- 4. hold
- 5. sold

"-ost" words:

- 6. most
- 7. post

"-ild" words:

- 8. child
- 9. wild

"-ind" words:

- 10. kind
- 11. find
- 12. mind