

# NEWSLETTER

Grow in Grace | But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ | 2 Peter 3:18

## Friday - 13

Basketball @ King of Grace - 5:30

## Saturday - 14

## Sunday - 15

Church - 9:00

Grades 6-8 Sing!

Coffee Hour - 10:00

Sunday School/STIC/Bible Study-  
10:30

Adult Volleyball - 6:00

## Monday - 16

## Tuesday - 17

Ps. 118:1, Isaiah 43:1b

## Wednesday - 18

Hot Lunch: Mac & Cheese, Little Smokies, Veggies, Fruit, Dessert

## Thursday - 19

Hymn 86 vs. 1,4

End of 2nd Quarter

## Friday - 20

No School!

Basketball vs. Pilgrim - 5:30



## News and Updates

**Student Teachers:** On Thursday we welcomed two student teachers from Martin Luther College: Miss Caitlin Smith & Mr. Ryan Henning. Miss Smith will be serving in the 3&4 classroom and Mr. Henning will be serving in the 5&6 classroom. The students are beyond excited to get to know Mr. Henning and learn from him. Please keep him and Miss Smith in your prayers as they learn how precious it is to serve in the Ministry.

**Religion:** We studied two parables in Christlight this week. The first was the parable of the Good Samaritan and the second was the parable of the Unforgiving Servant. Both of these stories teach us to love our neighbor. In Faith Foundations, we are finishing our studies of the 10 Commandments by studying the Conclusion to the 10 Commandments. In the Conclusion, we learn of God's warning for us (law) and also his Promise (gospel).

**English:** The students wrote their first Descriptive paper this week. I probably say this about all our writing assignments, but I really do enjoy this one. The students have the opportunity to get creative and paint a picture with words. Many of them really worked hard on it and came up with something that was very enjoyable to read. We also



## Notes & Reminders...

- Please welcome Mr. Henning to our school when you get the chance. He is very happy to be here and excited to work with your children!
- The end of the 2nd Quarter is Thursday. Report cards will go home next Wednesday.
- 6-8 grade sing this Sunday.
- Thanks for keeping my Dad in your prayers this week. He is recovering... just slowly. Please continue to keep him in your prayers. God is good!
- Stay warm and safe this weekend!

practiced clarifying mixed pattern sentences for patterns 1-3 if that means anything to you :)

**Reading:** Island of the Blue Dolphins: We've read through the first 7 chapters and completed the study questions that go along with those chapters. The students continue to do an awesome job of completely answering the questions with in-depth answers. I'm very pleased.

**Math:** The 5th graders had lessons on simple probability, writing quotients as mixed numbers (part 3), fractions equal to 1, and finding a fraction to complete a whole. The 6th graders had lessons on adding mixed numbers, polygons, and an investigation on geometric solids.

**Social Studies:** We have been studying West and Central Africa since we came back from Christmas break. This week we focused on the Colonial Period and its effects on African life. We also discussed the ways ethnic diversity contributed to cultural diversity.

**Science:** We are studying the Solar System this week with a focus on the planets and stars. You could say our lessons were out of this world!

**Picture Caption:** Winter after Christmas is a sad thing. Let's bring back the memories!

