

# news

from Miss Osborne

“2nd Grade Happenings”

**August 26th, 2016**

## Important Dates:

-8/29 Scholastic Online Orders Due

-8/30- Mass (consider making a weekly contribution, the money goes to the St. Vincent De Paul Society)

-Sept 2nd- 12 p.m. Dismissal

-Sept. 5th- No School

-Sept. 10th- Community Festival

## **Homework:**

\*\*\*Daily homework will usually be review math facts, read 10 minutes, study spelling and word wall words. Please initial or sign agendas.

-An **AR TEST** must be taken by Friday, **September 2nd**. (detailed information on AR was sent home last week)

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It was a fantastic week in 2nd grade! We have been talking a lot about what it means to be a good friend and citizen. In Religion, we learned about God's Promise and discussed choices and temptation. In Science Lab, 2nd grade used their observation skills to study seashells. 2nd grade is working hard to follow our classroom rules so we can have a safe and positive classroom community. I am proud of their hard work! If you did not get your Class Dojo login sheet at Back to School Night, it will be in this week's Friday Folder. Make sure to login to view our Class Story as well as see a detailed log of your child's daily behaviors.

\*\*Please sign the Music Rules and Procedures paper (another copy was sent home if it has not been turned in). This will be part of your child's 1st Quarter grade.

Please see below for the topics and tests that will take place.

## Next week:

**Phonics:** Conclude Unit 1

**Reading:** story-"Family Farm: Then and Now"

skills- Nonfiction Story Structure- Main idea and details

**Spelling:** short "i" words, list of 10 words will go home Monday in their agenda, **Test Friday, Sept. 2nd**

**Writing:** Personal Narrative, capitalization, punctuation

**Math:** Numeration, Basic Facts Strategies, **Ch.1 Test will be Friday, Sept. 4th** (optional review will go home Wed.), **Baseline Mad Minute will be Aug. 31st**

**Science:** Science Tools and Skills, **Ch. 1 Test Thursday, Sept. 1st**(review sheet and books will be sent home Tuesday)

**Social Studies:** Our Community, Our Country

**Religion:** **Ch. 2 Test Wednesday, August 31st** (review sheet and online review option will be sent home Monday)

**Word Wall Words:**We will make flashcards on Monday to study these words. Students will be tested every two weeks on their ability to fluently read these words (spelling is not expected). **Test over words 11-20, Fri., September 9th**

-**Words 11-15:**bought, bring, brother, build, buy

Have a great weekend!  
Miss Osborne