



May News 2019



In the month of April and continuing into May, we have been celebrating all of the changes that we can see happening outside and bringing as much of the outdoors in as we can. On our Spring scavenger hunts outside the students are so excited about all of the new growth they see so we decided to teach them about living things and life cycles. They have learned the difference between living and not living things and what living things need to survive. We are thankful to Anderson's Papa (Bill Chopp) for donating tomato seeds for us to plant. These are not regular seeds, they are seeds that have been in space and we have been watching them grow and change daily. The students enjoyed guessing what the tomatoes will look like when they are grown and look forward to seeing if their predictions come true. After reading *Jack and the Beanstalk* together and exploring the beginning, middle and end of the story we decided to plant some beans too. The class is excited that our beanstalks have started growing but so far they do not seem like the 'magic beans' from the story!

We are talking about shapes in class again but this time we are focusing on 3D shapes. Help your child find 3D shapes (e.g. cone, sphere, cube, pyramid and rectangular prism) around your house to review what they have learned in class.

Catholic Education Week

We are celebrating CEW May 6 - 10, during this time we will use stories and complete lessons to remind us to continue to 'Live as Joyful

Disciples'. There will be a display set up in the hallway by the office where each class shows work they have done around Catholic Education. Parents are welcome to come in and look at it throughout the day.

Let's Get Skipping

Our school is participating in Jump Rope For Heart this Wednesday, May 8th, 2019. Students will be skipping after lunch. Please remember to send your child in running shoes that day and to collect pledges.



Happy Mother's Day

Mother love is the fuel that enables a normal human being to do the impossible.
Marion C. Garretty

Thank you Mother's for all that you do, we hope you know how much your love for your child translates into their every day lives even when you are not with them. Your children share wonderful stories about you and your families with us daily. We love seeing their little faces light up when they get to talk about you!

Upcoming Events

May 1st Trip to Children's Safety Village

May 2nd Spring Mass @ St. Pius (rescheduled from last week)

May 6 – 10 Catholic Education Week

May 8 Jump Rope for Heart