

March 23, 2010

Dear Parents,

Information is coming home today about a writing contest that our students are entering. The topic is a priest that has been a positive influence in one's life. The children have each written about Father Noe. Please complete the entry form and send it back tomorrow. We need to get the entries mailed tomorrow so that they will be in Lexington by Friday's deadline.

In Religion this week we continue to study the Mass. This week's chapter focuses on the Eucharistic Prayer during the Consecration of the bread and wine.

In Reading, our story is *A Curve in the River*. We are working on making inferences. In Phonics we are focusing on the two sounds of "oo" and compound words. In Spelling, we are reviewing words from the previous month. Although there are a lot of words on the list, I'll pick only 16 for the test on Friday.

In Math, we continue to review with our Simple Solutions books. In Science, even though we already studied living things in the fall, we are doing some projects with plants because it is spring. In Social Studies we are learning about the three branches of American government.

On Friday, March 26, children should wear their PeaceBuilders shirts to school.

Remember to send in the nightly Reading slips each Friday! We are nearing the end of March.

After Spring Break we are going on a field trip to ACTC on Thursday morning, April 15. More will come home later. I'm telling you early because we will need drivers.

I praise you for all you do for HFS, our class and me! Thanks!

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Mary Chandler