

NOVEMBER

Miss Laura (Teacher)

Mrs. Marshall (Paraprofessional)

Important Dates:

November 6:

Author Visit!

November 4:

St. Bernard's School Open House

November 4-13:

Food Drive

November 11:

Veterans Day - No School

November 16:

St. Bernard School Auction

November 27:

Early Release; 12pm Dismissal for all students

November 28-29:

Thanksgiving Break - No School

Friends in our class:

James	Leo	Primo
Emilio	Lucia	Eloise
Dominic	Coby	Warren
Vanessa	Karley	Emmie
Catherine	Elyse	Trevor
Gavin	Miles	Emilia
Giavanna	Coen	Owen

Reminders:

Please <u>label</u> all of your child's belongings.

Children should wear sneakers and have a jacket everyday..

If your child has a change in their schedule, please notify the school office.



November is here!

We are getting ready for our **author visit** on November 6th! This month we will spend a lot of the time talking about ways we are thankful for all that we have in our lives. Learning about the things we are thankful for will open our minds to know how truly blessed we are. Talking about these things can help us see all the beauty in the world that God has created and how we can make it better.

The best way that you can reach me is through my email at <u>LMontigny@sbsenfield.org</u>. You can also call the school at 860-745-6135, where Leesa will forward any messages to me.

Important Reminders:

- ~We have gym class every Wednesday.
- ~With the cooler weather rolling in, please send your child into school with a jacket for recess. We have been practicing putting on jackets and zipping them all by themselves. This is something that can be practiced at home and help them gain confidence.
- ~Candy is not allowed for snacks or with lunches.

What we are working on:

This month in our classroom

Each morning we say the Pledge of Allegiance and Our Father prayer. And at snack and lunch we say grace. The children have made so much progress with reciting these! We are working on the hand placement for "In the name of the Father"...we encourage you to practice at home with them

Letters we are working on:

Week of 10/28: "U" another vowel (2 sounds)! "U says U and u, u, u". The children might hold up their hand like they are holding an **U**mbrella and lift it **U**p.

Week of 11/4: "C"

Week of 11/11: "O"

Week of 11/18: "Q"

Week of 11/25: short week (Thanksgiving) so we will review and talk about vowels some more as part of the review.

We finished up our 5 senses this week and will start to talk about "caring and sharing" and managing emotions.

For religion we are going to be discussing how we can **care, share, and be helpful.**

In November, we will be changing the centers. We are still working on having the children stay engaged in the centers they choose. I have seen great progress so far, and we will continue to encourage them... even with the anticipated excitement about the new items in the centers.

The children have been doing an AMAZING job with lining up and staying in line. We are working hard at not passing the person in front of us. This is harder than it sounds for a 3 year old!

Author Visit Reminder: Nov. 6th



Parent Corner

Please send in book order forms for our upcoming author visit! We have been reading Miss Angelina's books in our class and the children are really enjoying them! **They would make great Christmas gifts too!**

STAY TUNED: I will be sending out an email with details about making pumpkin muffins with the children near Thanksgiving. Permission slips will also go home closer to the date with more details. I will be emailing a list of supplies needed. If you can help out with just one thing I would really appreciate it!

Turkey Feather Information

Each child will be sent home with a "turkey feather" to be decorated and sent back to school. Our hall bulletin board will transform into a giant turkey with a feather to represent each child. This is a fun project to work on as a family. It may be decorated any way your child would like. Feathers, stickers, pom poms, markers, jewels, etc. It is fun to see as we walk down the hall!