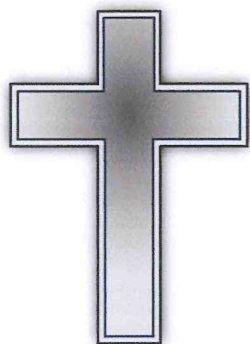


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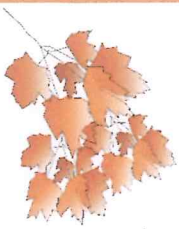


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Fall Festival

The Fall Festival was a great success this year. We had a great turnout. We made just over \$28,000!! We'd like to give a big "Thanks" to those who contributed to that total. In addition, a special "Thanks" to the Faith Lutheran college students who offered their time helping out with the games.





Faith Lutheran School

Teacher: Mrs. Winder

Class: 3 year old class



This Month, the preschool class has been learning all about the pilgrims and their journey to this country. They are also learning about the native American people and their culture.

The class had lots of fun doing activities and playing mini games. In these activities, the children learned all about the pilgrims' hardships and their voyage on the Mayflower.

At the end of the unit, the class had the opportunity to cook and serve their favorite Thanksgiving meals.

In November, we are reminded of all the blessings God has given us. The class has been doing fun activities where the children count their blessings and learn to be grateful for everything we have.

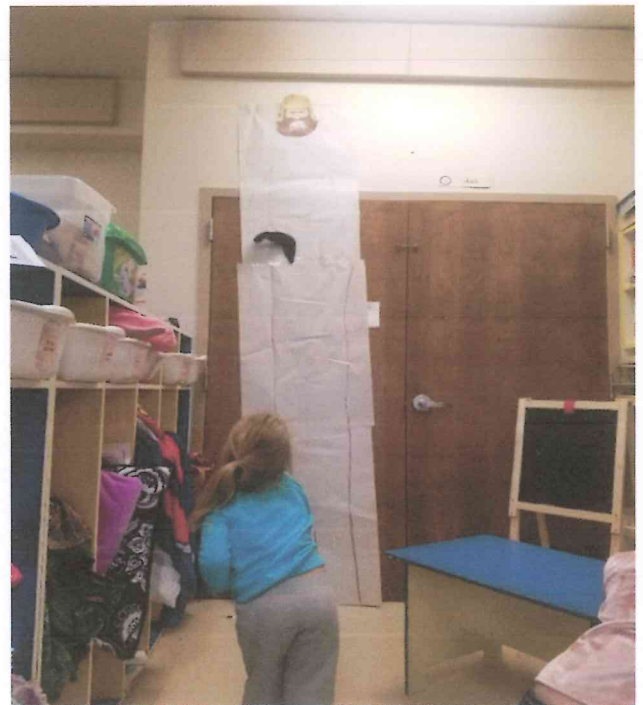


Ms. Byrum's First Year Preschool



At the end of October, we celebrated with a pumpkin party including carving pumpkins, trick or treating, and outdoor hay bale fun.

This month the kids have been hearing Old Testament stories and learning about biblical heroes. They also took turns being the shepherd boy, David, and taking down the 9 ft. mighty Goliath.





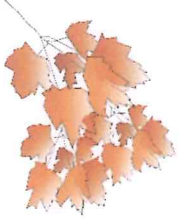
Mrs. Hoshaw /Second Year of Preschool

This month the pre-k classes learned about Native Americans and Pilgrims. Some activities included playing in a tepee, making a drum, and writing Native American picture stories. They also made Pilgrim clothing such as hats, bonnets, and collars.



The children are practicing for their Christmas program that is scheduled for December 13th at 7p.m.





Faith Lutheran School

Teacher: Mrs. Thompson

Class: K-1



This month has been very busy for the k-1 class. There was a readers' theatre on Friday, November 16. Students read, sang, and acted for family and friends. Readers' theater gives the students a new purpose for reading. It allows them to enjoy while learning important skills at the same time.

On November 20, the class made stone soup after reading a story by that name. It was an experience in sharing, working together, and building community

The main objectives of these exercises are to increase reading vocabulary and fluency through repeated readings and interacting with print. These activities help build a sense of community through games, group activities, Bible learning and projects.





Mrs. Alexander / Second and Third

This month, the 2nd and 3rd grade have been studying the weather system in science class. They have done projects based on different weather conditions. For example, they made water cycle posters. They have also done experiments, one in which they made a tornado and rain clouds.

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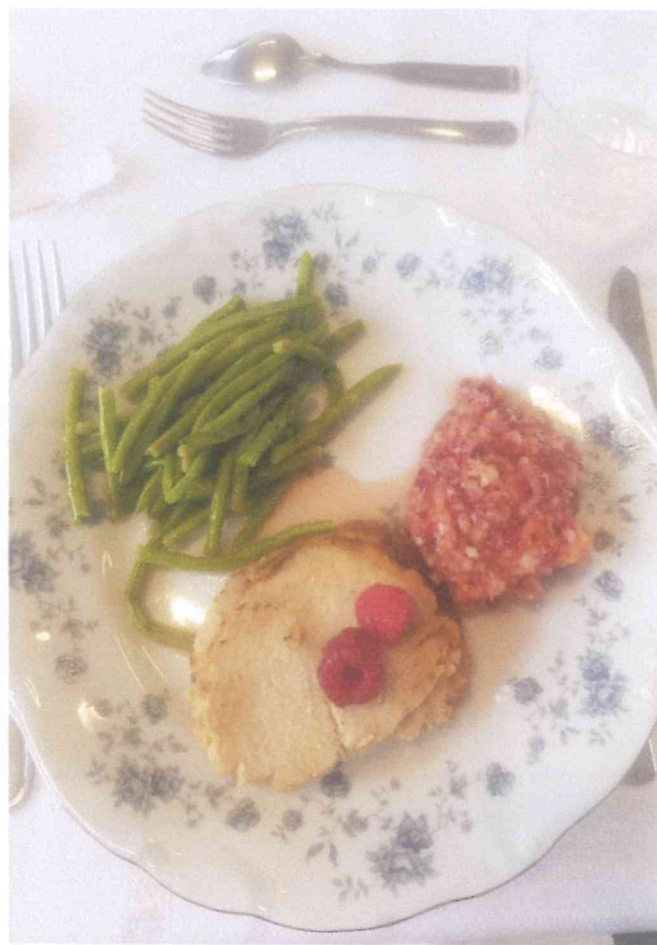
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FOURTH GRADE

Mrs. Flaim, teacher

This November, the fourth graders learned manners at the Kirksville Arts Council. They got to learn how to set a table. In addition, they were informed on which forks and spoons to use, how to properly eat soup and salad at a fancy meal, and about polite table conversation. Students dressed up and enjoyed a four-course meal, including butternut squash soup, mixed greens, roast turkey, and apple crisp. This educated them on etiquette and preparing them for life experiences where proper manners are necessary.



Mrs. Kaden's 5th & 6th Grade



Mrs. Kaden and her class traveled to Schuyler R-1 Middle School in Queen City on Friday, November 9th to attend the Veteran's Day Assembly. The assembly is open to the public.



The assembly allows the public a chance to thank Veterans from all service branches for their service to the country.

Veterans from World War II to the current conflict in the Middle East were recognized.

The assembly included a powerpoint presentation. The slides included pictures of Veterans and a brief article about them.

Mrs. Kaden's husband was one of the many Veterans recognized at the assembly.

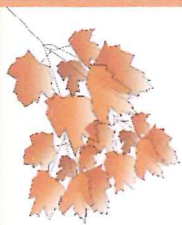


SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADE CLASS

Seventh and eighth grade have had a very busy November. In science, they finished up the last dissection of a pig's eye. They moved on to drawing all the bodies systems on a body suit. So far, they have completed the cardiovascular, muscular, skeletal, respiratory, and the excretory system. They are also reading "Wild Man Island" by Will Hobbs in literature.

The Tuesday before Christmas break, the class got to contribute to their Thanksgiving feast by assisting with the cooking, which included turkey, pumpkin bars, asparagus salad, mashed potatoes and much more.





Faith Lutheran School

Teacher: Mrs. Aubuchon

Class: Band/Choir



This is very busy month for the band/choir class. The entire month and into December the band and choir will be rehearsing for the Christmas Program. The Christmas program is a musical play telling about the coming of the Christ.

The program will include popular Christmas songs performed by the 5-8th grade band and choir, along with the fifth/sixth grade music class.

The 5-8th grade Christmas program will be on December 20th.



The 7-8th grade class performed a small musical show for the church on November 4th, 2018. The choir sang songs and the band played for the Sunday church service.

P.E. *with Coach Archer*

As the weather begins to change, the classes have moved inside, where they are playing a multitude of games. GaGa ball is a class favorite. In this game, tables are lined up in a circle; the kids go in the circle; and a ball is thrown in. The kids then must push the ball around on the ground, hitting people's feet to get them out. The last one standing wins. Dodge ball is another fun sport played indoors. The kids look forward to the upcoming winter months of fun sports!



School Sports



Basketball season is well underway. We'd like to congratulate the eighth-grade team for winning three of their games. The seventh grade has also one the majority of their games. As the season continues both teams hope to improve, and they look forward to the remaining games.

