

3rd Grade News

November 18, 2011



RELIGION

This week we discussed the different kinds of prayer, Thanksgiving, Petitions, Praise, and Blessing. We specifically focused on the prayer of Thanksgiving!



MATH

This week we finished up our third unit in Math! We are moving back to shapes and lines in our next chapter. We will be looking for lines of symmetry and congruent shapes.



LANGUAGE ARTS

This week in L.A. we started writing a description of a place that is special to us. We did some prewriting activities to help us generate an idea and then we wrote our first draft. We will work on the proofreading next. Be sure to ask your student what place they are writing about! Next week we will not have a spelling test. We read a story called "Guys from Space" and talked about fantasy and realism.



SOCIAL STUDIES

This week in Social Studies we talked about resources that a community uses and how communities change over time. Each student made a web of the resources they have used in the past week. Each student will need to conduct an interview with someone who has lived in a community for many years. They will be writing the interview questions in class.



SCIENCE

We had a fun lab where we dropped marbles into sand to make craters. We have been talking about craters on Earth and the Moon.

REMINDERS:

Have a blessed and safe Thanksgiving Break!

Schmalzer library- A-days

Hickey library- F-days

UPCOMING EVENTS:

November 21st- Schmalzer Library

November 23rd-25th- No School
Happy Thanksgiving!

November 27th- 1st Sunday of Advent