



# Kindergarten News

## Mission Statement:

St. Mary Elementary School, in collaboration with its parents, educates the "whole child" in a Catholic environment.



**Language Arts:** Ms. W shared many great things with us this week. We spent a lot of time reading, writing, and finding words. We also discussed the importance of water and the many ways we use it. The afternoon students are doing "W" centers and also learning about the weather words.

**Math:** This week the students were introduced to addition. For the next couple of weeks we will be doing several hands on activities to show addition using concrete objects.

**Religion: *Commandment 5: You shall not kill.***

This week we read "A Special Family Sunday". The students were able to discover that through Baptism we become members of the Church. Take time to talk with your child about their Baptism. Their interests will be heightened if you can share photographs and the story of your own Baptism. We also talked about our Church Family and made a Church Family puzzle.

**Science/Social Studies:** This week we've been having more fun with Ms. W and her weather, words, and water. We also started our Weather Lapbook.

## Notes from Mrs. Hawley

Our 100th day of school is Monday, Feb. 6th. Please start working with your child to help them complete their 100th day project.



January 27, 2012

### Important Dates:

January 30-3rd:

- Catholic Schools Week

January 30th:

- Seton Band Concert @ 1:15

January 31st:

- Library

February 1st:

- Mass at St. Gab's @ 1:15

February 6th:

- 100th day of school