

What a Week! October 31, 2025

Theme: Halloween!

Weekly Recap

Witches, bats, and black cats, oh my! We were really crafty this week! We also read dozens and dozens of Halloween themed books, pinned the face on the jack-o-lantern and learned about Dia de los Muertos (Day of the Dead).

A Look Ahead...

The theme is farm and we'll be planting for spring, studying leaves, and learning farm animal names in Spanish! Guests will be Miss Fran from the library, Mrs. Keyser to help us plant, Miss Molly and Nathan Detroit (her dog) to teach about how to approach dogs, and Pastor Mark sharing his gift of music.

Conferences

Early the week of November 17, you'll receive a Good News Gazette with information about how your child is progressing along with a reminder of your conference time. That, along with the 3, 2, 1 you completed at registration will help inform the conversation. We look forward to chatting!

Stomach aches, snots and barking coughs!

"Viral season" is upon us and here's what you can do to help manage it:

- Wash your hands!
- Donate tissue and hand sanitizer to the school.
- Keep children home until they are 24 hours fever free without medication.
- Keep children home until they are 24 hours without GI symptoms while eating and drinking normally.
- Keep up to date on vaccines.

A Look to the Holidays...

We celebrate Thanksgiving the Thursday before (11/20) with a **Feast of Friends**. Each family brings enough of one of their family's favorite foods to provide LITTLE portions for all 30 children. Each child has a chance to share what their food is and everyone feasts together in the social hall during snack time.

Christmas is celebrated with our winter show and reception on 12/19 at 9:00 am. The show in the sanctuary is open to all friends and family. Those who are abe bring a sweet or savory treat to share at the conclusion of the program. Note there is no school afterward that day.