



**St. Clement of Rome
Kindergarten News
January 26, 2018**

Religion: Jesus Grew Up in Nazareth

We continued learning about Jesus and His family. The children compared what they do today to what Jesus may have done when He was growing up.

We also talked about how all life is sacred. We prayed for the safety of all babies born and unborn. We visited the shrine and offered a rose in honor of our promise to protect and love all of God's children.

The children attended mass with their buddies on Thursday.

Buddy Visit! We had a wonderful time celebrating the 100th day of school with our 6th grade buddies. We put together 100 piece puzzles, stacked 100 cups and enjoyed 100 snacks.



Math: We began our 7th topic. The children are learning how to skip count by twos, fives and tens. They are plotting and marking the numbers on 100 charts and discovering the beautiful patterns numbers have to offer.



Language Arts Theme: Eric Carle

Literature: We have begun a two week intensive study of our favorite illustrators and authors; Eric Carle and Leo Lionni. We loved getting together to paint just like Eric Carle!



Writing: We have continued writing in our journals.

Phonics: We are working on the letter /Ee/. We spent the week identifying words that contain this phoneme.



Daily Five: The children continue to learn in word works, writing centers, listening centers and artistic expression.

Homework: Your children will have homework Monday-Thursday. This homework is optional and has no due dates. We hope it will provide additional practice and help establish good habits for future grade levels.

Important Dates:

1/29	Monday	Crazy Hat and Sock day
1/30	Tuesday	Out of uniform/backwards day
1/30	Wed.	Tribe Shirt with uniform
2/2	Friday	Tribe Shirt with uniform

Have a wonderful weekend!

Blessings,

Mrs. Schellenberg and Mrs. Mack

