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February Newsletter 2014

Dear Parents,

It is hard to believe that February is upon us. I feel like just yesterday the children were preparing for Christmas! Catholic School's Week was a wonderful way to celebrate all that is special about St. Rose School. We are very fortunate to have the opportunity to affirm our commitment to a faith-based education not only during this week but all year long. As we begin the month of February, we will explore the themes of friendship, family and Valentine's Day.

Language:

We continue to reinforce letters and blending sounds. Thank you for helping reinforce the letters and sounds at home. Every Wednesday we make a word wall with pictures beside the letter. The children share words that are amazing! This month we will also work on knowing addresses and telephone numbers.

Math/Science

This month we will focus on sequencing and taking simple measurements. Winter is filled with unique opportunities for scientific learning and this month we will experiment with frozen water, learn about snowflakes, frost and melting snow.

Religion:

Session 18 ***"Joseph Forgives his Brothers"*** Like Joseph, we can forgive those who hurt us.

Session 19 ***"Joseph Is Kind to His Father"*** When others I care about are sad, I can help make them happy again.

Session 20 ***"Jesus Teaches Us to Love Other"*** I can be a friend to others as Jesus is a friend to me.

We will be participating in Valentine's Day activities. I will be sending home a list of classmates. We will have a mailbox set up in the classroom in which the children can place their Valentines. Valentine cards may be sent in from now until Thursday February 14th We will have a Valentine's Day Party and Mrs. Leonard will send out an email.

This month we will be starting "SUPERSTAR OF THE WEEK". I will be sending a letter home explaining it. Each child will have his/her own week to be celebrated!!!

God Bless,
A.Delaney