# Weekly Lessons - Grade 4 May 4-8

Day	Lessons and Activities
M	NOTE TO PARENTS: *Assignments to be submitted for this week either Friday (or next Monday). The day that they are assigned is in parentheses.  Religion - p.118-119 in workbook Religion - Mary, Our Mother - quiz on Google Classroom (Thursday) Math - Decimal practice on Google Classroom (Wednesday) Spelling - no new lessons - (please send me quizzes and section E for 16, 17, and 18 if not completed) Reading - Book Report due MAY 11! (Monday) Writing - Sentence Challenge p.336 in Voyages book (Tuesday) Science - p.A77, questions 1-5 (Thursday) (To continue being a school of compassion and service, I would like for the class to do 2 service projects this month. Be on the lookout for an email with details!)
	<ul> <li>At the last ZOOM meeting, I reminded the class that they will need to tell me about a book that they have been reading. See the document located in Renweb for choices for how to "present" the book report. (Your child may also wish to make a video with the important elements of their story.)</li> <li>Let's talk about poetry! This week, we will listen to some poems and also learn some literary terms. Today, just take a moment to listen to this poem, titled Daffodils (or I Wandered Lonely As a Cloud) by William Wordsworth</li> <li>Math (20 minutes)</li> <li>Start here and play a game that helps with your multiplication facts.</li> <li>Next, I want you to go to Google Classroom. There are two videos waiting for you about how to change common fractions into decimals. This will help you later in lifeI promise!:) (Hey, test your parents. I am SURE that they know how to change ¼ into a decimal. Ask them what they use it for!)</li> <li>Social Studies (20 minutes)</li> <li>As we move past the settlement of Jamestown, we look to the changes that began to occur in the colony. There were still many divisions among people and then, when tobacco came on the scene, even more strife. Please read p.168-171 in your Virginia History book.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Science (15 minutes)</li> <li>Read p. A76-A77, review your words! Take a look at the plants around you. Do you have any evergreens near you? Cacti?</li> <li>Read this article about invasive plants. What do you think?</li> <li>Religion (20 minutes)</li> <li>Please read p.138-139 in your Religion textbook about Our Mother, Mary and see if you can complete p.118 and 119 in your workbook. Think about the special grace that she received regarding her Assumption.</li> </ul>

If you would like, here are directions to make your own Marian Shrine. It would be a lovely thing to place in your prayer space, or to give to a special "mother" in your life.

#### Tu Writing (20 minutes)

- Remember our old friend, the DIAGRAM? Yes! It's time to refresh our memory. Please look in your Voyages workbook, on p.101, and do 7.3. We will discuss at the ZOOM meeting!
- Please look at p.336 in your Voyages textbook and complete the "Sentence Challenge". You do not have to write the guestions. (Also, you can send this to me in an email from your school email if you would like.)

#### Reading (20 minutes)

- Listen, again, to Daffodils.
- In the document below, look at the literary terms and see if you can pick out the following: Where in the poem is there personification? Where in the poem is there alliteration? Finally, can you find a *simile* (*pronounced sim-i-lee*)?

## Math (20 minutes)

- Start here to play a game with ordering decimals.
- Then, go to Google Classroom where Mr. Khan will show you what it means to "visualize" decimals.
- And have you been practicing your math facts?? You will DEFINITELY want to do that and KNOW them before 5th grade.

#### Social Studies (20 minutes)

• Continue with reading p.172-175

#### Science (15 minutes)

- Please go to Google Classroom where there is a video waiting for you! Religion (20 minutes)
  - Before you begin, take a moment to take in a deep breath and thank God for the gift of Mary. Say a Hail Mary and the Glory Be. (If you have a space outside, and if it is a nice day, maybe go out there and listen to the birds?)
  - Please re-read the beginning, and then the end of, Chapter 29 about Our Mother, Mary. Be sure to read Question 157 in the gold box.
  - Close out your time by reciting this prayer to Our Lady of Guadalupe ~ made especially for times of trial.

PE (30-45 minutes of outside play a day) Find a ball or something soft to throw. Practice tossing the ball or soft object up in the air and catching it. You can also find a partner to throw to or a wall to throw against if you want. See how many throws you can get in a row without dropping it! Have fun!! ~Coach T

#### W Class Zoom Meeting 10 am!:)

Meeting ID: 929 271 328

Password: 0dFrlt

#### Writing/Reading (40 minutes)

- Please do diagram 7.4 on p.102 in your Voyages workbook.
- Then, turn to p.145 (in your Voyages workbook). Review the meanings of simile and metaphor, and see if you can complete the page.
- Use the rest of this time to work on your book report!

#### Math (30 minutes)

- Start by practicing your times tables here.
- Go to Google Classroom for your **Decimal review**

#### Social Studies (20 minutes)

 Read p.176-177 in your book. This is a part of our state history that is very tragic, and it is good if we say a prayer for those who were treated so viciously.
 May we always recognize that every human is made in the image and likeness of God.

### Science (15-20 minutes)

- Please review the lesson in your Science book.
- You have two videos waiting for you in Google Classroom!

### Religion (20 minutes)

• Today, please <u>say the Glorious Mysteries</u> of the Rosary and, as you pray, be sure to say a special prayer of thanks for your mother and any other mothers who are special to you (your Godmother, Aunts, Grandmothers, etc.).

## Music (30 minutes)

- Watch video: Miss Williams Says Hello
- <u>Listen to audio show about Tchaikovsky</u> and answer the 3 quiz questions on the page. Email results to ewilliams@saintbenedictschool.org
- <u>Listen to Dance of the Sugar Plum Fairy</u> and describe what images you imagine with the music on a sheet of paper.
- Next, <u>watch this video clip from Fantasia</u> and compare and contrast the images in the video with the images you imagined.
- Send your answers to Miss Williams.

## **Th** Writing/Reading (50 minutes ~if needed)

- Please do diagram 7.5 on p. 102.
- Use the rest of the time to work on your book report (it is due MONDAY).

#### Math (20 minutes)

- Find your favorite way to study math facts.
- Word problems can be so very tricky! Go to Google classroom for a video about how to make change!

#### Science (20 minutes)

- Take a look at these wacky plants!
- \*Then, complete the questions on p.A77.

#### Social Studies (15 minutes)

Look over Lesson 1 and review the words in bold.

 Today, there is a video that goes with this chapter that can be found in Google Classroom.

Religion (20 minutes)

- \*Please take the Mary quiz on Google Classroom
- Remember to pray for all mothers... and pray, too, for priests, as they need our thoughts at this time.

Art (30-40 minutes): Choose one of the three activities:

- Watch this short video on illuminated manuscripts (Don't worry about not having the pens they have, you can use your own) and try your hand at creating an illuminated letter: <u>How to Draw Illuminated Letters</u>. Illuminated manuscripts were texts that were decorated using natural materials such as gold in the medieval ages. Make your own illuminated letter of the first letter of your name, such as in this example:
  - https://www.flickr.com/photos/artsyt/4624125296/in/faves-42638903@N07/
- Create your own prayer card! Pick your favorite saint or your patron saint, and draw this saint on one side of a 3x5 index card or piece of paper. On the other side, write a prayer you can say at any time with your family.
- Have air dry clay at home? Make your own rosary! If you do not have air dry clay, here is a recipe: <u>Salt Dough Recipe - Great for Bead Making</u>

## F Family Friday