

# Buzzin' Bees News



## October 2021

We have so many exciting things going on in October! This month our themes are The Rosary, Community Helpers, Fire Safety, Fall, and Pumpkins. We will finish our first "Happily Ever After" story, "Little Red Riding Hood", look for your child's work from this story in their backpack! Our next story in the curriculum is "The Three Bears". These two stories focus on the colors red and blue, the letters Aa, Bb, Cc, and Dd, as well as, underlining, same/different, and big/medium/small. The children have been enjoying attending Music class each Monday with Mrs. Wolin, and visits every Tuesday from our school counselor, Ms. Markussen. This month we will also begin weekly Spanish lessons on Wednesday.

We will attend our first school Mass on Friday, October 1. It is very important to arrive on time on this day, no later than 8:45am. If you do not arrive by 8:45am, you are welcome to go to Mass with your child or bring your child to school at 9:45am when Mass has concluded.

This month, we will be learning the Hail Mary and the Rosary, making a class Rosary during our circle time, adding a bead for each Hail Mary we pray together. On Tuesday, October 5 we celebrate the feast of St. Francis, the patron saint of animals and nature. The children can bring their favorite **stuffed animal** for a special blessing on this day.

The week of October 4-8 will be Color Week for our class! Each day will be focused on a specific color. Your child can wear anything with the color of the day: shirt, pants, dress, or socks! We will also read books and do projects relating to the color of the day. Please check our class calendar for the colors to wear each day.

There is **NO SCHOOL** on Monday, October 11 in honor of Columbus Day and on Friday, October 29 for a Teacher Workday.








We are working on scheduling a trip to the Pumpkin Patch for a family fun day! Look for more information coming soon!!!

Please let me know if you have any questions!

Blessings,

*Mrs. Ellen*

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

-  October 1 - First School Mass
-  October 4-8 Color Week, see calendar for details
-  October 11 - **No School** - Columbus Day
-  October 16 - Happy Birthday, Sophia!
-  October 19 - Scholastic Book Orders Due
-  October 24 - PTO Trunk or Treat
-  October 29- **No School** - Teacher Workday