



September 22, 2022

Dear Parents,

We had a tremendous week with Ms. T and her terrifically tall teeth. She taught us a lot about our teeth. We have 20 teeth that must be brushed twice a day. We need to floss regularly and visit the dentist twice each year. In order to chew the right foods that will help us grow, we need strong, healthy teeth.

Ms. T also introduced us to an interesting reptile, the turtle. We learned that turtles were around when dinosaurs roamed the earth. Turtles can lay up to 200 eggs on land and many land turtles hibernate. We enjoyed using our fists to make turtles and practiced drawing them. We also had fun designing and painting T-shirts.

"Everyday Words" used this week were: *I, you, like, and, are, and to.* We will continue daily to review all "Everyday Words" words introduced so far. Not every child is ready to learn these words, so please follow your child's lead. Pointing these words out while reading to your child encourages his/her awareness of them.

Show and Tell for the week of September 25th is something beginning with the letter Tt. Please remember that only one item may be brought to share, and the item must fit in the provided Show and Tell bag.

REMINDERS:

- Please return Library books on Monday.
- Please remove all work from the folders and initial the behavior calendar daily.
- Please continue to save Community Coffee labels and Box Tops for Education labels. Thank you for your participation in Papa John Pizza Night!
- Stay up to date on all things OLL by reading *The Cardinal Chronicles* every week on our school web site: www.ourladyofthelakeschool.org

IMPORTANT DATES:

- September 25th - Spirit Week begins
- September 29th - Cardinal Fun Run Kick-Off
- October 6th - Living Rosary
- October 13th - Cardinal Fun Run Day, Early Dismissal (Little Cardinals dismiss at 10:45)
- October 20th - Virtual School Day (No school for Little Cardinals)

<p style="text-align: center;">Math Enrichment</p> <p>Gather small objects that are found in a toolbox (washers, screws, nuts, bolts, etc.) Have your child sort them into groups then ask why he/she chose to sort the objects that way. Challenge your child to find another way to group the objects.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Fine Motor Enrichment</p> <p>Have your child use the 3 handwriting fingers to pinch off playdoh and roll it into small balls.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Phonemic Awareness</p> <p>Does mag-i-cal say musical? (N) Does peb-ble say pebble? (Y) Does med-i-cine say medicine? (Y) Does in-ves-ti-gate say investigate? (Y) Does u-ni-corn say uniform? (N) Does com-mun-i-ty say community? (Y)</p>
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Thank you for your continued support and have a great weekend!

Denise and Bella