REMINDERS (and other things)

* Buttons will go home with Charles.
* Mary will go home with Alexa.
* Please send in some sort of bag for your child to carry prizes won during the Fall Festival.

Week of Nov. 11, 2019

Weekly Focus:

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| Color- blue | Shape- square |
| Letter- Aa | Number- 5 |
| Sight words- the a | Cooking- Bread |
| Rhyme- Humpty Dumpty |
| Story- 10 Fat Turkeys |

How Can I Celebrate Advent?

The decorations are already showing up and the toy catalogs are filling your mailbox. Everyone is rushing around in the Hallothankmas season. But, what if we just slow down? What are we truly celebrating?

The season for celebrating Jesus is Advent- we are waiting for Him. It is very hard to wait, especially if you are four and waiting for Christmas morning. In this magical age, where they believe all things are possible and are capable of knowing the Lord in ways we adults cannot- please savor the weeks leading up to the BIG DAY.

If you don’t have one, get a Nativity. I picked up a miniature one at the Dollar Store when my children were young and it sat where they could play with it. Now they are in their teens, but this inexpensive Nativity still brings fond memories and has a post on my coffee table, next to the Advent wreath. An Advent wreath is easy and inexpensive as well, but it gives a focus to the season.

***Parent Corner***

**Advent Ideas**

https://feelslikehomeblog.com/2014/12/6-ways-to-celebrate-advent-with-kids/

https://rainydaymum.co.uk/advent-activities-for-toddlers-and-preschoolers/

http://www.catholicmom.com/advent\_kids.htm

**Saint of the Week**



Feast Day- Nov. 16



St. Philip Neri School

Mrs. Susan, Mrs. Heather

& Mrs. Anne

Pre K News

