



Principal's Message

Greetings ILS Families!

Hoping you are all well and enjoying the beautiful days we have had this week. ILS is a busy place with lots to finish up before school ends in a few weeks.

THE LAST DAY OF SCHOOL is June 11th. Due to the busing situation with the Danbury Public Schools, we will need to dismiss at 10:30 am on that day. This is a time change from our previous schedule.

The last day of Extended Care will be Thursday, June 10th.

OUR MISSION OFFERINGS for May and June will be dedicated to Children's' Hunger Fund. Children around the world are hungry and living in poverty. The Children's Hunger Fund delivers help and the hope of the gospel to a suffering world. Every gift helps! Learn more about this organization at childrenshungerfund.org.

WE HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED by our school nurse that there is a severe stomach bug going about the local schools and daycare centers. We have not had any instance of this illness but please monitor your child's health – and extra handwashing will be of help, especially when you are out and about in the nice weather.

OUR BOON SUPPLY FUNDRAISER prize period is over, but you can still shop until July 31st and 40% of your purchase price will be donated to our school. Visit boonsupply.com/948935 to shop. Thank you for your generosity in supporting ILS.

Blessings on your weekend -

AND - Thank you for your support of our school!

In His Service -

Vickie Baker, Principal

Sent to Serve

"The Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many" (Matt. 20:28).

CLASSROOM FOCUS

Greetings from Third and Fourth grade!

This month, we have been working hard learning about Poetry. We have learned that there are three main ingredients for Poetry. These ingredients include; rhyme, rhythm and repetition. The students have been having a lot of fun reading silly poems and finding the rhymes and rhythm. As we are learning about the different types of poems, we are trying our hand at writing some of our very own poems. The first type of poem that we tried out was a Couplet. This type of poem has two verses in each stanza and the last word of each stanza rhymes. We realized that a couple is two and a Couplet has stanzas in sets of two! Please enjoy some of the poems that the kiddos have written about Spring!

Barbara Hoke, Teacher

Spring Break

By: Franco

In April, we had a break,
 There wasn't a single snowflake.

The weather started getting warm,
 I don't remember any storms.

We flew kites at the beach,
 We didn't see a single leech.

My spring break was WAY too short,
 Maybe next time, I'll visit a resort!!!



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CLASSROOM FOCUS - continued

Spring
By Simon and Logan
Everyone sees the bees
in all the trees.



All of the seas
will follow the breeze.
Now the waters can flow
now the waters can glow.

Now the sun can show
everyone brighter than
winter snow

People can see the sun
now everyone is having fun.

Now that winters done
spring has now come.

Now the waters blow
everyone can now go.

It is now so
you can go mow.



Spring
By Chris Igoe

It was fun
I played in the sun

It was hot
I sweat a lot.

We tried to stay cool
I wasn't a fool

We went to Dunkins
and got Munchkins.



Spring
By Ani, Daniel and Marco

Bright purple periwinkle
makes my eyes twinkle.

I love the bees
that fly around trees.

The snow melts in the Spring
more and more rain to bring.

Waking up early to have some fun
to play in the bright yellow sun.

SPRING

My hair blows in the breeze.
The wind blows through the leaves.

The birds chirp in the trees.
While bees hum in the breeze.

The kids go out to play.
While birds fly away.

Spring flowers go away.
Summer flowers come hooray.

By Calebe, Julian, Brayden



God's Masterpiece

Play: Take turns pretending to be an artist creating a masterpiece. Paint or draw a picture either on paper or in the air. Have others try to guess what the "artist" is painting.

Talk: Every picture you draw is unique—there is not another one like it. An artist's best paintings are sometimes called "masterpieces." Masterpieces may be put on display in museums for others to see. The Bible says we are God's masterpieces (See Ephesians 2:10). He created us to do good works that He already planned for us. When people watch us obey God and do good things for others, they can see God's creative work—His masterpiece—and learn of His love. What good works does God have for you to do today?

Pray: Ask God to help you do the good works He planned for you, and thank Him for making you His masterpiece! —Christine St. Jacques

From On-the-Go Devotions by Focus on the Family

THINGS TO KNOW....

May 28 No School/Professional Development

May 31 Memorial Day Holiday – no school

June 5 Graduation

June 11 Last Day of School - 10:30 am Dismissal



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