

The Principal's Newsletter
March 23, 2018



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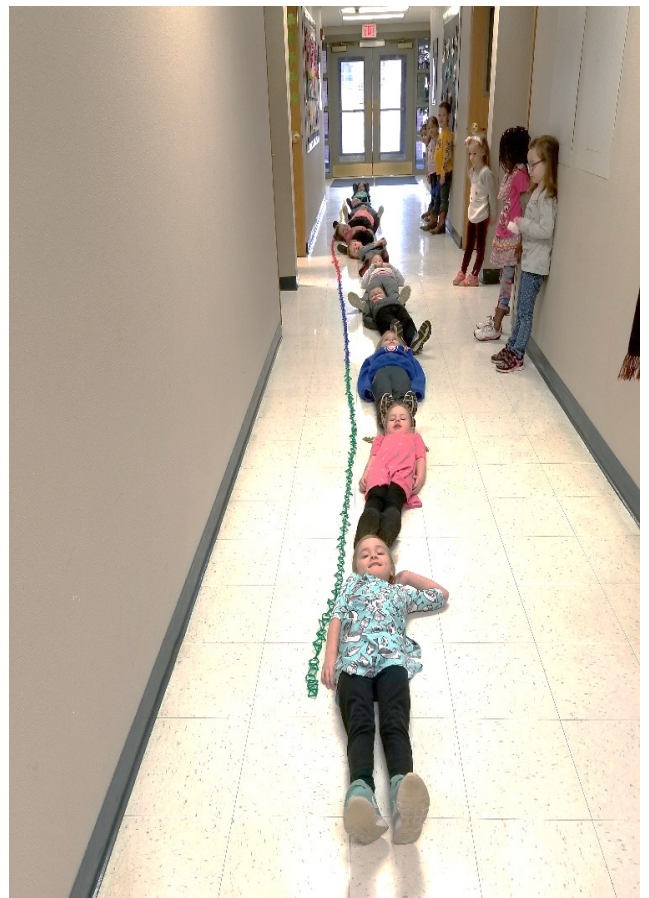
***March 29 Round #1 Deadline for STO Applications**

Completed online application AND all required tax documentation must be uploaded or faxed by this date. It is unlikely any scholarship money will be available after this date so PLEASE apply if you meet the following: STO Qualifying Income Levels 2018-19

Persons in Household	Maximum Qualifying Incomes*
2	49,380
3	62,340
4	75,300
5	87,300
6	101,220
7	114,180
8	127,140

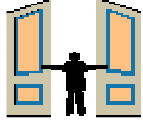
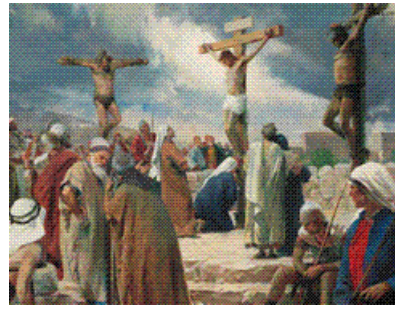
The preschoolers did some measuring. After a day and a half of assembling links into a chain, it was time to move it to the hallway to see how many kids long it was. It took 10 kids (that's half our class) to equal the length of the chain.

Kid length? Not as "far out" as one would think! What about the length of a cubit? The Bible tells us the length of Noah's Ark was 300 cubits, its width 50 cubits, and its height 30 cubits. **The length of a cubit was based on the distance from the elbow to the fingertips.**



Upcoming:

***Good Friday, March 30 – No School**



***Thursday, April 5 – 2 hour early out for in-service - Open House from 5 to 7 p.m.**

***Friday, April 6 - Grandparents/Grandfriends Day**
Mass at 10:30 – luncheon, entertainment, and tours following



***Sunday, April 8 – First Communion at the 10:00 a.m. Mass**

***Week of April 16 – Kindergartners take the Iowa Assessments**

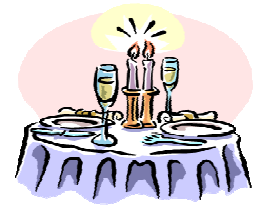


***Thursday, April 19 – Preschool Spring Concert – 6:30 p.m. in the gym**



***Tuesday, April 24 – K-6 Spring Concert at 6:30 p.m. in the gym**

***Annual St. Thomas Aquinas Ball Saturday, May 5**



***Thursday, May 10 – 2 hour early out for in-service**



***Friday, May 11- Final Prayer Partner Mass for this school year**

***Friday, May 18 – Peace Officers Mass at 8:30 followed by a Brunch for them**



Graduation – Kindergarten & 6th – Friday, May 25
Mass at 8:30 followed by a graduation ceremony in the gym. After graduation students will continue to come to school as we make up snow days.

