## Newsletter September 5th-9th

Our students are learning our classroom routines & procedures well enough that we are ready to begin adding new things!

One big item is <u>The Letter of the Week</u>. This week it's letter "Tt". We ask that your child brings in a picture of an item beginning with "T". It should be about the size of your child's hand. It can be something they have drawn, cut out of a magazine or printed from the internet. It has to be brought in on Monday (this week on Tuesday). If your child is absent on a Monday, it may be brought in the next day. If we have 100% participation on a Monday, we will have a "participation celebration" that week. If everyone doesn't have their picture to put in the basket on Monday, we'll try again the next week. The letter will be in our weekly newsletter, so you will have the weekend to prepare for Monday.

We are continuing to work on the baseline assessments for the children. This will give us a good idea of what we need to be focusing on for the next months.

We've had some parents with questions about birthday celebrations & treats. Attached is a copy of the Diocesan's Celebration & Wellness Policy. As a class, we will acknowledge your child's birthday during our Morning Meeting by singing Happy Birthday, and they may choose items from our birthday bucket. For children with birthdays during the summer that we miss, half birthdays will be celebrated.

## Enjoy your Holiday Weekend!





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