



### Religion and Family Life

In Religion the students will learn that Lent is the time for the friends of Jesus to prepare for Easter. In Family Life they will deepen their understanding of marriage, family life and God's plan for new human life and birth.

### Language

In Reading, students continue to use the A.P.E. model when responding to comprehension questions. They provide evidence in the text to support their responses. They make connections to the text and explain how these connections enrich their comprehension. They also make inferences about texts using stated and implied ideas from the texts as evidence.

In Writing, students continue to write short texts using a variety of describing words and sentence structures. Students are reviewing Level 4 exemplars and then making revisions to improve the content and interest of their written work.

In Word Study, students continue to learn strategies to spell words through weekly spelling lessons.

### Math

Students will learn about area and grids. They will estimate and measure the area of shapes using square units. They will compare and order shapes by area and work with grids to describe locations and movements.

### Science

Grade 3 students continue to learn about strong and stable structures. Grade 2 students will begin to explore movement.

### Virtue of the Month



## **FORGIVENESS**

Blessed Mother Teresa has said: "Have a great compassion for people. To be able to have a heart full of compassion, we need to pray. Especially be kind, be loving to the poor. We think we do so much for the poor, but it is they who make us rich. We are in debt to them. Do you want to do something beautiful for God? There is a person who needs you. This is your chance."

**To Err is Human, to  
Forgive is Divine.**  
Alexander Pope