



# Miss Salas & Mrs. Neder's

## Weekly Newsletter

March 10 - 14, 2025



**Unit of Study:** St. Patrick's Day

**Bible Story:** Jesus Walks on the Water

**Bible Verse:** "Look at the birds of the air. They don't plant seeds or store grain. Your Heavenly Father takes care of them and He will take care of you." Mathew 6:26

**Share Time:** Children may bring one item from home that is green!

**Phonics:** Ulysses Unicorn U says, "u – u, u, u," as in unicycle, uniform, use, and cube, flute, and glue. (U = long u sound.)

**Academics to Practice this Week:** **Color:** Green **Shape:** Shamrock **Number:** 19, 29



**Featured Composer:** Johann Sebastian Bach

### **Home Enrichment Activities:**

- Go on a "green" scavenger hunt with your child. Make a list of things to find (for example: something soft, something you eat, something you can wear) and hunt for green things that match those descriptions!
- Make a rainbow with your child. You can use crayons, markers, or other fun materials, such as "Fruit Loops" cereal, colored bits of paper, colored pom-poms, etc.
- Help your child practice printing our letter, U, and numbers 1 - 20, using a green crayon or marker.
- Talk about St. Patrick's Day, with your child. This holiday is celebrated on March 17<sup>th</sup> every year to commemorate St. Patrick bringing Christianity to Ireland. Patrick used the shamrock to explain the Trinity to the people of Ireland. Showing the 3-leafed clover to them, he explained that God the Father, the Son, and Holy Spirit are three persons, yet one God. People around the world like to "be Irish for a day" on this holiday, by wearing shamrocks, having "green" parties, and eating corned beef and cabbage.
- Sit down with your child, review this week's Bible Story: "Jesus Walks on the Water". Then have your child draw a picture on white construction paper. Have your child draw a sun, birds, the blue ocean. Finally, draw Jesus walking on the water.

**St Patrick's Day Snack:** We will have a Green Special Snack next Monday, March 17<sup>th</sup>. Please see the sign-up on the outside classroom window if you would like to donate items. Remember to wear your green on that day!

**God Bless!**