Important Dates:

* Christmas Program Fri., 12/7 at 7 p.m. at Salem Baptist Church
* Science Vocab. Quiz Wed. 12/12
* Math Test Wed., 12/12
* Ch. 8 Science Test Fri., 12/14

Christmas Break will be from Thursday, Dec. 20th to Wednesday, January 2nd. School will resume on Thursday, January 3rd!

**Memory Work due Thursday, Dec. 13th**

**Luke 2:9-12**

And an angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were filled with great fear. **10**And the angel said to them, “Fear not, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. **11**For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. **12**And this will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in swaddling cloths and lying in a manger.”

**Nation Notebook**

The first Nation Notebook (N.N.) assignments will be due on Monday, December 10th. Students received a checklist last Monday and have been working on these. Please check with your student on their progress to be sure they are successful in completing their first Nation Notebook pages and that these are completed on time!

**Biography Presentations**

Presentations will be Friday, Dec. 14th at 1:15 in the cafeteria! Please consider attending these presentations from 1:15p.m.-3:15 p.m. Costumes must follow school dress code.

 Students will have time to change into their costumes on Friday, Dec. 14th prior to their presentation. They do not need to come to school dressed in costume.

**Spelling List 14**

**Homophones**

1. **tide**
2. **tied**
3. ring
4. wring
5. **pier**
6. **peer**
7. **herd**
8. **heard**
9. ceiling
10. sealing
11. patients
12. patience
13. salinity
14. intertidal
15. coastline
16. anemone
17. barnacles
18. organisms
19. fluctuation
20. attentive
21. intention
22. contraction
23. extraction

**Challenge**

1. precaution
2. salutation

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