



2nd Grade News



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This Past Week Happenings:

*We are getting ready for Turkey Day in 2nd grade! Aren't these turkey wreaths adorable?



Some of Our Weekly Accomplishments

Reading	Religion	Social Studies	Math
<p>*Book Bags</p> <p>*New stories: "How Chipmunk Got His Stripes" and "Why Rabbits Have Short Tales"</p> <p><u>English</u></p> <p>*"Verb and Noun Sort" Activity</p> <p>*Present Tense Verbs</p> <p><u>Writing</u></p> <p>*Turkey Writing Project... <i>Dear Friends, Instead of turkey for Thanksgiving dinner, how about...?</i></p>	<p>*"Venial & Mortal Sins" sorting activity</p> <p>*New vocab: venial, mortal, penance</p> <p>*Meditation Activity (<i>Ask your child about this beautiful activity!</i>)</p> <p><u>Spelling</u></p> <p>*Unit 9 ~ Base words ending in -ed and -ing</p>	<p>*"Changing Our Environment" (<i>new vocab: environment</i>)</p> <p>*Absolute & Relative Location</p> <p>*Home Address</p> <p>*Veterans Day (<i>We learned more about Veterans Day by making a book and beautiful pendant project.</i>)</p> <p><u>Science</u></p> <p>*Chapter 2 Test</p> <p>*Salt Water vs Fresh Water Project</p> <p>*Created a Venn Diagrams comparing/contrasting oceans, rivers, and lakes</p>	<p>*More practice adding 2, 3, and 4 digit numbers</p> <p>*Chapter 3 Test</p> <p>*Veterans Day Addition Bingo Game</p> <p>*Began Chapter 4 by learning how to Subtract Two-Digit Numbers</p> <p>*Take Apart Tens to Subtract</p> <p><u>Handwriting</u></p> <p>*Lowercase & Uppercase Manuscript m mM and hH over</p>

Saints of the Week: St. Martin of Tours

Reminders & Updates

*Has your child registered for the Kids Heart Challenge and/or completed Finn's Mission? It's so very easy to do, your child will be rewarded, our school will benefit from it, and the American Heart Association with thank you! Log on to:

https://www2.heart.org/site/SPageNavigator/ym_school_search.html

*The 2nd graders will be doing the Mass ministries for Mass next Wednesday, November 15. Mass parts are attached to this newsletter. If your child has a reading or a petition, **please** practice with them at home. We will practice all ministries on Tuesday in church as a class.

*On Tuesday, students were introduced to Absolute and Relative Location in social studies class. Students were also given a copy of their home address. The 2nd graders will be tested on their home address on **FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17**. Students should be able to recite his/her address orally AND be able to write his/her address. Please help your child practice this important safety skill every night. Thank you!

*A Scholastic Book Order form is stapled to this newsletter. It's not too early to begin your Christmas shopping. Orders are due November 15.

Next Week's Happenings ~ November 13-17

Monday, 13 th	Tuesday, 14 th	Wednesday, 15 th	Thursday, 16 th	Friday, 17 th
*Music	*Spanish *Art *Music *Book bags go home (due Thursday)	*8:30 AM Mass & Adoration WE PLAN! <i>All are welcome!</i> *Activity Period: Rosary & Adoration *Keyboarding	*Gym *Library *Spanish	*Address Test *Spelling Test *Computer *SSR *Gym

*Have an awesome weekend! God bless all veterans and their families!

~Miss Colwin ☺



Playing a reading sight word game with a partner