



2nd Grade News



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This Past Week Happenings:

*The 2nd grade students did a **fantastic job** doing the Mass ministries at Wednesday's Mass. I am very proud of their preparation and effort. What an accomplishment!

Some of Our Weekly Accomplishments

Reading	Religion	Social Studies	Math
<p>*Book Bags</p> <p>*New stories: ""Splash Photography" and Jellies ~ The Life of Jellyfish" Students learned some really interesting facts and created their own jellyfish.</p> <p><u>English</u></p> <p>*Continued learning about Present Tense Verbs</p> <p><u>Spelling</u></p> <p>*Unit 10 ~ Contractions</p> <p>*Weekly Game: "Memory"</p>	<p>*Created a 3D cube that helped us answer some tough "You Decide" questions/ scenarios</p> <p>*"I Am Thankful for my Family" turkey hand project</p> <p>*Rosary</p> <p>*Learned about our "conscience"</p>	<p>*Continued practicing our home address</p> <p>*Created and painted 3D houses and wrote our home address on the roof</p> <p>*Hemispheres and the Equator...Made a "Mr. Earth" project</p> <p>*Address Test</p> <p><u>Science</u></p> <p>*Groundwater & Glaciers</p> <p>*Read a story called "The Water Princess." Then completed a groundwater filtering experiment. Ask your child which filter cleaned the water the best. (Photos on FB)</p> <p>*Chapter 3 Review & Test</p>	<p>*Subtraction with Regrouping (Learned a new riddle to help us regroup: "When there's more on the floor, then you need to borrow from the neighbor.")</p> <p>*Learned about Tangrams and made a turkey using the 7 shapes in a tangram</p> <p><u>Handwriting</u></p> <p>*Lowercase & Uppercase Manuscript vV & yY</p>

Saint of the Week: St. Elizabeth of Hungary

Reminders & Updates

*Thank you for those of you who have volunteered to bring a snack for Tuesday's "Mayflower Munch" activity. Please send this snack on Monday. Thanks again! Link:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1da4okg3PCHSdXHHkjJ4q8twKQ-6wMdfzDV1slw6TIQ0/edit>

*Although it is about a month away, I wanted to share with you that on **December 11 at 12:30 PM**, we will be making gingerbread houses in our classroom. I would love for your child to have ONE parent, grandparent, relative, or special adult present for this super memorable activity. I will provide more information as the time gets closer. So, please mark your calendar! 😊

*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

*I will not be sending home book bags next Tuesday. 😊

*How is your child doing with their November book report chapter book? Special newspaper forms will be coming home the day we return from Thanksgiving break. Please look for it.

*If your child did not bring addition and subtraction flashcards to school in August (on school supply list), please try to purchase them over Thanksgiving break. We will begin using them on Monday, November 27.

Next Week's Happenings ~ November 20-24

Monday, 20 th	Tuesday, 21 st	Wednesday, 22 nd	Thursday, 23 rd	Friday, 24 th
*Music	*Spanish *Art *Music	*No School	*No School 	*No School

November 27-December 1 Happenings

Monday, 27 th	Tuesday, 28 th	Wednesday, 29 th	Thursday, 30 th	Friday, 1 st
*End of 1 st Trimester *Music *Book report newspaper comes home	*Spanish *Art *Music *Book bags go home (due Thursday)	*8:30 AM Mass & Adoration <i>All are welcome!</i> *Activity Period: Reading Assembly	*Book report newspaper due *Gym *Library *Spanish	*Wear Kind shirt *Report cards emailed home *Spelling Test *Computer *SSR *Gym *Kids Heart Challenge Assembly 8:15 AM

*I will not have a newsletter next Tuesday due to the short week. Wishing you all a very safe, happy, and healthy Thanksgiving break! I am truly blessed to have the opportunity to teach your kiddos!

~Miss Colwin 😊

Happy Thanksgiving!

