



# 2nd Grade News



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## This Past Week Happenings:

\*The shoebox diorama book reports were simply outstanding! The 2<sup>nd</sup> graders did a great job presenting them to the class. They are on display in the hallway. Thank you for helping your child with this project!

## Some of Our Weekly Accomplishments

Reading	Religion	Social Studies	Math
*Book Bags  *New stories: "Why Do Leaves Change Color?" and "The Pumpkin Gospel"  <u>English</u> *Began our unit on NOUNS	*New vocabulary: covenant  *Completed a stone tablets Ten Commandment project  *Learned more about St. Francis of Assisi and painted wooden birdhouses	*Unit 1 Review & Test  <u>Science</u> *Began Chapter 2 entitled "Changing the Shape of the Land"  *Glaciers	*Chapter 1 Review & Test  *Skip Count on a Hundreds Chart  <u>Handwriting</u> *Lowercase & Uppercase Manuscript cC, eE, fF, and gG

Saint of the Week: St. Teresa of Avila *She was a Spanish nun, one of the great mystics and religious women of the Roman Catholic Church, and an author of spiritual classics.*

## Reminders & Updates

\*Our first MAP test on Monday went very well. Please continue to encourage your child to try their very best on these important tests. **Upcoming MAP Testing Dates:** Monday, October 9: Math MAP Test (10:20-11:20 AM), and Thursday, October 12: Reading MAP Test (8:15-9:15 AM) *Please try to refrain from appointments and absences on MAP Test days. Thank you!*

\*We will be going on our first field trip on **Friday, October 13**. Students should wear their Kind shirt and khakis. Also, students should bring a bag lunch and drink (no soda). **All** bags and lunch items should be disposable.

\*Grandparent's Day is on **Wednesday, October 11**. Students will sit with their grandparents at Mass. We are excited to welcome our special guests into our school.

\*October book report information came home yesterday (Tuesday). Please help your child pick out a chapter book and begin reading soon.

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## Next Week's Happenings ~ October 9-13

Monday, 9 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday, 10 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday, 11 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday, 12 <sup>th</sup>	Friday, 13 <sup>th</sup>
<p><b>*Zosia is the Star of the Week!</b></p> <p><i>*Christopher Columbus Day</i></p> <p><i>*Music</i></p> <p><i>*MAP Test</i></p>	<p><i>*Spanish</i></p> <p><i>*Art</i></p> <p><i>*Music</i></p> <p><i>*Book bag due Thursday</i></p>	<p><b>*Grandparent's Day</b></p> <p><i>*8:30 AM Mass &amp; Adoration</i> <i>All are welcome!</i></p>	<p><i>*Gym</i></p> <p><i>*Library</i></p> <p><i>*Spanish</i></p> <p><i>*MAP Test</i></p>	<p><b>*Field Trip</b> (<i>Wear Kind shirt and khakis. Bring a lunch &amp; drink.</i>)</p> <p><i>*Spelling Test</i></p> <p><i>*Gym    *SSR</i></p> <p><i>*Scholastic Book Fair Student Preview</i></p>

\*Have an awesome long weekend! God bless!

~Miss Colwin ☺

