



# 2nd Grade News



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## This Past Week Happenings:

\*On Wednesday during Activity Period, the 2<sup>nd</sup> graders learned that we will be **SERVING THE HUNGRY** this school year for our service project. Students watched a powerful video of children being interviewed about hunger. Then they painted a beautiful poster that included the bible verse "Come you that are blessed...for I was hungry, and you gave me food..." These posters are on display in the hallway. We ended our Activity Period with a prayer for the hungry.

\*The 2<sup>nd</sup> grade students did an amazing job with their Mass ministries on Wednesday! I am so proud of them! Thank you for helping your child prepare.

## Some of Our Weekly Accomplishments

Reading	Religion	Social Studies	Math
*Book Bags  *New stories: "Diary of a Spider" and "A Swallow and a Spider"  *Created a Johnny Appleseed Legend vs Fact Flipbook  <u>Spelling</u> Rule: Long Vowels o, u  <u>English</u> *Commands and Exclamatory Sentences	*Chapter 1 Review & Test  *Began Chapter 2 entitled "Loving God"  *Celebrated the Feast of the Archangels by learning more about St. Michael, the Archangel and making a fun puppet	*Road Maps & Map Keys  <u>Science</u> *Created a Fact Poster about Hurricanes, Tornadoes, and Tsunamis  *Played a Memory Game using all the different natural disasters that we have learned about  *Transportation	*Finding the Missing Addends  *Fact Families  *Games Played: "Spin a Fact Family" and "Addition War"  *Two Step Word Problems  <u>Handwriting</u> *Lowercase & Uppercase Manuscript aA and dD

Saint of the Week: St. Vincent de Paul *Known as the "The Apostle of Charity" and "Father of the Poor," his contributions to the training of priests and organizing parish missions for the poor shaped the Church's role in the modern world.*

## Reminders & Updates:



\*New E-mail Address: [ncolwin@soth-school.org](mailto:ncolwin@soth-school.org) and New Classroom Website Address: [secondgrade.soth-school.org](http://secondgrade.soth-school.org)

\*Just a friendly reminder that book report dioramas are due on **Monday, October 2**. Lost your book report directions? They can be found on our classroom website: [secondgrade.soth-school.org](http://secondgrade.soth-school.org)

\*All 2<sup>nd</sup> grade students should bring a small stuffed animal or photo of their pet on Wednesday, **October 4<sup>th</sup>**. Fr. Mark will be doing a pet blessing after the homily at Mass to celebrate the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi.

\***MAP Testing Dates:** Monday, October 2: English MAP Test (12:20-1:20 PM), 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!

## Next Week's Happenings ~ October 2-6

Monday, 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Tuesday, 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Wednesday, 4 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday, 5 <sup>th</sup>	Friday, 6 <sup>th</sup>
*Book Report Diorama Due  *Music  *MAP Test  *2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Sacramental Parent Meeting 6:20 PM in Church	*Spanish  *Art  *Music  *Volleyball Pep Rally 2:40 PM <i>All are welcome!</i>	*Feast of St. Francis of Assisi <i>(bring stuffed animal or photo)</i>  *8:30 AM Mass, Pet Blessing & Adoration <i>All are welcome!</i>  *Activity Period: Kind Assembly  *Keyboarding	*No School Teacher In-Service  	*No School Teacher In-Service  

\*Have a wonderful weekend! God bless!

~Miss Colwin ☺



**Happy Johnny Applesed Day!**



