

Charlottesville Catholic School

Friday Newsletter

Junior Kindergarten October 10, 2024

Teacher's Message/Announcements

Calendar/Important Dates

- October 11, 2024: JK field trip to Carter's Mountain, 8:20am
- October 18, 2024: 11:30 dismissal; End of 1st quarter

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Important School Announcements

5K/Fun Run Volunteers Needed–We have lots of ways you can help! Please check out the opportunities and <u>sign up if you can</u>. We depend on volunteers to make this event a success.

Crozet Speech and Language Clinic will be conducting speech and occupational therapy screenings in October. Please look for a letter in your child's Friday folder with more information.

Math

Ms. Wawner's class continued to work with teen numbers this week and comparing numbers, using the language greater than/less than/equal to. We will continue working on this next week. Ms. Shank's class will continue comparing numbers using the terms greater and less than with pictures.

Language Arts/Reading/Writing

Ms. Wawner's class learned about the letter Nn this week. We like to pick one thing that starts with the letter of the week to highlight and this week it was ninjas! Students practiced being quiet, stealthy, and skilled. Next week, we will review all of the letters and sounds we have learned during the first nine weeks. Ms. Shank's class worked on the sight word "is" and read our book "Opposites". Next week our sight word will be "and" and our book will be "Dad and I". Our letter will be D.

Theology/SEL

Ms. Wawner's class learned about Noah and his hero trait of obedience this week. We created our own ark with animals and the rainbow that God put in the sky to show Noah his promise. Next week, we will learn about another hero from the Bible, Joseph. Ms. Shank's class learned about Guardian Angels. We will learn about King David.

Science/Social Studies

Ms. Wawner's class learned about apples this week. We learned about the different parts and its life cycle. Each student got an apple and performed an apple investigation with the help of their faith buddies. They drew their apple, measured its height and circumference, tested whether it sinks or floats and counted its seeds. We are excited about our trip to the orchard on Friday. Next week, we will begin our bird inquiry. Ms. Shank's class finished our unit s.