



Charlottesville Catholic School

Friday Newsletter

Kindergarten

10/25/2024

Teacher's Message/Announcements

Thanks so much to those parents that came and will still be coming to talk about their jobs! The children have been loving it! Also, the alphabet projects have slowly been coming in. Our students have done a wonderful job presenting them! We are so very proud of all our students!

Brrrr...it's getting cold outside! We go outside for recess twice a day and students will be eating snack and lunch outside, as well, so please be sure to bundle up your student before school each morning!

Please continue to practice the sight words every day. These are extremely important for their kindergarten year.

Calendar/Important Dates

10/25-1st Quarter Report Cards and alphabet boxes are due.

Teacher email addresses

Please feel free to contact us with any questions. Our email addresses are: j.draper@cvillecatholic.org and r.zartler@cvillecatholic.org

Important School Announcements

- Please note: we do not have Mass on Tuesday, October 29. Mass next week will be on Friday, November 1 for the Solemnity of All Saints.
- **Lost & Found:** The Lost & Found is piling up! In addition to student items, there are several items that have been left by adults after events. Please

make sure that student belongings (especially CCS-branded ones) are labeled. If you or your child are missing something, please come in and check the Lost & Found.



Social Studies

In social studies this week we talked about maps and globes. We discussed symbols, map keys, compass rose, titles of maps and different types of maps. The students even drew their own maps of their bedroom or their classroom. They really enjoyed this fun activity! We also spoke about positional words including near, far, above, below, left, right, behind, in front of, north, south, east and west.

Math

We completed Unit 5 which includes two dimensional shapes and then took the test. We also continued to practice counting to 100! Some of them already know how to count to 100. But, at this time, the students are only expected to count to twenty five. The students have also been counting to 100 by 5s and 10s. We have calendar time during math every day. The students continue to learn our days of the week song, months of the year song and seasons every day.

Language Arts/Reading/Writing

The students are continuing to practice reading to self and work on writing. Please have your child read the books we send home every Friday to you three times to practice sight words and fluency. **Our sight words this week are: play, run, find, three, funny.**

Theology

Our kindergarteners learned about making the right choices which are loving and good. They also learned that sometimes we don't make the right choices but God still loves us. The students also enjoyed the book Blueberries for Sal and spoke about God's creation. We continued our whole school rosary this week. In October, every Thursday, we will be praying one decade of the rosary as a whole school outside on the basketball court. Eighth grade leads us in the rosary.

Science

We are focused on social studies this quarter.