



**Charlottesville  
Catholic School**  
*Christ Community Scholars*

# Charlottesville Catholic School

## Friday Newsletter

### 2nd Grade

### 11/22/2024

#### **Teacher's Message/Announcements**

##### **Calendar/Important Dates**

11/25-11/29- School Closed (Thanksgiving)  
12/2-12/6- Spirit Week  
12/6- Blue and Gold Day  
12/9- Mass- Solemnity of Immaculate Conception  
12/19- JK-2- Christmas Concert  
12/20- 11:30 Dismissal

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- Please don't hesitate to reach out! I'm excited to be your partner in your child's education!

#### **Social Studies**

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We have been learning all about The Thanksgiving holiday. We also have been spending time studying Native Americans. We have been reading lots of read alouds to help us understand where they lived and how different life was in the past versus today.

#### **Math**

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We have been finishing up our unit on addition strategies. We have learned how to decompose addends, find friendly numbers, and adding the tens and ones.

## Language Arts/Reading/Writing

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We read the story Duck for Turkey Day by Jacqueline Jules. The story teaches us about different traditions and foods that people have during the holiday season. In grammar we learned about adverbs and were able to write sentences using them. We also read lots of holiday themed books such as Turkey Trouble, Stone Soup and The First Thanksgiving Day.

## Theology

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We started learning about the seven sacraments.

## Science

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We focused on social studies this week.

# Christmas Spirit Week

2024



**Monday**  
**Dec. 2**  
**“Cozy Day”**

- Loose fitting pj bottoms or sweatpants; comfy t-shirts or sweatshirts
- **NO slippers, crocs, leggings, onesies, or pj sets/nightgowns**
- Middle school: sneakers of choice
- JK-5: school sneakers

**Tuesday**  
**Dec. 3**  
**Mass Day**

- **No Spirit Wear dress up this day**
- **All students must be in formal dress uniforms for Mass**



**Wednesday**  
**Dec. 4**  
**“Christmas Tag Day”**

- Students must be in regular uniforms
- Christmas-themed accessories:
  - Necklaces, earrings, bracelets
  - Headbands or hair accessories
  - Socks, hats



**Thursday**  
**Dec. 5**  
**“Sports Shirt Day”**

- Students may wear a sports jersey or t-shirts (local team through major leagues)
- Middle school: jeans or uniform bottoms, sneakers of choice
- JK-5: uniforms bottoms and shoes

**Friday**  
**Dec. 6**  
**“Blue & Gold Plus Day”**

- Normal Blue & Gold Day dress requirements
- Blue or gold accessories:
  - Necklaces, earrings, bracelets
  - Headbands or hair accessories
  - Socks, hats

