



**Charlottesville
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Friday Newsletter

4th Grade

Good afternoon, 4th grade families! We had a wonderful week in school and hope you did as well! We are very much looking forward to seeing you at the Christmas Concert (details in the Announcements section) next Wednesday! Thank you for being a part of our community and for being so supportive. We are incredibly grateful that you and your families help make Charlottesville Catholic School such a wonderful place!

Announcements

- We can't wait to see you all for the Christmas Concert. Please follow these procedures for dropping off and picking up your child:
 - Plan on arriving by 5:45 pm, so students can be in the classroom at 6 pm, ready to go.
 - Students need to be in their "Christmas best". Please have them bring their water bottles.
 - Parents can head straight to the gym for the concert.
 - Please look in the main hallway by the gym to see student created artwork!
 - Once the concert is over, students will be taken back to their classrooms for pick up. Be sure to sign them out in their classroom. Looking forward to sharing the Christmas joy through music and art!
- Chilly weather is here! Please make sure that your student comes to school with a sweater and/or coat/jacket for when we are at snack and recess. Please ensure that these items are clean and in good condition and that students are now in Winter Dress.
- As we have several students with peanut allergies in 4th grade, please be conscientious of them when packing snacks/lunches.
- Please remember that the only accepted variations of the navy blue uniform pants come from FlynnO'Hara, and Lands End.
- Contact emails: a.burgin@cvillecatholic.org a.taleghani@cvillecatholic.org

Calendar/Important Dates:

- December 12, 2022- Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Service (Families Welcome!)
- December 14, 2022- Christmas Concert- Please arrive at 5:45 pm.
- December 15- Mass (Families Welcome!)
- December 16, 2022- Tacky Sweater Day/ 11:30 Dismissal (No Aftercare)

- December 17- January 2, 2022- Winter Break (No School)
- January 3, 2022- School Resumes (Welcome back!)

Social Studies

This week in Social Studies, students finished chapter 3 which focused on Jamestown and early settlers. Next week, students will complete a project based on chapter 3. Students will need a poster in order to complete the final draft. If your child has not brought in a poster yet, please do so by Monday. This in class project will be due on Thursday, December 15.

Math

In Math this week we took our Chapter 5 test on 2-by-2 digit multiplication, and have started Ch. 6. We are moving from multiplication to division. We have enjoyed understanding the relationship between the two, and feel confident to tackle division in the coming weeks.

Language Arts/Reading/Writing

This week in Language Arts, students continued into our unit that consists of a research project regarding natural disasters! This is a great unit in which nonfiction texts will be used. Students also learned how to summarize and identify the main idea of nonfiction texts.

Religion

In Religion we've reflected on what it means to be a member of the Church, and have been focused on the importance of the Sacraments of Initiation, and Reconciliation. We were fortunate to have the opportunity to attend Reconciliation here at school. We took our quiz on Unit 2 Lesson 8 and look forward to learning more about the Sacraments of Healing next week in Unit 2 Lesson 9.

Science

This week in Science we have come to better understand facets of various Ecosystems. We took our Chapter 5 test, and had the opportunity to work on our Ecosystem projects in class on Thursday and Friday. We look forward to finishing these over the weekend, and sharing them in class next week.

*Ecosystem projects are due Monday, 12/12.