

# Charlottesville Catholic School

Friday Newsletter

5th Grade 05/13/2022

## Teachers' Message/Announcements

- Monday, May 16, will be a Blue/Gold Day for Ukraine. See the Tuesday Teller for details.
- The 5th Grade Performance Series tests will be:
  - Math: May 24 at 8:15
  - Reading: May 25 at 8:15

### Upcoming Tests and Independent Projects:

**Monday, May 16:** Math Quiz

**Wednesday, May 18:** Social Studies Unit Test

**Thursday, May 19:** Reading Test on defining words in context

**Friday, May 20th:** IRA for fourth quarter is due (there is only one)

**Friday, May 20th:** End of the Year Math Exam(Placement)

**Friday, May 20th:** States and Capitals Assessment

### Math

This week we continued working on converting customary and metric units. Next week we will focus on metric measurement and reviewing for the end of the year math placement test (test is on 5/20).

### Science

This week we worked with reading graphic organizers, graphing and interpreting charts, and creating our own charts and graphs based on our own data. Next week we will apply our

knowledge of graphs and charts to complete a fun project.

### Social Studies

This week we reviewed the Industrial Revolution and were scheduled to have a test today that has been moved to **Wednesday, May 18th**. Next week we will cover the era that led to the Civil War. This will be our final unit of study for the year. Next week we will also focus on labeling the entire map with States and Capitals.

### Language Arts

This week we finished reading *The Phantom Tollbooth*, and students took a test on the novel. They also turned in the Dodecahedron Project. Next week, we will read two short stories from the *Journeys* anthology and will receive a new set of spelling/vocabulary words from one of the stories. We have also been working on defining words in context, and there will be a test on that material next Thursday.

### Religion

This week we reviewed the symbols of the Triduum and in place of an assessment we will write a short essay to describe the season and its symbols. This will be completed in class and replace a test grade. Next week our focus will be completing our Saints projects in class and preparing to present them the week of May 23rd.

### From Mr. Seibert:

I am gauging interest to start a First Lego League Robotics team for the 22-23 school year. FLL is an annual competition to build a lego robot that can solve multiple course challenges, along with team building challenges and a project that encompasses some aspect of the community. Learn more at their website: <https://www.firstlegoleague.org/>

If your child(ren) is interested, please fill out [this form](#).