



**Charlottesville
Catholic School**
Christ Community Scholars

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Friday Newsletter

Junior Kindergarten May 26th, 2022

Calendar/Important Dates

Friday, May 26: 11:30 Dismissal; no aftercare.

Monday, May 29: School closed for Memorial Day

Friday, June 2nd: Field Day

Tuesday, June 4th: 8th grade graduation

Wednesday, June 7th: Last day of school for Junior Kindergarten. JK celebration at 9:00 a.m. in the performance space downstairs.

Math

Ms. Shank has completed math assessments. You should have already received those in your child's red folders. The rest of the year we will be reviewing and playing math games.

Ms. Wawner's class worked on subtraction, including subtracting using a number line. We are beginning to review our mathematical skills we have learned over the past school year.

Language Arts/Reading/Writing

Ms. Wawner's class focused on the word family ending in -it this week. We have enjoyed playing write-the-room, reading emergent readers while identifying -it words as well. We are continuing to add new sight words to our wall each week. This week's sight word is: this and last week's sight word was my. We are also reviewing our letter sounds and letter formations as our school year comes to a close.

Ms. Shank's class started our Dr. Seuss author study. We read lots of Seuss books and had fun rhyming. We read "Oh the Places You Will Go" and they chose their own place they would like to travel to. We are also in the process of making a class book based on the story "Ten Apples Up On Top". They each chose two things that they would like to put on top of their Seuss hat. I have already completed a letter and letter sound assessment. You should have received those in your child's red folder. I just completed an assessment on rhyming knowledge. I will be sending that home.

Religion

Ms. Shank's class will be completing the Fruits of the Spirit study. We will end the year the way we started the year and practiced throughout the year, by talking about how to be like Christ.

Ms. Wawner's class has been working on our Fruits of the Spirit study. The children have been working hard on their Fruits of the Spirit books.

Science

Ms. Wawner's class began and finished up our plant study unit. We enjoyed going on nature walks, reading lots of books on plants and watching our seeds grow in the classroom. We also were able to release our butterflies!

Ms. Shank's class finished our community helpers unit. The students created maps of their own town. They chose a community helper they wanted to be and we created hats. Next week we will be doing some fun science experiments.

Other

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Field Day will be on Friday June, 2nd. General notes: The students will be given many opportunities for water breaks and to get out of the sun. It is important that they have their water bottle. We fill these throughout the day. They will need sunscreen applied before school. We can not do so. If they wish they can also bring a hat. We will be going out in the early morning when it will be less hot. The students will need to wear sneakers/tennis shoes that day, (no open toed shoes, crocs, sandals, boots, or dress shoes). They will still need a snack and lunch. The snack should be something that they can quickly eat on the go as we will be eating it outside during one of our breaks from the activities. As soon as I get any additional information about this day I will send that information on to you.

On the morning of June 7th we will have a closing celebration to finish off our JK year. At that time the students will sing some songs and share some of the things that they have learned this year. This is the last day of school for Junior Kindergarten and Kindergarten. The celebration will be at 9:00 a.m. that day in the performance space. We will have refreshments and a treat following the ceremony. Feel free to take your child after the ceremony. **If you plan on taking your child after the celebration please let us know so that we can plan activities accordingly.** First through 7th grade's last day is on the 8th.