



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

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## Friday Newsletter

### 2nd Grade

### September 6, 2024

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

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

9/13 - Roald Dahl Day  
9/20 - 1st Quarter Interim  
10/7 - Teacher Work Day (no school)  
10/18 - End of 1st Quarter  
10/25 - 1st Quarter Report Cards

##### **Teacher email addresses**

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\*Please don't hesitate to reach out! We are excited to be your partners in your child's education!

##### **Important School Announcements**

We will be in the STEM lab on Tuesday for the first time this school year. Second graders are so excited! If you have any empty small water bottles/ soda bottles we would love for you to send them in for us for Tuesday! Please send in on Monday so we have an idea what we will still need for Tuesday! As always, thank you!!!

##### **Social Studies**

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This week we studied important holidays in the United States including Labor Day. We had read alouds to learn more about who celebrates Labor Day. We worked on a reading comprehension sheet highlighting important text to learn the significance of Labor Day.

## Math

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We have been continuing to use our math program called Reveal Math to build our math skills. We have been working on place value, addition and subtraction fluency as well as problem solving skills. Be on the lookout for upcoming math practice in your child's blue homework folder.

## Language Arts/Reading/Writing

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We have been working on writing multiple complete sentences in our writing notebooks. Our students are continuing to write using correct punctuation, spaces between words, correct capitalization and spelling sight words correctly. We have been reading fiction and nonfiction stories to build our comprehension skills. Ask your child what stories they read this week. We also focused on writing, sorting, and hunting for nouns around the classroom.

## Theology

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Our second graders have been to mass and the chapel. We have learned all about prayer and students have shared lots of ideas about what they can pray for. Be sure to ask your child what the five finger prayer means and check their red folder to see the prayer your child wrote in class!

## Science

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We are so excited to get into the STEM lab next week! Our first experiment will involve a beloved Ronald Dahl book, George's Marvelous Medicine...we love when we can combine subjects and show how math, science and reading all connect and overlap!

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