



First Grade News

January 5, 2024

Walking the path of Christ with love and service through a Catholic Education.

Class Notes...

Happy New Year! Things are getting back to normal in the classroom. We had a short week of projects: making goals for the new year; Epiphany and God's greatest treasure.

I'd like to do a Science project that involves boxes. If you have any boxes, medium sized-no bigger than a desk, please send what you can. I will need 5-10 boxes.

We will be doing a buddy activity next Wednesday, Jan. 10. We will be creating marble mazes. Buddies met today to determine what things they may want to use to create the maze. The kids may be asking you for paper towel tubes, small boxes, plastic containers, craft supplies, etc. It should be a lot of fun!

*We will be celebrating Catholic Schools at the **Saturday, January 27 4:00 PM Mass**. Shepherd students, their families, alumni, and teachers will lead the Mass ministries. Please sign up for the Mass ministries using this link:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1KiH_Pmlr7UblZARbcnlihuZoJnla_l6flV0W4fFirVc/edit?usp=sharing

We would appreciate any help from students, parents, and alumni. Thank you!

*Have you RSVPed for our dinner auction gala event on February 17th? This is our school's main fundraiser. You don't want to miss "Live from Shepherd! It's Saturday Night!" RSVP today! Also, just a friendly reminder that all school families are asked to donate an item or service for the silent or live auction with a value of \$25 or more by January 19th.

Thank you for your generosity!

What we are doing...

Religion-church calendar/Baptism

Math-subtraction strategies

Reading/LA-th sounds/research/
proper nouns

S. Studies-maps

Science-introduction to light

Coming up...

Monday-Music/**MAP testing**

Tuesday-Music/Spanish/Art

Wednesday-Mass/Keyboarding

Thursday-Spanish/Phy. Ed.

Friday-Technology/Phy. Ed.



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First Graders in Action



Flashback to sunny September!