



# Seventh Grade Newsletter

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*Be kind whenever possible. It is always possible.*



## *Ms. Aumann's Notes.....*



**Week 19.... Happy New Year!** I hope you had a wonderful, restful break. I enjoyed mine, but I was so ready to see my students. We jumped right into our curriculum and even had a couple of practices for our upcoming, rescheduled Christmas program. This will be a busy quarter-Catholic Schools Week, Confirmation preparation, research papers, and more!

### Curriculum

**Religion:** We discussed confirmation sponsors, saint names, and a letter we will write to the Bishop. We will discuss gifts and fruits of the Holy Spirit next week. We read the Sunday Gospel about the baptism of Jesus.

**Vocabulary:** We started unit 8. We will have our unit 8 vocabulary and spelling tests next Friday.

**English-**We discussed the three ways to write a compound sentence. We practiced using a padlet form. We also discussed connective adverbs and coordinating conjunctions. Finally, we started brainstorming for a short essay based on the Shakespearean quote, "All that glitters is not gold."

**Science-**We reviewed section two- active and passive transport. We did a mini-lab about diffusion with hot and cold water. We started section 3 about energy, respiration and photosynthesis.

**Reading-**We did an oral and written anticipation guide. We are preparing for our new novel with the central theme of racism. To get us started, we are reading a more modern, short-story called *The Jacket*. It has prompted great thinking and discussion.

Have a great weekend! Thanks for your support of SHS.

## *Look Who Did What!*

**Tyler & Issabell-** for reading at Mass

**Hayden & Max-**for taking up the gifts

**Matthew & Hayden-** for ringing the bell

**All 7th Graders-**for helping John take down the church's Christmas decorations

**Brayden & Matthew -**for serving Mass

**Noah-**for showing extra effort

**Hayden & Matthew-**for thoughtful prayers

**Ayda, Issabell, Isaiah, Max & Brayden-**for making the honor roll

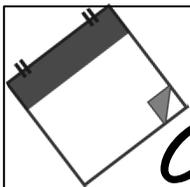


## *Thank You!*

**Bill & Kathi Beyers-** for being our Adopt-A-Class sponsors

**Ms. Zueck-** for always working extra days to be with our students

**S.H.O.P-**for supporting our school



## *Calendar*

- Jan. 15-**Christmas Program
- Jan. 17-**Unit 8 Spelling/Vocab Tests
- Jan. 26-31-**CSW 2020
- Jan.30-**Adoration
- Feb. 21-** Recycling Presentation
- Mar. 3-** Penance Service
- Mar. 15-** Confirmation



## *Reminder Confirmation is March 15*

Students need to have the confirmation sponsor form returned by Friday, January 24. We will work on saint reports next week. Please discuss who their sponsor is going to be and the saint name they are taking. These are two very important decisions.

