



# Seventh Grade Newsletter

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May this season remind you of the hope, joy, love and peace found in Christ.



## Ms. Aumann's Notes...

**Week 15 & 16 - Great things happened in 7th Grade!** The week of Thanksgiving the seventh grade students brought in food and food and more food! They placed **FIRST** in the class competition, but more importantly they prayed daily for the poor and hungry with their intentions. Well-done, class! A popcorn update...**GREAT** job selling popcorn. The class sold over \$2000.00 worth of popcorn! This is an impressive start to the fundraising efforts for their 8th grade class trip.

### Curriculum Report

**Religion-**We stepped away from the textbook for a few days and focused on the season of Advent. We are doing a Jesse Tree. The students made ornaments for their chosen date during the Advent season. We reviewed Advent practices with a Kahoot and took a quiz on Friday. As always, we read the Sunday Gospel to be prepared for Sunday Mass.

**Vocabulary-** We worked on Unit 6. Our unit spelling and vocabulary tests will be next week. The students are working on turning their myth into a powerpoint presentation.

**English-**We worked on our six word memoir and our weekly Daily Oral Language worksheet to learn grammar rules.

**Reading-**We've read eight chapters of *The Westing Game*. We are learning about the rules (and clues) of the game designed by our main character. Students also discussed vocabulary. They did a great job applying the vocab words.

**Science-**We started the CELL unit! We used a jigsaw approach to the chapter, studied the parts of the cell, brainstormed about our Cell City Project, and made an edible cell.

Happy Advent! May it be a time of peace and prayer. Stay well.

## Cook Who Did What!

**Daniel-** for serving Mass

**Kaylee & Josey-**for reading at Mass

**Kamden-** for being extra helpful

**Madyx & Brayden-** for sharing in the faith

**Delaney & Addison-**for creativity

## 7th Grade Gift Exchange

The students voted to do a class gift exchange. They voted on the kind of gift exchange & price limit. All students created a "wish list" of items they like. They voted on a \$20.00 limit. Students drew names today. They will open gifts on Friday, December 18th. This is our last day before break.



## Calendar



- Dec. 8-**Holy Day of Obligation
- Dec. 8 & 9-**MAP Testing
- Dec. 11-** SHOP @ Christmas Shop
- Dec. 16-**All School Rosary
- Dec. 16-** Cell City Project Due
- Dec. 16-** MCA Advent Boxes Due
- Dec. 18-**Last Day of 2nd Quarter

## CELL CITY PROJECT

The students have been assigned a big project---to create a "cell city." This is a 3D display. The students have the instructions; we viewed past examples and discussed many ideas. They may need some help gathering materials and getting the base of the city figured out, but this is their project to design. This is not a project to wait until the night before.(I reminded them of time management with this project.) Please check on their progress. Project Due: 12/16.



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