

Second Grade Classroom News:

We have had a busy week in second grade. We've been working hard on revising and publishing our writing. In math, we completed our repeated addition unit. The students had such a great time in Maker Space programming Sphero robots.

This year is a milestone for your kiddo. Your child will prepare to receive their First Reconciliation and First Communion. Please make sure November 17th is on your calendar, it is our first parent meeting about our Sacramental Prep process. This will be held in the library at 6:30. Please enter through the playground doors. This is a meeting for parents only. We ask that arrangements be made for your child/children. If you are unable to attend, please let me know so I can get you the necessary information.

We will be talking about Veteran's Day next week. If you have a family member or friend who is or who has been in the military, it would be really fun to see pictures with their name and what their job was or is in the military. Please send these in by Wednesday at the latest. Let's see if we can fill up a bulletin board with all our loved ones in the military.

Second grade will be leading POW at the end of the month. Please mark your calendar for November 30th.

Birthday celebrations this month -

Itzhak 11/9

Sam 11/22

Kai 11/23

Curriculum Focus for Next Week:

Religion

- All Saint's Day

Reading

- Main Idea

Writing

- Revising with partners
- publishing

Math

- Counting to 100
- 10 more or 10 less

- Even and odd numbers
- Problem solving

Social Studies

- Then and Now
- Veteran's Day

Spelling

- Words - into, has, more, her, two
- to, two, too
- r controlled vowels
- apostrophe pronouns

School News:

Next week the fifth grade class will kickoff our service project, The Food Drive. It will run from November 7-18. Our goal is to raise 2,000 pounds of food to help those in need. All food will be donated to Lift Urban Portland and will be used to help those in our community struggling with hunger.

We would like you to bring nonperishable food to your classroom starting on Monday. Some items include canned beans, vegetables, tuna and other proteins, whole grain rice, and many more.

Upcoming Events:

November 5

Clocks fall back

November 6

8:20 in the gym prayer service for Year of Mercy

November 10

Veteran's Day Assembly @ 8:20 please join us

November 11

Veteran's Day - No School

November 16

POW led by 6th grade

November 17

Sacramental Prep Parent Meeting

@ 6:30 in the library (no children please)

November 23

Mass led by 5th grade

11:30 Dismissal

November 24-25

Thanksgiving Break - No School

November 30

POW led by 2nd grade