



Ms. Andrea McMahon Newsletter

February 12, 2016

Important Dates

February 15th and 16th ~ No school

February 19th ~ Science Expo
from 4:30-7:00

February 24th ~ POW led by 6th
grade

Sacramental Prep Dates ~

Parent and child ~ February 23rd @
6:30

Reconciliation~ March 8th

Retreat ~ April 30th 9:00-12:00pm

First Communion ~ May 1st 9:00 Mass

Classroom News



The Reconciliation book came home yesterday.

Please complete the Faith at Home section on page 51 over the weekend. Please help your child to remember to return this book to school on Monday.

Science Expo is scheduled for Friday, February 19th from 5-7.

This year, students will have the opportunity to fill up a Science Passport. There are 8 stations to work through. These science activities will be spread out around the building. After you complete the task at each station, you will get a stamp in the passport. Don't forget to make an edible car at home to bring in and race down the ramp. Pizza will be served from 4:30 to 5:30.

A First Reconciliation meeting is scheduled for February 23rd at 6:30 in the Library. Please enter the building through the playground doors. This meeting is for parents and the child receiving the sacrament. Please leave siblings at home. This meeting will be an in-depth about the sacrament itself as well as a prayer service with the kids. We will also inform parents about the process of First Reconciliation on March 8th. Please let me know if you are unable to attend.

Birthdays

Mariam 2/5

Kyle 2/22

Sabrina 2/26



SLE: I share my faith with others

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December Hot Lunch

February 19th ~ bean and cheese tostadas

February 22nd ~ Pizza

February 26th ~ Mac and Cheese

February 29th ~ Subway



Mrs. Rae

Second grade worked on coding and programming the Sphero robots in teams.



What We Learned:

Religion: celebration of the word ~ forgiveness of sins ~ sharing reconciliation with others ~ what it means to be a reconciler

Reading Comprehension: be able to determine main idea independently

Math: patterns with numbers on the hundreds chart ~ skip counting by 5, 10, 100, 1000 ~ comparing numbers ~ ordering numbers ~ problem solving

Writing: zooming in on a small moment by adding details

Social Studies: Flat Stanley/mapping ~ grid mapping ~ identifying different uses for maps



What's Coming Next?

Religion: Reconciliation review~ prayer ~ process

Reading Comprehension: story elements ~ fairytales

Math: problem solving: looking for a pattern ~ reteach ~ assessment

Writing: zooming in on a small moment by adding details

Social Studies: Flat Stanley/mapping ~ grid mapping ~ identifying different uses for maps

Handwriting emphasis next week