

December 16, 2019

3B NEWSLETTER

Dear 3B Families,

I would like to take the time to wish you and your families a blessed Christmas. I thank all of you for your support and kind words this year. You have all made the first few months of school just wonderful! Your children are a blessing and I really enjoy teaching them each and every day! I hope your break is a fun and relaxing one. Safe travels to all of you, whether you are leaving town or braving the Christmas traffic here in Seattle. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!



Reminders

Prayer Partner Card:

Students need to turn in their Faith Family prayer partner cards by tomorrow, Tuesday.

Nativity Play:

We will present our Nativity play on **Wednesday**. Our performance will be at **10:50 am** in our classroom(3B). All parents, grandparents and siblings under 5 are invited. Sorry, siblings at Holy Rosary will not be able to attend due to limited space.

Field Trip:

Tomorrow we go on our field trip to Safeway. We will leave at 8:45 and return around 10:00 Please make sure that your child wears good walking shoes and has a warm jacket. We will be walking rain or shine. During this field trip, students will price items that a family might need to purchase for a Christmas meal. As a grade, we are purchasing items for the food drive planned by St. Vincent de Paul.

Christmas Program:

The annual Christmas Program is Thursday in the church beginning at 6:15 with the school band performance. Following the band, each class will perform. Please see that your child reports to the classroom no earlier than 5:45 p.m. – teacher supervision in the classrooms will not begin until 5:45. Students are to wear their "Sunday best" – no jeans, etc. – please consult the handbook for general guidelines. I am looking forward to this special event!

Reconciliation:

Students will go to reconciliation on **tomorrow (Tuesday)**. They need to be in their **uniform** on this day.

Friday - Red and Green Day:

Students are allowed to wear red, green, and festive Christmas attire on Friday. Friday will be a half day.

Curriculum

Math: We will work on problem solving with Christmas word problems this week.

Reading: Students will read Scholastic News articles this week. We will use our written response rubric to focus on checking our work for textual evidence and conventions.

Religion: We will prepare for reconciliation by doing an Examination of Conscience. Students will go to reconciliation on Thursday.

Language Arts: Students will work on Christmas logic puzzles this week.

Spelling: No spelling this week.

Have a great week!

Sincerely,

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