



Munhall Memo

Shaping Hearts and Minds in the Service of Christ.

November 2, 2018

Upcoming Events

- November 2-** Kids of the Cross Meeting
- November 8 –** Third Grade Leads Mass
- November 15-** Thanksgiving Feast
- November 19-20- NO BUSSING and NO HOT LUNCH**
- November 21-23-** No School
- November 26-** School Resumes
- November 26-** Scholastic Orders Due
- November 28-** Non-Uniform and Virtuous

Next Week

- Students will have a Chapter 3 Math Test Monday.
- Our Unit Ten Spelling Test will be Tuesday. Bingo Sheets are due Wednesday.
- Students will have a Simple Solutions Quiz over lessons 37-40 Thursday.

Virtue of the Month

Generosity

“Do nothing from selfishness or conceit, but in humility count others better than yourselves.”

Philippians 2:3

Reminders and Announcements

- Thank you to everyone who made our Halloween Party such a success, it was a great celebration!
- As the weather is getting colder, please remember to send your child to school with everything they need to go outside. Heavy coats, gloves, hats, scarves, boots, and snow pants will soon all be needed.

This Week's Focus

Phonics- This week students focused on words with the long *i* sound spelled *igh, i-e, and y*.

Reading- This week the class continued to take notes on character, character traits, and character motivation. Students described the character traits of Sophie and The BFG in a craft where they were able to make character trait people of these characters. Next week we will be focusing on idioms.

Writing- This week students worked on adding small details to their personal narratives and showing their location instead of simply telling their location. Next week we will be focusing on transitions and creating multiple paragraphs.

Spelling- The focus of Spelling Unit 10 is the long *i* sound. Both the challenge and regular list were used this week.

Math- This week students continued working in Chapter 3 which focusses on the operation of subtraction. Students subtracted three and four-digit numbers, used inverse operations to check their answers, and subtracted across zeros.

Religion- This week the class continued to work in Unit 2 of our new religion series. We finished discussing parables and started our next lesson which focusses on The Wedding Feast at Cana. This week students were able to 'meet' many different saints at our Living Saints presentation. Ask your child about their favorite saint.

Social Studies- The class continued to work in our first Social Studies unit this week which is all about Michigan. We discussed the term geography and looked at a map of Michigan. Ask your child to recall the capital of Michigan.

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