# St. Charles 6th-8th Grade News

Faith - Academics - Service

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## Language Arts

In language arts, we have have been working on our Michigan hero papers. This week, we also talked about dialogue and question leads for beginning our papers. The students are also reading and collecting vibrant vocabulary words. With them, we will be choosing four and teaching them to our classmates. We also had a reading conference with Mrs. Hamman.

#### **Mathematics**

In math, we are continuing with our unit on data and statistics. The 6th and 7th graders are learning about mean, median, and mode. They are also making box-and-whisker plots. The 8th graders are learning about measures of variation and making box-and-whisker plots too. The students also took their data and statistics vocabulary test.

#### Science

In science, the students read about primary and secondary succession. They also experimented with five different materials for their conductivity of heat. The materials will be used to make a container for the malaria medicine for the Yanomami people. The students graphed their results.

#### Social Studies

In social studies, we learned about maps and completed a review worksheet of chapter 1. We also watched CNN Student News on Tuesday about September 11, 2001.

### Religion

We are continuing with creating a culture of kindness in our classroom and throughout our school. We talked about the "Annunciation" and the dignity of the human person.

### Middle School Enrichment Club News

Homework Club: Wednesdays from after school until 3:00 P.M.

# Important Dates ~ more information to come

Holy Fire: Saturday, October 27, 9:00 - 2:30

7th Grade Confirmation: Classes begin in December with Mrs. Peacock

8th Grade Class Trip: Information Coming

Graduation with Reception and Awards following Mass: Information Coming

Have a great weekend and God's blessings, Mrs. Hamman