

Mrs. Gilbertson's Class

7th and 8th Grade Room 8

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(The website still says grade 5. We are working on fixing it.)

Hello Families-

We have had another productive week in 7th and 8th grade. Students are getting used to using interactive notebooks in both ELA and Physical Science. The students are doing a nice job of adapting to this new instructional format.

Everyone is looking forward to and getting excited about all the special events coming up as the holidays approach. The Scholastic Book Fair and Ice Cream Social were a huge hit. Thank you for all your hard work, Mrs. Jackson. Perhaps the highlight of the week was the Thanksgiving luncheon on Thursday. Wow! It was so delicious. Read on for the details.

God Bless!

-Mrs. Gilbertson

- **STUDENT VIEW- The Thanksgiving Luncheon:**

This week we had an amazing Thanksgiving lunch, thanks to some volunteers. They made us turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes, and more. We also had Culver's ice cream for dessert, and Mrs. Mullenburg made us delicious cookies. This is the 8th graders' last thanksgiving lunch, and even while we are still in the pandemic, people still made it special for us. A special thanks to everyone who helped out!

-Isa Castro



Upcoming Events

November 22

America Essays Due

November 23

Picture retakes

November 24

Thanksgiving Break 24th-26th

- **Note:**

Advent begins on November 28th!!!

“Go forth and set the world on fire.”

-St. Ignatius of Loyola

- **STUDENT VIEW- Interact Update:**

This week at interact, we began a new tradition at St. Charles, “Fist Bump Tuesday”. We passed out little positive notes with a piece of candy. We wanted to spread positive messages throughout the whole school. It is always good to know that people are thinking about you. Some of the notes said, “Stay positive”, “Be Happy”, and “God loves you”. These little notes put a smile on student’s faces. It feels good to do something for someone else.

-Annie Amidon

- **STUDENT VIEW- Christmas Production Begins:**

This week we started a play. It is based on Charles Dickens' Christmas Carol. We are teaming up with the fifth and sixth graders this year for the production. We will video tape the show in the third week of December.

-Owen Jackson Assistant, Student Assistant Director.

Sneak Peek:

- Coming up this week:
- -Religion – Continue Unit 2: Church History: Begin Lessons 4 and 5.
- -English Language Arts (ELA) 7/8– Grammar focus Lessons #58 (Possessive and Interrogative Pronouns) and #59 (Reflexive and Relative). The Fleet Reserve Association 2021-2022 Essays will be finished and submitted on Monday, November 22.
- -Science 8– Continue Chapter 1: Motion, Forces, and Energy.
- -Social Studies –Continue Chapter 5: A New Nation with lesson 3.
- **Earth Science 5/6 – Return Chapter 5: Volcano tests will be returned on Monday, November 22. ***