First Grade News

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With our crazy Michigan weather, please have your child dress accordingly for recess! Hoping we get a few more warm days If you have any questions or concerns, please email me at: scripps@saintscjm.com. Enjoy the weekend and God Bless You!

Week of 11-9-26

Monday: Art
Tuesday: Music and Gym
Wednesday: Library
Thursday: Gym
Friday: All School Mass, Spelling test, Music, and Library

Student of the Week

James Holt is our special student of the week. He has two sisters and one brother. James enjoys swimming, biking, soccer, and playing on the trampoline. When he is older he would like to be a builder, baker, and a police officer. His favorite foods are corn and watermelon and his favorite restaurant is McDonald's. James enjoys playing games, going on bike rides and vacations with his family. His favorite color is light blue and his favorite subject is science. Way to go, James! We are so proud of you!



What We're Learning

This week in ELA, we focused on words with -ing and -ed. We also reviewed syllables and finished writing an opinion paragraph about our favorite season. We also began writing a narrative focusing on a beginning, middle and end. In math, we continued our focus on addition and subtraction. We focused on adding three numbers, finding the missing addend, and making a ten to add numbers. We also practiced coins, counting by 5, and reading and writing numbers over 100. In Theology, we focused on Jesus' love for us and learned about St. Charles Borromeo. We discussed how saints love and serve God and how they put God first in their lives. In science, we discussed the life stages of a tree. We also learned how to identify the age of a tree and how trees are used. WE had a great week in first grade! Please continue to read daily!

Supporting Your Child at Home

Please continue to read daily with your child. Twenty minutes of reading every night will make a big difference. Also, practicing math facts daily is extremely helpful! Car rides, IXL.com, flashcards, and math games are just a few ways to practice.

God Bless You and enjoy the weekend!