

Dear Families,

We have so many things to be grateful for including the gift of Catholic Education. Thank you for making the choice to attend St. Rose. I am thankful for the opportunity to help your children grow in Faith and love.

This is a very exciting week as we come together to celebrate our school. Below, I have briefly listed the activities for each day. You can read a more detailed letter attached to last week's school news letter.

**Monday: 1/28:** Dress in red and white. Bring in food item for pantry. Pig races.

**Tuesday 1/29:** School wide activities to thank those who have served our school.

**Wednesday 1/30:** Student appreciation day. Dress down for students; Faculty vs. 8<sup>th</sup> grade volleyball at 1. No homework or tests given.

**Thursday 1/31:** Vocation Day. Guest speaker will come and discuss careers and vocations.

**Friday 2/1:** Teacher, Staff, Volunteer Appreciation Day. Prayer service @ 9 a.m.

We invite you to attend the school-wide activities and help in making this a week of true appreciation for all we do as a community.

**Saturday 2/2:** First Reconciliation in the Gathering Hall @ 9:30.

The students can dress in their church clothes for this event. We prefer no jeans but dresses are not required for the girls.

We read the story Mr. Tanen's Tie Trouble and learned about how to be kind as well as make sacrifices for others. The students interviewed their reading partner about their likes and things about themselves. They created ties based on the interview and made ties for themselves. You will find some of the pictures attached.

It looks as though we are on target for the 100<sup>th</sup> day of school. 2<sup>nd</sup> grade does activities throughout the day to celebrate this milestone. According to my

calendar, it will be on Monday, February 4<sup>th</sup>. As the day approaches, I will give you information necessary.

Enjoy your weekend!

God Bless,

Mrs. Heyder

**Religion:** We will prepare for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. We will have an open book unit review/assessment in school.

**Math:** We will continue 3-digit subtraction. Continue to study subtraction facts. Vocabulary- Difference, hundreds, tens, ones, regroup.

**Social Studies:** We will be completing our unit on natural resources and have a test on Tuesday. A study guide will be in the Friday folder. Vocabulary- Transportation, communication, technology, environment, conservation, natural resources, rural.

**Science:** We will continue to learn about proper nutrition and healthy eating habits along with making good choices. Vocabulary- Nutrition, carbohydrates, vegetables, fruit, sugar, dairy, protein.

**Reading/Language Arts/Grammar/Spelling:** See attached focus wall and words in Green folder.