



DECEMBER

St. Francis of Assisi
Catholic School

December 7, 2020
Mrs. Rayhel's Class

Fifth Grade Newsletter

Note from the Teacher

We continue to collect pennies for our sister parish in Peru. Thank you for your generosity.

Canned and boxed food items are being collected for our brothers and sisters served by Francis House.

Please sign and return your student's report card.



Upcoming Events

All School Virtual Mass – Feast of the Immaculate Conception, Tuesday, December 8th

All School Virtual Rosary – Friday, December 11th



Upcoming Test Dates*

English – Adjective Test (Sections 3.1-3.6) – 12/7.

Science – Quiz – Changes in Ecosystems, 12/7.

Math – Chapter 5 Test, fractions, 12/10.

Spelling – Test 12/11.

Reading – Quiz, *The Golden Mare, the Firebird, and the Magic Ring*, 12/11.

<http://mrsrayhelhomework.blogspot.com/>

***Please note that these dates are tentative and subject to change based on a daily assessment of the students' progress. As test and quiz dates are announced in class, it is the students' responsibility to write these dates in their agendas.**

Academics

Religion

In Religion, students continue to gain an understanding of the significance of the Advent Season, the Jesse Tree and the sacrament of Confirmation.

Math

Students will review the addition of fractions and mixed numbers with and without regrouping and will write in lowest terms. They will begin multiplication of fractions.

Reading/Language Arts

In reading, we will read *The Golden Mare, the Firebird and the Magic Ring*. We will summarize as a comprehension strategy. Students will continue to explore adjectives and apply adjectives to their writing.

Science

Students will investigate and understand biomes and the difference between a biome and an ecosystem.