### **GRADE 6**

### weekly newsletter

# Announcements and News from Miss Trenkamp

Next week, the students will begin their next genre study in reading. They will work in groups to look at athletes, artists, Saints, etc.. and learn about their lives through biographies. In math, the students will continue building on their knowledge of algebra by applying various properties. In science, the students will begin looking at the mid-ocean ridges and their connection to plate tectonics. In social studies, the students will learn more about Ancient Mesopotamia's culture. In religion, the students will learn the story of the last Patriarch, Joseph. In writing, the students will begin a persuasive essay.

The students did an <u>AMAZING</u> job with their International Day presentations! They should all be very proud of themselves and all of the hard work they put into this whole project. They have grown in so many wonderful ways from the Saint reports in the fall!

Now that the students are on to third quarter, we are refocusing on strengthening the expectations that have not been as strong in our classroom community. I will be working with the students to be intentional in strengthening the expectations so that they are in a position of success!

Throughout the year, I love to support the students outside of the classroom as well. If the students happen to have a home event for an extra curricular, I would love to attend. Please email me possible dates and locations as they come up!

Blessings,

Jordan Trenkamp

#### What did we do last week?

This week, the students concluded their International Day reports with their presentations. In science, the students completed their presentations on the tectonic plates. In reading, the students concluded <u>Bud Not Buddy</u>, and created posters for various chapters of the book. In religion, the students read Jacob's story. In math, the students practiced their skills with variables through different activities. The students celebrated Catholic Schools week with ice cream, bowling, bingo, and a movie!

**The Week Ahead** S2 Tuesday



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# Big Assignments Simple Solutions Quiz Thursday

Vocab Quiz Friday

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