

# Mrs. Mercurio's Weekly Info

Dec.13-17, 2021



## St. Joseph Mission Statement

St. Joseph Catholic School is a Catholic community that helps all persons grow to the fullness of their potential in faith and knowledge.

## This Week: Christmas Spirit Week

### Monday

- Comfy Cozy Day: Wear pajamas to school (tennis shoes can be worn; slippers can be brought to wear only in classroom)
  - If girls are wearing nightgowns, they must have sleeves, and leggings or pants must be worn.
  - We have P.E. today, so make sure your child has tennis shoes.

### Tuesday

- Wear a Christmas hat with Tuesday shirt and uniform bottoms.
- Father Mark's birthday

### Wednesday

- Wear a Christmas shirt or sweater with uniform bottoms (we have P.E. today, so gym pants).

### Thursday

- \$1.00 jeans or non-uniform day and Christmas socks.

### Friday

- 8:30am Mass; Remington and Jordan will hold the banner
- Christmas Program after Mass in church (approximately 9:30). Everyone is welcome to join us in church, or the Mass and program will be live-streamed. You can find it here: [www.facebook.com/saintjosepheriemichigan](http://www.facebook.com/saintjosepheriemichigan) or I believe it is also on the parish webpage: [stjosepherie.com](http://stjosepherie.com) (scroll down to find the live-streamed events).
- Dress up day
  - Since we have P.E. today, you can send a change of clothes, or just send tennis shoes.

## What We Are Learning This Week:

**Language Arts:** Practicing sounds of letters learned; new sounds: A (short and long), H

**Math:** Continuing Ch.9 "Break Apart Numbers 10 or Less"; Chapter Test this week.

**Religion:** Ch. 14 "Christmas"; say one decade of the Rosary each day; Adoration; Atrium

**Science:** working on Christmas projects

**Social Studies:** working on Christmas projects



## **Other Info:**

### **Homework**

- This is our last week of homework until we come back from Christmas break. We will not have homework over Christmas break, but I encourage you to still practice a few times, especially if your child is struggling with some of the sight words. You can always have your child practice using other books too. By showing your child that practicing reading, math, etc. is important even in kindergarten, you are setting up good homework skills for future classes. Thank you for being amazing and for your help and reinforcement at home!
- Remember that we correct all mistakes on papers we do at school, so all papers come home correct. Practice is still important for math and reading skills.

### **Kindergarten Christmas Celebrations**

- We are continuing to do kind deeds and report them to the office to help make the Grinch's heart grow!
- Tuesday, Dec. 21 will be Gingerbread Day. We will read the Gingerbread Boy story and have activity stations in our classroom.
- We will celebrate Christmas in our classroom on Wednesday, Jan. 6. This is the feast of the Epiphany, the day the three kings visited Jesus and brought him gifts. We will have activity stations and snacks in our classroom. You are welcome to have your child bring a small trinket for classmates if you wish. I will send this information again in the parent letter for the week we come back.

