

THIRD GRADE

# DECEMBER

2017



We are *very busy* with the Advent Program and the Christmas season!



RELIGION MATH SCIENCE SOCIAL STUDIES

**In religion** we will be learning more about Advent, the Christmas season, feast days and Epiphany. The students are required to memorize and recite a new prayer each month. December's prayer is The Morning Offering.

**In math** we will begin studying multiplication, graphing, and continue to practice our problem-solving skills. *Extra practice with flash cards, multiplication sing-a-longs and apps are encouraged over the holiday break.*

**In science** we will continue our physical science unit about light, energy and motion.

**In social studies** we will continue our study of immigrants, customs and celebrations in our local community and the world. The focus of social studies in **January** *will be students writing about and sharing their own heritage. The students must complete their interviews this month* in order to begin writing their reports in class January 3rd! (**Multicultural Heritage Day** for presentation of their displays is scheduled for **Wed., January 25th** from 8:00am-9:00am and from 1:30pm-2:30pm for parents to attend.)

## THIRD GRADE CALENDAR NOTES & REMINDERS:



Friday, December 1  
Wednesday, December 6  
Thursday, December 7  
Friday, December 8  
Wednesday, December 13  
Friday, December 15

Class Mass & Adoration at 8 am  
Reconciliation for Grades 3-8  
Polar Express Day (Pajama Day!)  
Feast of the Immaculate Conception Mass at 11 am  
Advent Program in the church at 6 pm  
Sing-a-long in the hall (Pajama Day!)  
**The students will not be attending the 8 am Mass as a class on this day.**

Best wishes to all my students for a relaxing, faith-filled, family Christmas!

Blessings,  
Mrs. Connell

*May you have  
the gift of Faith,  
the blessing of Hope,  
and the peace of His Love  
at Christmas and always*