



Trinity Catholic
Massena, NY

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Mrs. Doe's Classroom Newsletter

Come, Lord Jesus! Be with us.

This week the children have been learning that Advent is the time to get ready to celebrate Jesus' birth at Christmas! In preparation, we will be thinking of ways that we can share Jesus' light with others. The children began making Advent cards this week and these cards will be delivered to one of our local nursing homes.

Next week, we are going to be drawing the name of one of our classmates. All week, the children will say an extra prayer for that special friend. And on Friday, the prayers will identify themselves!



Christmas Concert

This year our Christmas concert will be on Friday, December 10th at 10:00 in the morning. The children have been practicing all week (notice how Math homework stopped) and will continue next week as well.

Mrs. Giroulx and I want to thank you all so much for helping your child with his/her line(s). It is very important that they know their lines by heart and many of them have already reached that goal!

** please see other side for costume ideas

Mass

On Thursday (Dec. 9), First and Third graders will be honoring Mary at Mass.

This morning, I asked the children who thought that they may want a part during this special Mass and so many of them raised their hand that I didn't have enough speaking parts to go around! I am going to draw names from a hat and those who were not chosen this time, will have first pick for our Monday morning Prayer Service.

I will be sending home speaking parts on Monday.

Prayers

Please remember the following people in your prayers ...

***Rosie

***Mrs. Deragon

***Mrs. McMahon

***Trinity's Robotics team as they compete on Saturday @ Clarkson University

***Paul Poulin (our class' seminarian)

Costume Ideas...

Dolls

The girls may wear their fancy dresses.

Teddy Bears

Brown pants and sweater/shirt. Gray/black might work too. I have the ear patterns made, please let me know if you choose something other than brown.

Soldiers

White shirt and dark pants. I have made them small drums

Mary & Joseph

Costumes are here at school.

Wise Men & Shepherds

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