



Weekly Update – Week 9

October 20

I'm looking forward to chatting with you all in a couple of weeks at parent teacher conferences. If you have concerns or questions, please feel free to send them to me in advance so I can better prepare for our conversations.

I'm excited that so many of you will be attending our Country Mill trip and our Halloween party, too. You have shown that this relationship at St. Mary School truly is a partnership with families, and for that I am so thankful.

Thank you to the Charlotte Fire Department for sharing a presentation with us about fire safety and to Matt Stoken for sharing some resources about fire safety with our classroom.

Look at what we're learning!

Math

This week we wrapped up our chapter on addition strategies. We'll move next week into Chapter 2: subtraction concepts. While we shift our focus to subtraction, continue to practice addition at home.

Religion

This week we talked about how God gave us His Son so we could go to heaven. We learned that this was an act of great love. We also listened to the song "I Can Only Imagine" and talked about how we each imagine heaven.

Phonics

This week we focused on consonant digraphs, when two vowels come together to make one sound. We talked about the sh and th sounds.

We've really been focused on showing the virtue of kindness and calling out the moments we see it in action. I encourage you to name these at home when you see them, too!

Looking Ahead

October 23 – No Bus or Hot Lunch

October 26 – Virtuous Student Celebration at Mass

October 27 – Non-Uniform Day
K/I Field Trip to the Country Mill
Halloween Party (afternoon)
End of Term I

November 1 – No p.m. bus

November 1-2 – Parent Teacher Conferences

November 17 – Non-Uniform Day
Happy Birthday, Amelia!

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October

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
23	24	25	26	27 Country Mill & Halloween Party
30	31	1 Parent Teacher Conferences	2 Parent Teacher Conferences	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17 Non-Uniform Happy Birthday, Amelia! 

Dressing for the Weather

Coats or jackets are expected when the temperature is below 60 degrees. *Boots or an extra pair of shoes* are helpful on wet days. If the grass/playground is especially wet or muddy and students don't have an extra pair of shoes, they may be asked to stay on the pavement. Help us keep recess fun and comfortable by ensuring your student has appropriate outside attire.

Country Mill Field Trip

We'll be leaving for the Country Mill first thing in the morning on Friday, October 27th. Only students and school staff are riding the bus. If you're chaperoning, please plan on meeting us at the mill around 9:00.

Halloween Party

Our Halloween Party will be on Friday, October 27th from 1:15-3:00. Thank you for those that have signed up to attend or contribute to the party!

Students may bring their costumes to school to change into for the afternoon. Please remember that costumes must not be scary or evil in nature. Some have asked if masks are okay – they are! Please just leave makeup at home.

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