

## Religion Grades 5 + 6 ~ Mrs. Zyla

Grade 5 reviewed the Sacraments, Symbols, and Signs in the Catholic Church and Faith. We reviewed parts of the mass, the prayers, and remembering Jesus feeds us in the Eucharist. We were using our Bibles to understand how God speaks through the readings at mass and studying the Gospels that tell us of Jesus' Life, Death, and Resurrection. We studied ways how our love for Jesus could help people in need in the Corporal Works of Mercy and the Spiritual Works of Mercy. Researching a new Saint and the meaning of Ascension Thursday was a culmination of our Quarter 4.

Grade 6 reviewed The First Story of Creation and remembering it is through the Special Gifts of intellect and free will that we are like God. We discussed that God calls us to be stewards of the Earth. In class we studied the importance of Baptism, that Grace is restored and we then become the children of God. Revisiting the stories in Genesis of the Hebrews, Noah, the Tower of Babel, and the Covenant with Abraham, and Sarah, the Israelites with Moses to the Promised Land, made for a great read!

### **My Summer Prayer To You**

Walk beside me, Jesus  
as I begin the season  
of Summer  
As I work, play,  
enjoy family time  
and friendships,  
may I hear your voice  
within me  
guiding me toward all that  
is right and good.  
Give me Faith in  
Your Presence  
knowing that you walk  
beside me always, everywhere  
and in everything I do.  
Gracious and loving Jesus  
thank you for the gift  
of Summertime.  
May the warmth of its sun  
and the beauty of the season  
remind me daily  
of your love for me  
allow me to  
enjoy every moment.  
Amen

Remember to pray 🙏