

# 6th Grade Weekly News

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## *From the Desk of Mrs. Naas:*

I hope you and your family had a wonderful and restful break plus some fun snow days in mix! We are all excited to be back to school and to be with friends again—and I tell ya, it looks like everyone grew a few inches since I saw them last. This week in class, we were able to choose one word to focus on this year. They also searched and selected a Bible verse that was related to their word to help carry them through 2025. Ask them about their word :-)

Quarter 2 Report Cards were sent home on Wednesday. Please sign and return Monday, if you haven't already. We had a wonderful first half of the year. Thank you for raising up such respectful, kind, and genuine kiddos. They truly are a blessing and I love being their teacher. I'm soaking it all in because I know how fast this second semester goes. I look forward to a strong start to Quarter 3. Please continue to check FACTS to see current grades, missing assignments, extra credit opportunities, etc. Reach out anytime with questions or concerns.

Catholic Schools Week will be January 27-January 31.

**SMS Sham-Rock**—The time has come and the date has been scheduled! Please join us on March 15th for our annual St. Mary's Dinner + Auction. Tickets are now available to purchase from St. Mary's students, at the school office or by contacting Abraham Naas (618.559.0673) Tickets are \$35/ticket or \$280 for a table of 8. Formerly known as City Lights, this years Dinner + Auction is going to be a SHAM-ROCKIN' good time!

**Religion:** "Gift of The Magi" Due: Tuesday. Prayer Memory Quiz: Tuesday

**Science:** Poster on layers of the atmosphere and Water in the atmosphere

**Math:** Continue work with decimals and applying negative numbers to decimals and fractions.

**Social Studies:** Topic 3, Ancient Egypt

**ELA:** Summarizing/Paraphrasing, Intro. to Watsons



## Mark your calendar

Jan 20-No School-MLK Day

Jan 27-31-Catholic Schools Week

Feb 5-3rd Quarter Midterm

Feb 14-School Improvement Day, Dismiss @noon

Feb 17-No School-Presidents Day

Feb 22-Mardi Gras 5K & Fun Run

March 15-SMS Sham-Rock