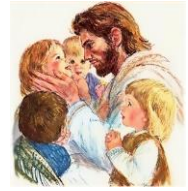


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Be it known to all who enter here, that Christ is the reason for this school. He is the unseen, but ever present, teacher in its classrooms. He is the model for its faculty and the inspiration of its students.



All Saints Day at SJS ~ We started the day with our first grade "saints" processing in at Mass in the morning, and Fr. Jim McHugh reminding us that we are called to be saints. Adoration time in the chapel with Jesus during the day was the perfect way to ask for the grace to live saintly lives. We finished our day with All Saints classroom celebrations in the afternoon.

The **Accelerated Math Program** is used to supplement our math curriculum and instruction at SJS. This program allows us to assign math objectives according to individual needs. We have students who are reviewing previous grade skills as they learn grade level concepts and skills. We have others who are moving beyond grade level as they master grade level skills. This is the fourth year that we have used incentives to encourage student use of this program, and both the level of engagement and the positive impact on math scores have continued! Our NWEA math scores continue to climb!

As you can see from the bulletin board displayed at the right, we already have dozens of students who have mastered 25 or more Accelerated Math objectives this year.

Congratulations to all of our children who are doing such a fabulous job with their math effort and with Accelerated Math. Our students are certainly motivated to do their best and to continue to increase their math skills by working on the objectives assigned by their teachers.



2019 Art a Loan Finalist!!!

Congratulations to SJS sixth grader, **Alaysia Williams**, whose creative artwork was selected as a finalist for the **Art a Loan Program** through the Ella Sharp Museum. This beautiful artwork will be displayed at CP Federal Credit Union for the next year.

Grateful to Mrs. Cyndi Brinker for submitting art pieces from our students.

