



December 10, 2018

Dear Parents,

This week we will continue "traveling" to France, Israel and Africa learning about Christmas traditions and holiday customs such as Yule Logs, Chanukah and Kwanzaa. We will also be getting ready for **our** Christmas tradition here at Holy Cross to perform in the Christmas program on Friday- hope to see all of you then!

Have a blessed week,

Ms. Steed ☺

**Reminders for this week:**

**Tuesday:** Mass/ full church uniform: if your child has borrowed a tie- please return or purchase it- thank you!

**Friday: Christmas Program at 9:00**

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**What we will be working on December 10-14 2018:**

**ELA:** Continue: Saxon Phonics letter Bb and Uu: distinguish between sounds that are the same and those that are different/ identify the consonant sound and short vowel sound (practice at home: **L, O, G, H, T, P, A, N, M, I, twin consonants ll, ss, S, F, R, K, B, U,** (sound and recognition)

Reading: Read alouds : books about Holiday Customs in other countries

**Sight words:** \**practice at home:* **I, like, the, and, we, end, a, to, see, got, hot, an, not, on, am, him, in, it, you, what, come, me, from, away**

Grammar: Work with sentence parts: Subjects and verbs/punctuation

Math: Review/performance assessment/introduction to Position and Location

Science: Continue: Characteristics of animals and birds

Religion: continue: Learning about the Season of Advent

Social Studies: Connect to Language arts: use maps to learn where countries are located/ learn about flags and what they mean



Mass on Tuesday: Full uniform