



St. John the Apostle Catholic School News & Notes

Important Upcoming Dates

December 20, 2011

Dec. 21 – Jan. 3 Christmas Holidays, No School

Jan. 4 Classes resume

Spirit Day

Jan. 5 Report Cards emailed

Jan. 13 7th Grade Science Fair

Jan. 16 Martin Luther King Day, NO SCHOOL

Jan. 18 SCRIP OOU Day

Jan. 20 SJS Spelling Bee following Mass in the gym

Jan. 25 School Advisory Meeting, 7:00p.m.

As a school community we have used The Twelve Days of Christmas for morning prayers.

The Twelve Days of Christmas

On the twelfth day of Christmas,
my true love gave to me

Twelve Drummers Drumming

Eleven Pipers Piping

Ten Lords A-leaping

Nine Ladies Dancing

Eight Maids A-milking

Seven Swans A-swimming

Six Geese A-laying

Five Golden Rings

Four Calling Birds

Three French Hens

Two Turtles Doves,

and

A Partridge in a Pear Tree

The Twelve Days of Christmas represents

12 Points of the Doctrine in the Apostle's Creed

11 Faithful Apostles

10 Commandments

9 Fruits of the Holy Spirit

8 Beatitudes

7 Gifts of the Holy Spirit

6 Days of the Creation

5 First Five Books of the Old Testament

4 Four Gospels

3 Theological Virtues

2 Old and New Testaments

and

1 Jesus the Christ, the Son of God



May the blessings of this holy season fill your hearts and homes~
The Faculty and Staff of St. John the Apostle Catholic School