# Highlights of our School

# **Fourth Grade**

### **BCS Fourth Graders study:**

- Middle Ages, Renaissance, and Reformation
- Land Animals and Habitats
- Biblical Timeline of Chronicles through Malachi, Catechism, and Virtues
- Language Arts subjects of Spelling, English Grammar, Writing, and Cursive Penmanship
- Literature books including: The Twenty-One Balloons, Adam of the Road, Door in the Wall, The Best Christmas Pageant Ever, Prince Caspian, Crispin: The Cross of Lead, 100 Cupboards, Augustine, and The Farmer's Boy of Tagaste
- General mathematical skills and facts
- Latin vocabulary, grammar, and translation passages

#### **BCS Fourth Graders participate in:**

- Weekly Chapel Service
- Latin Classes 4x per week learning of verb tenses, adjectives, 1st and 2nd noun declensions, adjectives and prepositions
- PE Class 2x per week learning more about basketball, fitness circuits, soccer, football, volleyball, running, and softball
- Music class 1x per week learning music history, vocal technique, and music theory
- Art class 1x per week creating art in various mediums, learning techniques, elements and design principles used by the great masters
- Medieval Faire Day with costumes, student presentations, time period games, and a themed feast
- Spelling Bee
- Owl pellet dissection



# Field Trips

- Monastery Field Trip
- Musical Theatre Production
- Mobile Environmental Studies Center
- Monk Day Service Project

# **Memory Work**

- Scripture passages from Ephesians, Lamentations, Isaiah, and James
- New City Catechism questions and answers
- Latin vocabulary, declensions, conjugations, etc.
- 30 History Songs summarizing dates, locations, and facts
- Math Facts
- Shurley Grammar Jingles
- Poetry selections