

ESL Class: Week of Dec 1

- **Big Ideas:**
 - Pronunciation and articulation
 - Practice reading English out loud, even without fully understanding the words!
- **Opening Prayer: Hail Mary**

“Our lady of Grace, pray for us! Saint Joseph, pray for us!”
- **Warmup:**
 - using whiteboard, try to write the words your instructor says
- **Thanksgiving Day conversation**
 - *How was your Thanksgiving Day?*
 - see handouts:
 - Thanksgiving vocabulary
 - Thanksgiving Day conversational practice
- **Additional dialog practice**
 - using the Thanksgiving Vocabular, Money and Numbers handouts, simulate a dialog at the grocery store purchasing Thanksgiving Day food and supplies.
 - Ex.
 - *“Please tell me where I can find a squash?”*
 - *“You will find the squash in aisle one with the fresh produce”*
 - *“Thank you. And do you have any fresh turkeys?”*
 - *“I’m afraid that all our turkeys are frozen. How large a turkey do you want?”*
 - *etc.*

OTHER:

- Contractions & Abbreviations
 - contractions: *I am* >> *I’m*, *They are* >> *They’re*
- Abbreviations: *aka*, *n/a*, *LOL*, etc.
- “Step Forward” practice packet (Intro)
- **Closing Prayer: “Glory Be” and “Oh my Jesus”**