

Meet Bartholomew!!



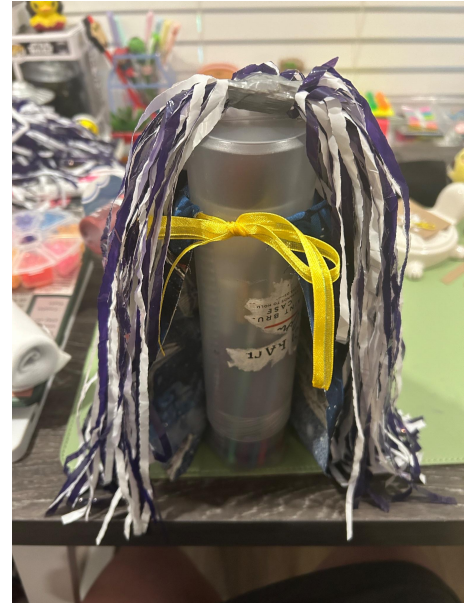
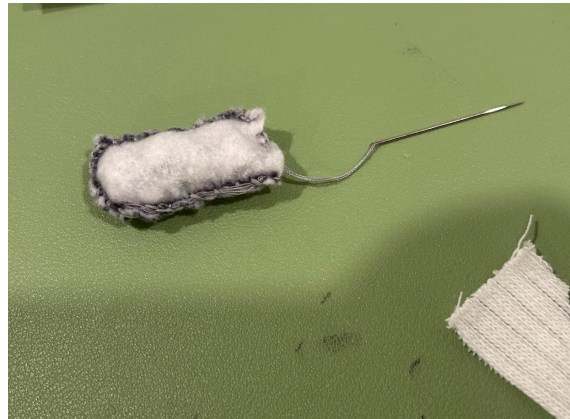
Supplies!





This is making the head and the cape

Cutting the sock, making arms, and the hair!

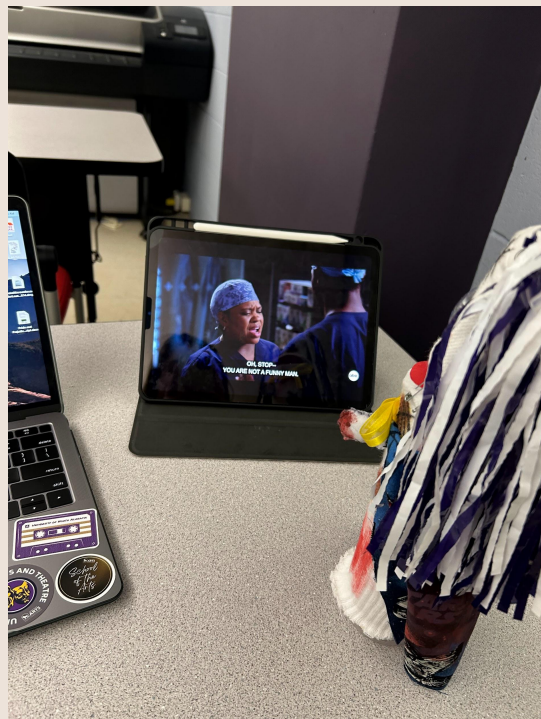




Combining everything and the Final!

Some Comedy:

On our way to school!



Us watching Grey's
before class <3

Meet Bartholomew! Puppet Club

We were tasked to focus on at least three design elements and to make a puppet that we deemed worthy to be a part of the puppet club in Hand to God.

The design elements I focused on were shape, texture, and color. I knew I wanted a structured head rather than the arch of the hand that traditionally sock puppets have so that it could be more defined as its own "individual" character like Tyrone. Another point I wanted to keep in mind and help showcase is the fact that this is a church ministry so all the supplies that the teens are picking from are probably random supplies and not so much "professionally" thought out. I focused on shape with the head, mouth, and arms. The sock that makes up the base of the puppet is cut and frayed at the edges to enhance the unhinged personality behind the puppet and to make it easier to put on someone's hand. I used a cut up paper towel roll to shape the head in order to help structure the rest of the body which helped in positioning the arms. The arms are sewn up pieces of the other half of the sock that is then stuffed and sewn onto the body. For texture, the hair is made up of a pom-pom, I added googly eyes to make them stand out more, and then the mouth is made of paper to better enhance the curved shape from the paper towel roll. I then added a cape made out of fabric and ribbon. Finally, I painted different scars and bruises to help add to the overall look and add to the puppet's story.

Here are links to the resources that I used to make the cape and the head:

For the head:

https://youtu.be/Ym13GbygiSM?si=XFhTz_5twXy2bLLr

For the cape:

<https://andreasnotebook.com/handmade-dress-up-series-diy-no-sew-cape-tutorial/>