



2021-2022 SCHOOL THEME: WALKING IN THE WAY OF LOVE
Let all your things be done with charity. - I Corinthians 16:14

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

As Principal, I spend two Friday evenings each year at school behind the secretary desk, greeting parents as they come through the door for conferences with the teachers, and doing my best to keep everyone on schedule by ringing the bell. It could, I suppose, be viewed as drudgery. Far from it! It is rather, one of the greatest incentives and rewards of my job. I am grateful to play a part; to watch parents carry out the vows they have taken before God and to watch teachers open themselves in loving service. May we continue to value the sanctity of Parent/Teacher Conferences!

A big thank you to our ECS Library Committee for organizing a special Reformation era book reading project and the "Germanfest Feast" for our 5th-8th graders! Although the Feast had to be delayed a little, it was still enjoyable for all.

PSALTER OF THE WEEK

We are learning Psalter # 418 verses 1&3.

THANKSGIVING BREAK

There is no school Thursday and Friday this week because of Thanksgiving! **Wednesday will be a full day of school.**

FIRST PRC CATECHISM MONITOR DUTY

There is no catechism this week because of Thanksgiving. Catechism monitors next week are Baldwin and Dykstra.

HOT LUNCH

Pizza hot lunch is **canceled for this month.** Your order and payment from this week will be applied to December.

BANKET WORK DAY

Thank you to everyone who helped last Thursday! **Our last work day is Wednesday, December 8.** If you are able to help you can email Kristen Schimmel (vanallen.kj@gmail.com).

TRIP ORDERING

Envelope Exchange orders are due by Tuesday afternoon to the office or email whiteleybeth@gmail.com by 5:00 p.m. Tuesday.

Cash and Carry will not be held this week, due to Thanksgiving break.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Wednesday, November 24-----Thanksgiving Chapel
8:25 AM with Seminarian Matt Koerner
- November 25 and 26-----Thanksgiving Break
- Wednesday, December 8 -----Banket Making Day
- Tuesday, December 14-----Choir/Orchestra Concert
- Wednesday, December 22-----Christmas Chapel
12:30 PM with Rev. Slopsema
- December 23 - January 2 -----Christmas Break

NEWS FROM OTHER SCHOOLS AND CHURCHES

HOPE HERALDS CD

The new Hope Heralds 2021 CD entitled "Declare Your Praise" is available for purchase at CCHS, at Heritage Chr. School, at the PR Seminary, or at the Reformed Book Outlet. The cost is \$10. To God be the glory!

HERITAGE EVENING OF PRAISE

Tickets (\$15) for Heritage Christian School Foundation's "Evening of Praise" concert are now available in the Heritage Christian School office. General admission tickets must be purchased in advance, and include a dessert reception following the concert. The concert will be held at Grandville High School's auditorium on Saturday, November 27 at 7:00 P.M. Participants include Sam Bergman (piano), HCS's 3rd grade students, the Hope Heralds, the PRSO, and the Voices of Victory. Come and join us as God is praised through the gift of music. Sponsor packages can also be purchased by contacting the Heritage Christian School office (receptionist@hchr.org or 669-1773).

CCHS BAND/CHOIR CONCERT

The CCHS BAND/CHOIR CONCERT will be held on Saturday, December 11 at 4 PM at the Jenison Fine Arts Center. We look forward to seeing you there for an evening of enjoyable music!