



The Royals Hope Weekly

April 8, 2019

Chapel (K-6)

Today we had our second lesson of our Sunday School Charlie series entitled, "God's Little Leaguer." You may ask your students each week about the storyline. From our lesson today, we focused on how Satan comes to tempt or trick us to do what he says is right. We looked at Matthew 4 in which Jesus was faced with temptation just as we are, yet He did not succumb to the devil's tricks. We also looked at James 1:13-15 and talked about how temptation happens. We talked about the importance of listening, knowing, and heeding God's Word to avoid being tricked. Pastor Tim encouraged the students to hide God's Word in their hearts so that they wouldn't sin against God as is found in Psalm 119:9 & 11.

JH/HS Chapel (7-12)

In junior high and high school chapel, the eighth grade students performed a play they wrote. The play was about what Jesus' life would have been like in a present-day setting. The students challenged their peers to think about which type of person they are: the one who accepts Jesus and turns from his sins or the type of person who rejects Jesus because he wants to continue living in his sin. The eighth graders based their performance on 1 John 1:9-10, which says, "If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness. If we claim we have not sinned, we make Him out to be a liar and His word is not in us."

Hot Lunch Menu for Wednesday

- Chili Mac
- Lettuce
- Bread & butter
- Oranges
- Cereal Bars

Hot Lunch Menu for Thursday

- Cheesy Rice
- Sausage
- Green Beans
- Bread & butter
- Grapes
- Dessert

Upcoming Events

- 17 Early Release, 1:30 p.m.
- 18 Storm Day, NO SCHOOL
- 19 Good Friday, NO SCHOOL

- 22 Easter Monday, NO SCHOOL
- 23-26 Spiritual Emphasis Week
- 24 Pastor Appreciation Day
- 25 Grandparents' Day
- 26 HCA Spring Banquet & Auction
- 26 4th Quarter Mid-Term
- 28 QDOBA Fundraiser 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

No Grace Notes on Mondays

Another reminder that Grace Notes no longer meets on Monday after school. They are now meeting at 2:30 p.m. on Friday afternoons until further notice.

Tuition Assistance

We do have various opportunities for families who require financial assistance:

- There are opportunities to serve within the school to pay down your tuition. See Mr. Bradley if you are interested.
- If you are unable to do the first option, then you may apply for financial aid. Those applications need to be submitted online by April 15.
- If you still have financial needs after the first two options, you may appeal to the board for special consideration.

Every family desiring financial aid for the next school year must complete the application online between March 10 and April 15. To fill out this application, go to hcadickinson.org. Hover over the "Resources" tab and click on "Tuition Assistance" in the drop down menu. Tax documents are required to complete the financial aid.

Spring Banquet Classroom Baskets – DUE FRIDAY

Once again, the students are putting together baskets to be auctioned off at the Spring Banquet. Basket items are **due THIS Friday, April 12**. Please remember to bring something in for your student's class. ALL items are appreciated, large or small. These are the themes for this year:

Preschool: Read to Me Basket

Books, book lights, bean bag, blanket, gift cards, and more for young readers.

Kindergarten: Water Park Fun

Waterproof bags or baskets, beach towels, water toys, life jackets, floaties, sunscreen, cooler with snacks, gift certificates for water parks and more will add to the summer fun!

Grade 1: Super Heroes

The options are endless when it comes to superheroes. Donate your favorites!

Grade 2: *You Gotta Have Art*

Paints, brushes, paper, easel, craft kits, apron, scissors, glue, stickers, crayons, storage for supplies, and certificates to craft stores are just a beginning for any budding artist.

Grade 3: *Junior Chef*

Kid sized kitchen gadgets, serving spoons, measuring cups, pot holders, aprons, cookie cutters, cookie sheets, cookbooks, food supplies, gift certificates, and more for that young cook or baker...

Grade 4: *Camping & Grilling Adventures*

Everything you need for a fun time outdoors. Lawn games, portable grill, cookware, tent, sleeping bags, cot, lantern, cooler, first aid kit, firewood, food supplies...

Grade 5: *Family Fun*

Games, puzzles, pizza, movies, candy, popcorn, blankets, gift certificates for movies, bowling, or other adventures...

Grade 6: *Sport Sibling Survival Kit*

Pack this survival kit with items to entertain or make siblings comfortable while their brother or sister is on the playing field or in the gym. Snacks, travel games, blankets, books, colors, and more could be included.

Grade 7: *Faithful Friend Dog Basket*

A basket of treats and toys for that special pooch in someone's life. May also include collars, leashes, gift certificates to pet store, dog food, etc.

Grade 8: *Brunch Basket*

This yummy basket could include pancake mixes, syrups, jams, jellies, tea towels, griddle, small loaf of pound cake, fruit, bread, farm fresh eggs, coffee, muffins, serving tray and more.

Grade 9: *"As Seen on TV"*

This collection of interesting items should include those amazing "As Seen on TV" products.

Grade 10 & 11: *"Time for Beans"*

Whether coffee beans or cocoa beans, most people take time to satisfy those cravings. This is obviously a basket for coffee and chocolate and may include gourmet chocolates, everyday chocolates, coffee, biscotti, coffee shop certificates, French press, and of course chocolate covered espresso beans and more!

You may ask your student, Mrs. Dazell, or the classroom teacher for additional information.

More Basket Ideas

The Spring Banquet committee wants each of our families to know that in addition to the classroom baskets, families are welcome to donate other types of baskets and/or items. Here are some great themes or ideas to consider:

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| <i>Paw Patrol</i> | <i>LEGOS</i> | <i>Technology</i> |
| <i>Puzzles</i> | <i>Handyman</i> | <i>Ice Cream Sundae</i> |
| <i>Golfing</i> | <i>Gardening</i> | <i>Teacher Supplies</i> |
| <i>Baking</i> | <i>Nerf</i> | <i>Air Soft</i> |
| <i>Sports</i> | <i>BBQ</i> | <i>Spa/Pamper</i> |

Please let the school office or Mrs. Dazell know if you plan to donate any additional items by **Friday, April 12.**

Spring Banquet 2019 Tickets

This year's Spring Banquet and Auction will be held at Hope Christian Academy on **Friday, April 26** beginning at 6:00 p.m. This is a family friendly event where everyone is welcome! The events of the evening

include a catered buffet meal, opportunities to participate in a silent auction, a ticket table, a dessert auction, and a live auction. All proceeds from the banquet will go toward the general fund at HCA. **Please note that tickets for the banquet are now available for purchase at the school office.** We suggest you purchase them as early as possible – seating is limited. If you need a gluten free meal, please indicate as such when you purchase your tickets.

The cost for each ticket will be as follows, IF purchased by Tuesday, April 16*:

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| Age 17 thru Adults: | \$25.00 |
| Ages 12 thru 16: | \$20.00 |
| Ages 7 thru 11 | \$15.00 |
| Ages 3 thru 6 | \$ 5.00 |
| Age 2 & under: | Free |

* Each ticket price in the top four categories will increase by \$5.00 per ticket after Tuesday, April 16.

As many of you who have been to the Spring Banquet know, we fill up the place, and we are only able to accommodate 320 guests! If you have family or friends with whom you would like to sit, you may reserve a VIP table with cushioned chairs for eight people for \$200. All eight tickets must be purchased at one time and tables will be reserved on a first come, first serve basis. Please contact the school office if you have any questions.

Please Support The Upcoming HCA Missions Trip

Please consider supporting the following upcoming fundraiser for the students who are participating in the 2020 HCA History Missions Trip to Boston & New York. The students are working hard to earn a large portion of the travel costs themselves. These fundraisers are a great way to support our students as well as to give you a break from meal planning! The next fundraiser is:

- ✓ **QDOBA Fundraiser**
Sunday, April 28 from 11a.m.-3 p.m.

A portion of the monies earned during the hours of this fundraiser will go toward students going on the history trip next year.

Prayers and Praises

Please Pray for:

- Those planning the upcoming HCA Spring Banquet.
- Our many events planned in the month of April.

Praise God for:

- The beautiful sunshine & warmer temps!
- His Son, our Risen Savior!