

CORNERSTONE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

CHRONICLE

For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek. For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith for faith, as it is written, "The righteous shall live by faith." Romans 1:16-17

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From the Superintendent's Desk

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You will keep in perfect peace those whose minds are steadfast, because they trust in you. Trust in the Lord forever, for the Lord, the Lord himself, is the Rock eternal.

The path of the righteous is level; you, the Upright One, make the way of the righteous smooth. Yes, Lord, walking in the way of your laws, we wait for you; your name and renown are the desire of our hearts. My soul yearns for you in the night; in the morning my spirit longs for you.

Lord, you establish peace for us; all that we have accomplished you have done for us. Isaiah 26:3-4, 7-9, 12

In today's world, you can find dozens of definitions of "peace", and many are truly void and meaningless. If you think of how peace is defined by our society, it may refer to tranquility or friendship, harmony in the absence of hostility and violence. Peace is commonly used to mean a lack of conflict and or a freedom from fear of aggression or unhappiness. So, we must turn to the truth of God's Word to see how to truly understand how the Lord wants us to understand peace. The Hebrew word that is translated as peace in Scripture is "shalom." Shalom does not mean to feel calm nor the absence of fear or conflict, but instead peace is a right relationship with God and with one another. What Joy to have His Peace, the peace of God and the peace with God. Today, I am praying His peace over you and your family, a rightness and aligning with the Truth of God's word and His promises and His comfort in this peace. Glory to God!

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.
Romans 15:13

And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:7

September

- Sep 2 No School, Labor Day
- Sep 3 Midterm
- Sep 9 Midterm Grades Out
- Sep 9 Parent Meeting, 7pm
- Sep 14 High School Homecoming
- Sep 12 All School Worship Chapel

October

- Oct 4 First Quarter Ends
- Oct 8 Picture Retakes
- Oct 10-11 No School, Teacher In-service
- Oct 24 No School, Parent/Teacher Conference
- Oct 25 No School, Teacher Workday

All parents are invited every Wednesday morning at 8:30am to come and pray for Cornerstone. This will be held in the elementary prayer room.

Notes from the Front Office:



Reminder

The annual K-12 Parent Meeting is on Monday, September 9th at 7pm in high school chapel. This evening includes presentations from the administrative team, PTF committee, and a time of prayer for our school. Free childcare provided and your student will receive a homework pass or prize upon your attendance at the meeting. Be sure to check in with the office staff in the high school chapel when you arrive.

If your student will be absent from school, please call the office or email office@ccsnebraska.org. When dropping off elementary and middle school students late, parents must come into the building to sign them in this includes late arrival for appointments, etc.





IN THE CLASSROOM

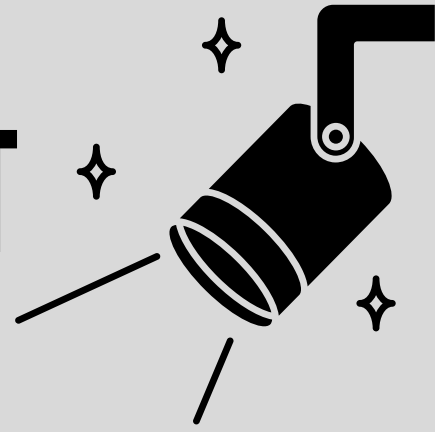


The sixth grade students took to the science lab with earthquake shaking tables and building. Mrs. Wright is teaching the students how to engineer a building to survive an earthquake.

STAFF SPOTLIGHT

Sherry Arch

Teacher and Guidance Counselor



Mrs. Arch is currently in her fourth year at Cornerstone, but this year she is not only teaching but is also the guidance counselor for the high school. Mrs. Arch has never had the same schedule in her time at Cornerstone. She started out teaching 6th grade language arts and 8th Grade history and language arts. Then, she took time off to stay home with her youngest. When she came back, she taught 6th grade math, 7th grade language arts and effective writing, and 8th grade effective writing. Then last year, she dropped the math and added high school psychology. This year, it is just effective writing in the middle school and psychology, but the rest of her day is filled with guidance counselor duties, and she is enjoying the fast pace and challenges of her new role.

Mrs. Arch and her husband, a college math teacher, celebrated their 10 year anniversary this summer in Seattle, WA. Together they have three children, a son-in-law, and a dog. Alyssa (25) is married to Kobe Alexander, and they live in Ralston. Logan (16), her bonus son, is a junior Papillion LaVista South HS, playing football and running track. Kellner (7) is a 2nd grader here at Cornerstone and he is in Mrs. Grant's class. The boys keep Mrs. Arch busy with football and baseball in the fall, basketball in the winter, and track and baseball in the spring. The family dog, Baker, loves to go to as many of the baseball games as he can and sing "Jesus Loves Me" with Kellner.

During the summer and winter breaks, the Arch family loves to travel or go camping. Mrs. Arch loves the mountains, trying to convince her family to go there as often as they are able. She also has a goal to go to all of the National Parks and all 50 states. She has already made it to 13 of the 42 parks and 34 out of the 50 states and hopes to add a few more next summer.

Favorite verses:

Philippians 3:12

Not that I have already obtained this or am already made perfect, but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own.

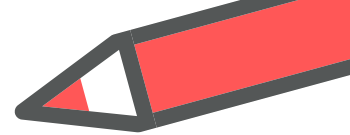
Galatians 6:9-10

And let us not grow weary in doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up. So then, as we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith.

Psalm 13:5-6

But I have trusted in your steadfast love; my heart shall rejoice in your salvation. I will sing to the Lord, because he has dealt bountifully with me.





STUDENT GALLERY



5TH GRADE LIGHTHOUSES: COLLAGRAPH PRINTMAKING

COLLAGRAPHY IS A PRINTMAKING PROCESS WHERE MATERIALS ARE GLUED TO A PLATE, INKED, AND ARE PRESSED TO CREATE A PRINT OR SERIES OF PRINTS.



KINDERGARTEN CRAYONS!



IN FOCUS

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PICTURE HIGHLIGHTS



Kindergarteners enjoying centers!



High School Retreat



Back to School Park Social



Middle School Retreat



The Senior Class met at sunrise the day before school started to pray over the year!





SEPTEMBER



| SUN | MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI | SAT |
|--------------|---|--|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|
| 1 MIDTERM | 2 NO SCHOOL, LABOR DAY | 3 BOYS TENNIS VS RONCALLI @ RONCALLI JV FBALL 6PM VS BOYSTOWN | 4 | 5 HS/MS XCOUNTRY CONCORDIA INVITE @ CONCORDIA HS HS VOLLEYBALL VS SCHUYLER @ SCHUYLER | 6 MIDTERM GRADES SENT HOME BOYS TENNIS CRETE INVITATIONAL V FBALL 7PM VS FALLS CITY MS VOLLEYBALL VS. METRO WARRIORS | 7 HS VOLLEYBALL ELBA/PARKVIEW TRI @ HOME |
| 8 | 9 PARENT MEETING JV FBALL 6:30PM VS CONCORDIA 6:30PM VS CONCORDIA | 10 HS VOLLEYBALL TRICOUNTY/LEWISTON @ LEWISTON BOYS TENNIS VS. BENSON HIGH SCHOOL | 11 BOYS TENNIS VS. OMAHA BRYAN | 12 HS/MS XCOUNTRY ARCHBISHOP BERG. INVITE @ CAMP CALVIN CREST HS VOLLEYBALL VS. COLLEGE VIEW @ HOME MS FBALL 5PM VS ELMWOODMURDOCK | 13 BOYS TENNIS VS. BELLEVUE WEST @ BELLEVUE WEST V FBALL 7PM VS WAYNE | 14 MS VOLLEYBALL VS. ST. CECILIA VS. ST. JAMES SETONS |
| 15 | 16 HS VOLLEYBALL JV VS. IOWA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF @COUNCIL BLUFFS BOYS TENNIS VS. OMAHA NORTH @ OMAHA NORTH MS FBALL 6:30PM VS WEEPING WATER JV FBALL 5 PM VS PALMYRA | 17 HS VOLLEYBALL VS. RALSTON @ HOME | 18 | 19 HS XCOUNTRY BENNINGTON INVITE @ BENNINGTON HS VOLLEYBALL VS. OCA @ OCA | 20 V FBALL 7PM VS SCHUYLER MS VOLLEYBALL VS. LIFEGATE CHRISTIANS | 21 HS VOLLEYBALL WESTVIEW INVITE @ WESTVIEW HS |
| 22 | 23 HS VOLLEYBALL VS. FT. CALHOUN @ HOME | 24 HS XCOUNTRY CREIGHTON PREP INVITE @ BOYSTOWN HS VOLLEYBALL VS. BOYSTOWN @ HOME BOYS TENNIS VS. PLATTEVIEW & CRETE | 25 | 26 HS VOLLEYBALL BROWNELL/HTRS TRI @ HTRS BOYS TENNIS VS. HOLDREDGE @ HOLDREDGE | 27 V FBALL 7PM VS RONCALLI | 28 |
| 29 | 30 HS VOLLEYBALL VS. HEARTLAND CHRISTIAN @ IOWA WEST FIELDHOUSE BOYS TENNIS VS. LINCOLN CHRISTIAN MS FBALL 3PM VS LOURDES CATHOLIC JV FBALL 6 PM VS CONESTOGA | | | | | |

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 EDUCATING CHILDREN TO BECOME LEARNERS - EQUIPPED WITH GODLY CHARACTER AND BIBLICAL TRUTH