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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I lift up my eyes to the hills. From where does my help come? My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

He will not let your foot be moved; He who keeps you will not slumber. Behold, He who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.

The Lord is your keeper; the Lord is your shade on your right hand. The sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by night.

The Lord will keep you from all evil; He will keep your life.

The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in
from this time forth and forevermore.

Psalm 121

My school office is decorated with many treasures, gifts and paintings from students, my collection of elephants from dear friends, and a lovely painting purchased in the market in China. It has a beautiful mountain gorge scene with a raging river and cloud covered peaks, and the lovely calligraphy of the Chinese language. Standing in the crowded market, I turned to my translator, "What does this say?"

She responded with a smile, "I look to the mountains. Where does my help come from? My help comes from the Lord, who created heaven and earth." My translator "Mary" was only twenty-eight years old at the time and had been imprisoned twice for evangelizing, yet stood in that market, smiling and knowing that her help was the Very Creator of the heaven and earth and in Him was her security and strength.

我舉目望向山。

我的幫助從哪裡來?

我的幫助從耶和華而來,

誰創造了天地。

Events & Info

JANUARY

Jan 1-6 No School, Christmas Break

Jan 7 Classes Resume

Jan 8 Grades Sent Home

Jan 16 PTF General Meeting

Jan 20 No School, M.L. King Day

Jan 28 Midterm

FEBRUARY

Feb 6 No School, Parent/Teacher Conferences

Feb 7 No School, Teacher Workday

Feb 7 High School Winter Formal

Feb 17 No School, President's Day

Feb 20 PTF General Meeting





Notes from the Front Office:

HEADING INTO 2025, WE ARE IN NEED OF MORE VOLUNTEERS AND SUBSTITUTES FOR LUNCH DUTY. OUR ABILITY TO MAINTAIN THE HOT LUNCH PROGRAM RELIES FULLY ON PARENT VOLUNTEERS. IF YOU ARE ABLE TO HELP IN THIS AREA ON A WEEKLY BASIS OR AS A SUBSTITUTE, PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE FOR MORE INFORMATION: OFFICE@CCSNEBRASKA.ORG

His Legac

Banquet
Dinner & Silent Auction

Sunday, March 16th Information to follow!

School snow days and school closings will be announced via school wide e-mail. Cornerstone follows the Bellevue Public School District in the closing of school due to inclement weather and icy roads. Whenever the weather is questionable, tune in to one of these stations.

DON'T MISS OUT!

Fall '25 Registration

Registration for the 2025-2026 school year begins on February 1st. Re-enrollment will be done online in the family portal.

Stay tuned for more information.





IN THE CLASSROOM









CORNERSTONE'S

STAFF SPOTLIGHT *

Stacey Humann High School Receptionist

Stacey grew up in the Omaha area, specifically in Millard. She graduated from Millard South High School, attended UNO for a time and then transferred to Southwest Baptist University in Bolivar, MO. Not long after she graduated, she met her husband, and they were married in March of 2000.

At that time Mrs. Humann was working at Trinity Christian School as a receptionist until her son was born. Soon after, she was blessed to be able to stay home and raise him and their 3 daughters. The Lord led their family to begin homeschooling, along with being in programs and a collaborative school for the next 14 years.

As their kids have grown and the youngest daughters have started attending CCS, Stacey began praying for what God had for her next. The Lord answered by providing her with a receptionist position at Cornerstone. She enjoys getting to know the parents, staff and students and helping in whatever ways she can.

Mrs. Humann has been married to Ben for 24 years and together they have 4 kids: Braden, Faith, Ellie, and Makenna. Their son married his wife, Ryah, in June of this past summer. And we can't forget about their 9 year old mini golden doodle, Cooper!

A meaningful Bible verse for her is Jeremiah 29:11- For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans to prosper you and not harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.

Stacey believes that God has a good plan for all who follow Him. Even in the midst of struggle and hardship, we can trust that He goes before us and has our ultimate good in mind. And the ultimate hope for our future is eternal life with Him.



STUDENT GALLERY



High school photography student prints









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PICTURE HIGHLIGHTS

HS Teachers dressed like students



Students busy making parent gifts!



"Tinsel Toes



Sophomores selling ornaments!





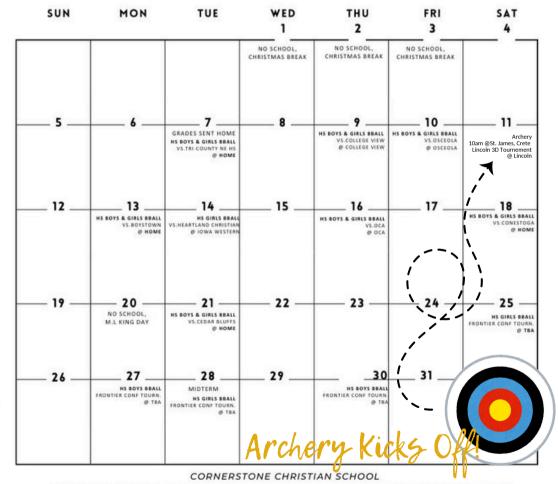
Student Nativity







JANUARY





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



STAY COZY

- DRINK HOT COCOA
- HAVE A PAJAMA DAY
- WATCH A HOLIDAY MOVIE
- MAKE PAPER SNOWFLAKES
- DO A PUZZLE
- BUILD A BLANKET FORT
- CLEAN YOUR ROOM
- HOST A GAME NIGHT
- SET NEW YEAR GOALS
- BAKE CINNAMON ROLLS
- READ BY THE FIRE
- HAVE A DANCE PARTY
- MAKE HOMEMADE SOUP

GO OUTDOORS

- GO SLEDDING
- BUILD A SNOWMAN
- DRIVE AROUND TO LOOK AT CHRISTMAS LIGHTS
- TAKE A WINTER NATURE WALK
- STARGAZE ON A CLEAR NIGHT
- SHOVEL YOUR NEIGHBOR'S DRIVEWAY
- GO ICE SKATING
- VISIT A LOCAL MUSEUM
- TRY A NEW COFFEE SHOP
- VISIT RELATIVES
- BLOW BUBBLES OUTSIDE
- GO TO THE LIBRARY
- FIND A SERVICE OPPORTUNITY

