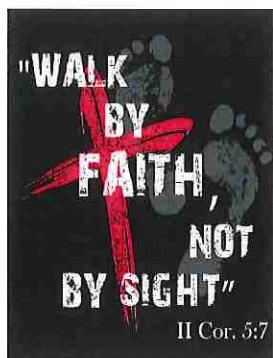




## THE CORRESPONDENT SEPT. 6th, 2018

### CALENDAR AT A GLANCE:

CC Meet @ Trinity Davenport 4:30	9/7
Soccer @ LIS 4:30/5:30 p.m.	9/10
VB @ Heritage 4:30 & 5:30	9/11
Soccer @ CR Trinity 4:00/5:00	9/13
FALL PICTURES	9/18
Open House with meal 5:30-6:30, PTL meeting at 6:30	9/20



**Walk by Faith, Not By Sight!**  
(2nd Corinthians 5: 6-7)

#### Mission Statement:

Central Lutheran assists our families and congregations by preparing children to be disciples for this life and the life to come.

#### Principal

Franklin O. Parris  
principal@centrallutheraschool.org

310 3rd Street W  
Newhall, IA 52315  
Office: 223-5271 Fax: 223-5257

**Grantwood Hearing Van will be here Friday, Sept 7<sup>th</sup>, to test our 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade students.**

### OPEN HOUSE- SEPT 20<sup>th</sup>

Open house will run from 5:30 -6:30 p.m.

Students will be excited to share their classrooms with parents and grandparents.

Please join us and stay!

The first PTL Meeting will start at 6:30.

### Book Fair Volunteers Needed!!

Becky Rieck and Cathy Davis are the new librarians here at CLS! They are looking for some volunteers for the upcoming Book Fair which is Oct. 18-21<sup>st</sup>. If you have some time to join the committee to help out with this, please contact the office at

[clsoffice@centrallutheraschool.org](mailto:clsoffice@centrallutheraschool.org)

**SCHOOL PICTURES ARE TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18<sup>th</sup>. AFTERNOON PRESCHOOL STUDENTS NEED TO BE HERE AT 8:00 AM to HAVE THEIR PICTURE TAKEN.**

**SCRIP books** will be at Central Lutheran School on school days. On weekends the SCRIP will be available for purchase at St. John and St. Stephen churches. If you have any questions or comments contact Dorothy Embretson. THANK YOU for your support.

## **CLS BRUNCH**

We are still in need of 2 fourth grade parents to co-chair the CLS Brunch. Each year the 4th grade class is in charge of organizing the brunch. It is a very successful fundraiser for our PTL and allows us to pay for field trips, technology needs, National Lutheran Schools Week Celebration activities, show choir, and many other educational items. The brunch takes place on October 21, and planning needs to start by the middle of September. The co-chairs are provided with a binder that has step by step directions of everything that needs to be done. They lead two meetings (agendas are in the binder!) and make sure all tasks (paper products, decorations, meat, baked goods, grills, etc.) are assigned and being completed by the other 4th grade parents. Kristin Meyer and Stacy Wolf were the co-chairs last year and would be happy to answer any questions that you have along the way. Please prayerfully consider stepping up to lead the other 4th grade families in making our 2018 CLS Brunch another success for our students!

## **Memory Books for 1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade**

The MEMORY BOOKS all went home this week with one member of your family. We will start with page 4 for next week. The flyer attached shows an explanation of how the book is layed out by grades. Please let your child's teacher know if you would have any questions.

## **Youth T-shirts for SALE for \$10**

We have some extra, ( in youth sizes only), of the themed tshirts. If you didn't get one ordered and would like to purchase one, they are available for \$10 in the office. Please see Jackie or email her!





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### **Frankly Speaking - From the CLS Principal's Desk**

#### **How are things going?**

I wish I had the opportunity to ask each parent how things are going. I have had the chance to meet with a few parents either in the hallway or in my office and ask that question. I know we are only about 10 days into the new school year, but a routine should be set by now with a place to do homework in the house, a specific time to do homework, a specific bedtime each night, a specific time to get up in the morning and then the routine that follows from that. I have talked to the teachers and some teachers are noticing different things about certain students and ways to help them. I've encouraged the teachers to keep parents up to date on how students are doing, and not wait until parent/teacher conferences. So, try to take a bit of time and ask the teachers how things are going whether in person or through email. This can be about, "how is my child doing?", or "what do you think about the new principal?" (wait, maybe don't ask that!!!) or on a personal level, "how are you doing?" With some new teachers on the staff, it makes new teachers feel welcome when parents ask how they are doing. No matter what the situation, we want to continue to keep the lines of communication open from parent to teacher, teacher to parent, and parent/teacher to principal. The school will run better and students will get the attention and care they need to grow into strong Christian leaders!

I haven't had any 4th grade parents contact me yet about leading our brunch fundraiser. Please check your emails for the message I sent out on Monday, Sep. 3 asking for your assistance.

God's blessings to you and your family! If there is anything I can do to help with your child's Christian education here, please give a call, email, or stop by to set up an appointment.

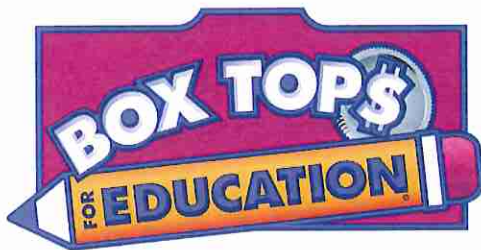
In Christ,

Mr. Parris  
Philippians 1:3-6

### Sunday Worship Schedule

St. Stephen's Lutheran Atkins Worship 9:00am Sunday School 10:15am	St. John Lutheran Church Newhall Worship 8am, 10:30am Sunday School 9:15am	St. Andrew's Lutheran Church Van Horne Worship 10:00am Sunday School 8:45am
St. Mark's Lutheran Church Garrison Worship Sat 6pm, Sun 8am Sunday School 9am	Trinity Lutheran Church Vinton Worship Sat 5:30pm, Sun 9am Sunday School 10:15am	Zion Lutheran Church Shellsburg Worship 10am Sunday School 8:45am
Grace Lutheran Church Blairstown Worship 10am Sunday School 9am	First Lutheran Church Belle Plaine Worship Sat 6pm, Sun 10:15am Sunday School 9am	St. John Lutheran Church Keystone Worship Sun 10am Sunday School 8:45am

### • SUPPORT CLS



Box tops earned CLS over \$1000 last year! Thank you to all who contributed to the contest!!

Turn in all Hy-Vee receipts – CLS earns 0.5% of the total. \$1410 was raised last year!!



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### Chapel News:

**1st Trimester Offering:** Military Bible Sticks

**Next chapel leader:** Pastor Wright

**May Hymn:** Walk like Jesus

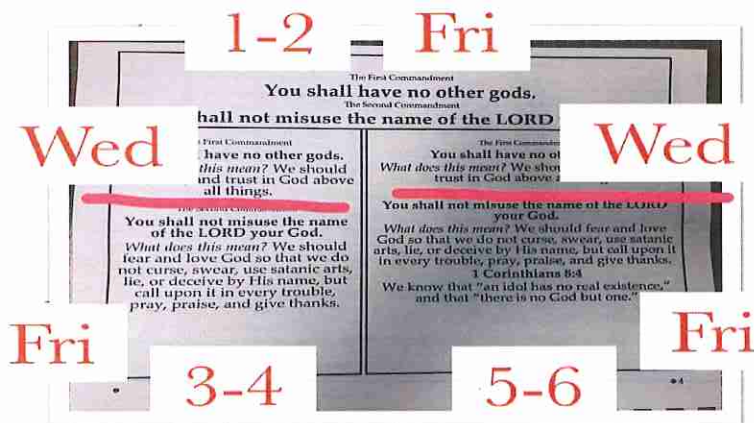
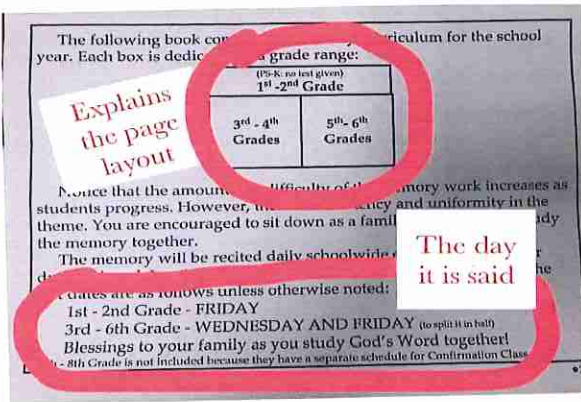
**Singing:** Singing Saints





## ATTENTION FAMILIES:

The 2018-2019 Memory Work booklet is coming home for **GRADES 1-6** on Monday. **THERE IS ONLY ONE BOOK PER FAMILY.** Please keep it in a safe place. Read through the directions on page 2. The schedule for the whole year is on page 3. Here are some images that explain the main things you need to know about the booklet. If you have any other questions, please contact your child's teacher!



**Schedule for the whole year**

**SCHEDULE FOR 2018-2019**

Week of...	Page #	Week of...	Page #
9/10	1	1/18	21
9/17	2	1/25	22
9/24	3	2/1	23
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10/15	6	2/22	26
10/22	7	2/29	27
10/29	8	3/6	28
11/5	9	3/13	29
11/12	10	3/20	30
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12/10	14	4/17	34
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12/31	17	5/8	37



# Imagine the Amazing with UnityPoint Health!

Education is an essential part of living well and being well, and schools are at the heart of our communities. Every school has a need, and every kid has a dream. UnityPoint Health is committed to investing in both to create a brighter tomorrow.

**The contest is simple. The school receiving the most votes between September 17-30 on our contest website will win \$25,000! Plus, 10 runner-up schools will win \$1,000.**

Here's a breakdown of how the contest will work:

**Important Dates:** The voting period is September 17–30. Awards will be given the week of October 8.

**Contest Webpage:** [unitypoint.org/imagineamazing](http://unitypoint.org/imagineamazing)

**Prizes:** The school with the most votes will win the grand prize of \$25,000, to be presented at an event held at the school. The 10 schools with the next highest vote counts will be given runner-up awards and will each receive a \$1,000 prize. The prize money must be used to enhance the well-being of students, teachers and/or a learning environment with a health and wellness tie.

**Eligibility:** If you're receiving this packet, your school is eligible! The contest is open to all K-12 non-profit public and private schools within the 99 counties of Iowa and the primary counties served by UnityPoint Health in Illinois, Nebraska, South Dakota and Wisconsin.

## What To Do Next

Rally your students, teachers and parents. Involve your community to show how much your schools matter!

- Use the enclosed materials to promote the contest at your school.
- Visit the contest webpage ([unitypoint.org/imagineamazing](http://unitypoint.org/imagineamazing)) to download additional assets, like graphics to use on social media, posters to print and an electronic flyer to email to all students.
- Partner with school groups like your PTO, community groups such as your chamber or community businesses including the local grocery store or gas station, and ask them to help spread the word.
- Post on social media, encouraging people to vote for your school.
- Publicize what you would spend the money on. People love to support specific needs!

**Questions:** Please don't hesitate to reach out to our System Services Marketing and Communications Department at [UPH\\_MarComm@unitypoint.org](mailto:UPH_MarComm@unitypoint.org) or 515-241-6709.

**Let's make something amazing happen at your school!**

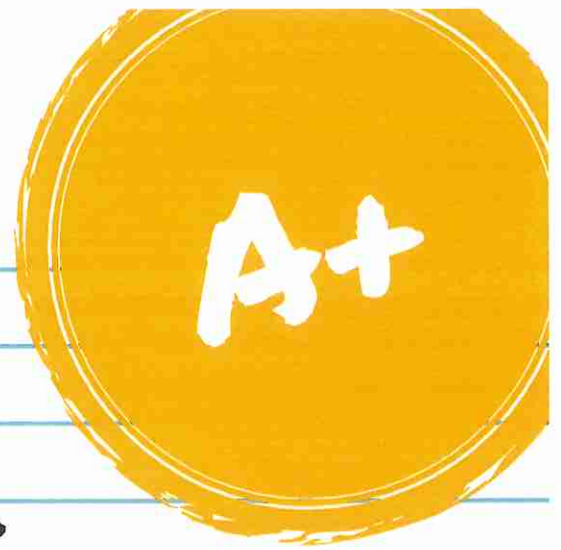


#ImagineTheAmazing





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# IOWA ACE SCHOOL CHOICE SYMPOSIUM

When: September 19 from 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Where: Xavier High School  
6300 42nd Street Northeast  
Cedar Rapids, IA 52411

What: This symposium will give parents the opportunity to learn about how educational choice can expand opportunities for all children.

**RSVP BY CLICKING HERE**



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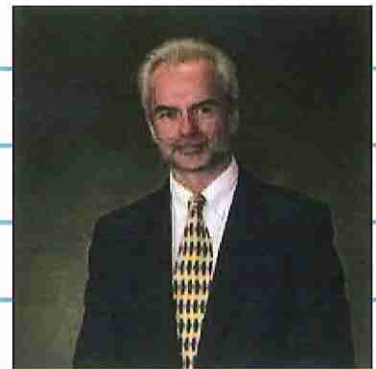
## EVENT DETAILS

6:30–7:00 p.m. Check-in and light refreshments

7:00 p.m. Welcome and introduction of program

Presentation by John Elcesser, successful school choice advocate and director of Indiana's school choice efforts.

Open Q&A time with John



2019 Iowa Legislative Outlook

How to Get Involved in School Choice Advocacy

8:00 p.m. Event Conclusion





## BENTON GIRLS BASKETBALL

### FALL 3 ON 3 LEAGUE

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### SKILL DEVELOPMENT

**GRADES:** 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup>  
**DATES:** Thursdays 9/13, 9/20, 9/27, 10/4, and 10/11  
**TIME:** 6:15-7:30 pm  
**LOCATION:** Benton Community High School Gymnasium  
**COST:** \$20

The primary purpose of the Fall 3 on 3 League and Skill Development sessions is to improve upon offensive basketball fundamentals with an emphasis on shooting, ball handling, passing, and motion basketball principles within a 3 on 3 setting. Each night will consist of 45 minutes of skill development work followed by 30 minutes of playing 3 on 3 games within each grade level. These sessions will also work to promote teamwork, communication, and building self-confidence for girls within each grade level.

These fall sessions will serve as a starting point for any Benton Girls Basketball Youth Teams that will be competing during the winter basketball season. Any parents/coaches that will be working with girls basketball players this winter are welcomed/encouraged to attend these sessions to help coach; as well as, to observe different offensive drills that can be implemented throughout the winter season within your teams to continue to improve basketball fundamentals. The goal of our girls basketball youth program is to establish a solid foundation for the continued success of the girls basketball program at Benton Community for many years to come!

Any questions, please feel free to contact Coach Zittergruen at [jzittergruen@benton.k12.ia.us](mailto:jzittergruen@benton.k12.ia.us)!

*The Benton Girls Basketball Youth Tournament will be held on Saturday, December 15<sup>th</sup>  
The tournament will have a 5<sup>th</sup> grade, 6<sup>th</sup> grade, 7<sup>th</sup> grade, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade division.*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail registration/payment to:  
Benton Girls Basketball  
Benton Community High School  
c/o Jeff Zittergruen  
600 1<sup>st</sup> Ave.  
Van Horne, IA 52346

**\*\*Make checks payable to\*\***  
Benton Girls Basketball Program