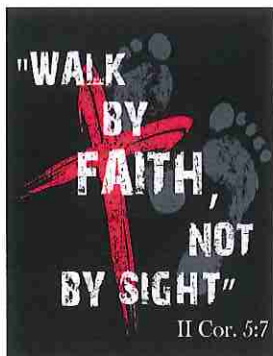




THE CORRESPONDENT SEPT. 13th, 2018

CALENDAR AT A GLANCE:

Soccer @CR Trinity 4:00/5:00	9/13
Soccer vs. Valley 9/10 am, vs Davenport 1/2	9/15
Soccer @ Valley 4:30/5:30	9/17
Soccer vs Heritage Varsity only 5:30	9/18
FALL PICTURES	9/18
Early Dismiss 1:15	9/19
Open House 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

**Early Dismiss on Wednesday,
September 19th @ 1:15. KFJ will be
available.**

OPEN HOUSE- SEPT 20th

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-
21st. If you have some time to join the
committee to help out with this, please
contact the office at
clsoffice@centrallutheraschool.org

**SCHOOL PICTURES ARE TUESDAY,
SEPTEMBER 18th. 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
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.

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!

MORNINGS WITH MOM/DADS AND DONUTS

Hello CLS Families! Our annual Moms and Dads (supported by the Marketing Committee) events are right around the corner. After a few years of doing these events we have heard some very constructive feedback. We want to THANK YOU for the feedback and to let you know that WE HAVE HEARD YOU!

We are pleased to announce Muffins with Moms is now Mornings with Moms and our wonderful moms will also be getting donuts! Dads and Donuts will remain the same. Both will be 7:15-8:15 am. Another slight change is the timing of these events. Morning with Moms will be held on October 3rd this year (RSVP'S NEED TO BE RETURNED TO THE OFFICE BY SEPT 19). Dads and Donuts will be held on November 7, these invites will go out in October and will be due back to the office by October 23. The events will remain on Wednesdays with the hope that you can join us for chapel in the gym following breakfast with your CLS loved one. Also, these are early out days. See a friendly member of the CLS Marketing Committee or call the CLS office with questions!

UNLEASH YOUR INNER GIRL

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YOU'RE INVITED TO JOIN (NEWLY FORMED) TROOP 2875
IF YOU ARE IN PK OR K, BUT AGE 5, WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN ONLINE
TODAY!

(DONT WORRY IF YOU'RE NOT QUITE 5, JOIN US AFTER YOUR 5TH
BIRTHDAY!!)

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\$25,000 CONTEST- WE NEED YOUR VOTES

What could Central Lutheran School do with \$25,000??? New Chromebooks? New iPads? New library books? New Band instruments? Stage lighting? Repaint the cafeteria/small gym? Put in an intake/outtake fan in the cafeteria/small gym so it isn't so hot??? OR ???????????



"Imagine the Amazing" is a back-to-school contest open to all K-12 nonprofit 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. **Voting is open September 17-30**, and winners will be announced the week of October.

The school with the most votes wins the grand prize of \$25,000, to be awarded at a "You Matter Day" event held at the school. The 10 schools with the most votes will receive runner-up awards of \$1,000.

I hope you'll rally for Central Lutheran School, because the chance to invest in our communities through our kids, teachers and their futures starts now.

How to enter: Use the voting application at <http://www.unitypoint.org/imaginetheamazing>. Filter by state and city to select a school. There is **no limit to how many times individuals may vote** throughout the duration of the contest.

Tell your aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews, grandparents, mom's, dad's, neighbors, everyone to vote for Central Lutheran School, Newhall, IA!!! Thank you for your support.



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For This Life and For the Life To Come.



Frankly Speaking - From the CLS Principal's Desk

Have you looked at the calendar?

Yep, it is that time of year...fall testing for your child at CLS. For the next two weeks your child will be tested during our fall testing schedule. These are very helpful to us as teachers and administration so we know 1) if our curriculum is doing what it should, 2) if our teachers are teaching the curriculum we have correctly or if we can find a better way to do it, 3) where your child is at so he/she can be helped more on his/her weaknesses and improve on his/her strengths.

The following are a few suggestions that come from the Department of Education on how you can help your child with his/her tests.

- 1) Talk to your child about the testing. Let them know why testing is taking place.
- 2) Tell your child what "standardized" tests are. These tests use the same standards to measure student performance across the state or even across the country. Every student takes the same test according to the same rules. This makes it possible to measure each student's performance against that of others.
- 3) Do provide a quiet, comfortable place for studying at home and make sure that your child is well rested on school days and especially on the day of a test. Children who are tired are less able to pay attention in class or to handle the demands of a test.
- 4) Do eat a breakfast with protein and low sugar. Too much sugar for breakfast will have a child "crash" halfway through the morning, thus losing focus on testing. A breakfast high in protein will allow your child to sustain a steady focus throughout the morning.
- 5) Do help your child avoid test anxiety. It's good for your child to be concerned about taking a test. It's not good for him/her to develop "test anxiety." Test anxiety is worrying too much about doing well on a test. It can mean disaster for your child. Students with test anxiety can worry about success in school and about their future success. They can become very self-critical and lose confidence in their abilities. Instead of feeling challenged by the prospect of success, they become afraid of failure. If your child worries too much about taking tests, you can help to reduce the anxiety by encouraging your child to do the following things.

When he/she gets the test, read the directions carefully before you begin work. If you don't understand how to do something, ask the teacher to explain. Look quickly at the entire text to see what types of questions are on it (multiple choice, matching, true/false, essay). See if different questions are worth different numbers of points. This will help you to determine how much time to spend on each part of the test. Finally, if your child doesn't know the answer to a question, skip it and go on. Don't waste time worrying about one question. Mark it and, if you have time at the end of the test, return to it and try again.

Thanks to our 4th grade parents for stepping up and have started working on our brunch for this year. I look forward to seeing how this works and the fun and fellowship of putting this together.

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,

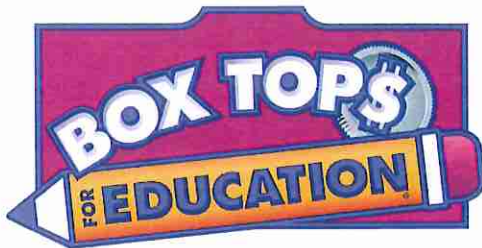
Mr. Parris

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 Wed 6:30pm, 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 Duncan

May Hymn: Walk like Jesus

Singing: Jubilation



MORNINGS WITH MOM*

Please RSVP to have DONUTS with your child WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 3, 2018 -7:15 – 8:15. Come and go as your time permits.

*We invite you to bring you mother or an important female figure in your life.

Free Will Donation will be accepted.



PLEASE RSVP NO LATER THAN SEPT 19, 2018

Child(ren) _____

Grade(s) _____

Female Adult _____

Please return the bottom portion with your child to school no later than SEPT 19, 2018.

Hosanna Choir

Sunday, Oct. 14 St. Stephens, Atkins 9:00

Friday, December 14th Christmas Concert 6:30

Sunday, February 17th S. John Newhall 10:30

Friday, May 3rd Spring Concert 6:30

Friday, May 17th Virginia Gay 1:00 Lutheran Home 1:30

Singing Saints

Sunday, Nov. 11th Grace Lutheran BTown 10:00

Friday, December 14th Christmas Concert 6:30

Sunday, March 10th St. Stephens Atkins 9:00

Friday, May 3rd Spring Concert

Friday May 10th Windsor Manor 1:30

Jubilation

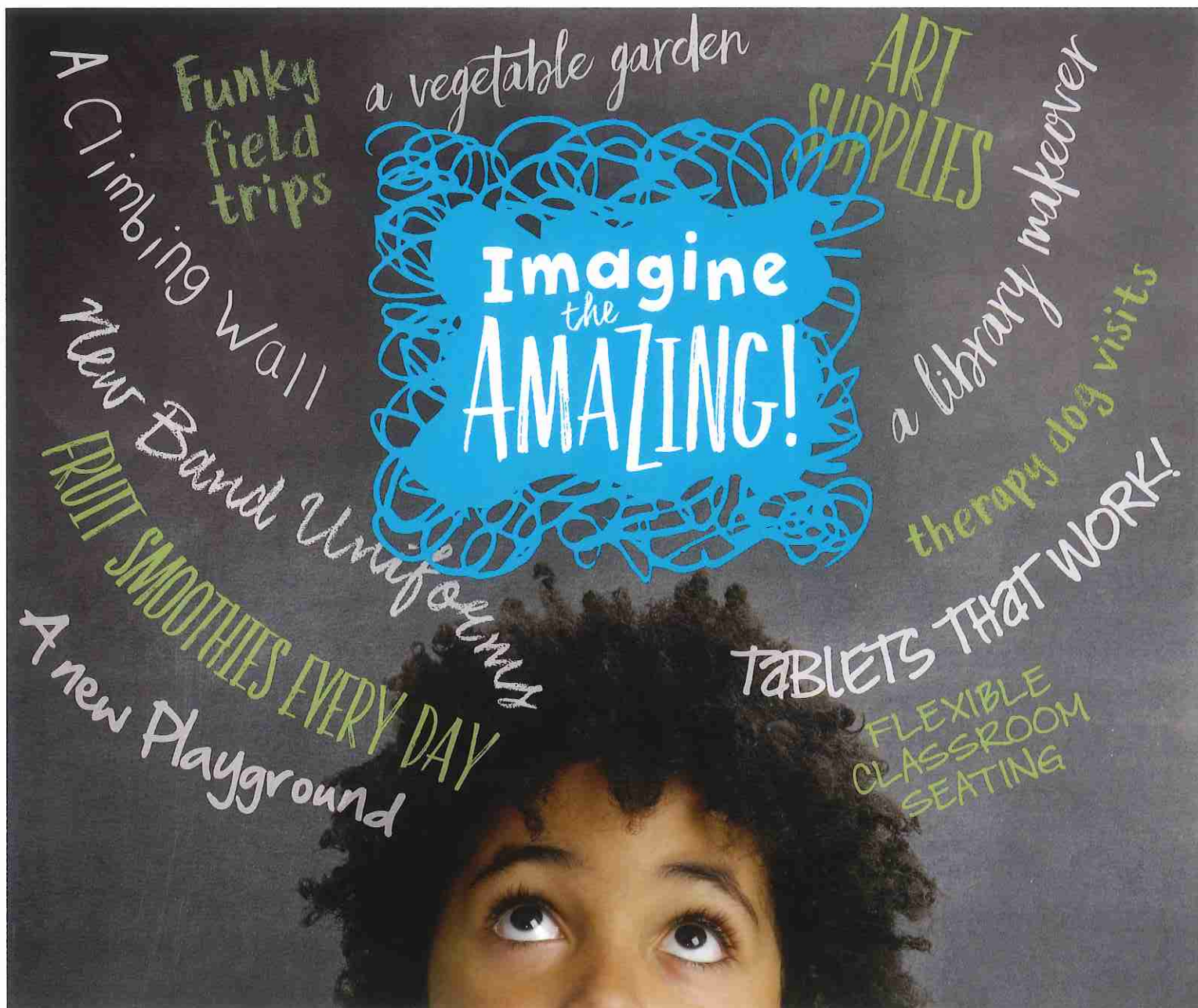
November 18th St. John Newhall 10:30

Friday, December 14th Christmas Concert 6:30

April 7th St. Andrew Van Horne 9:00

Friday, May 3rd Spring Concert 6:30

May Keystone Care Center???



WHAT WOULD YOUR SCHOOL DO WITH **\$25,000?**

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Education is an essential part of living well and being well, and schools are at the heart of our communities. That's why we're launching a back-to-school contest to bring big dreams to life.

**Vote for your school
September 17-30**

at unitypoint.org/imaginetheamazing

#ImagineTheAmazing

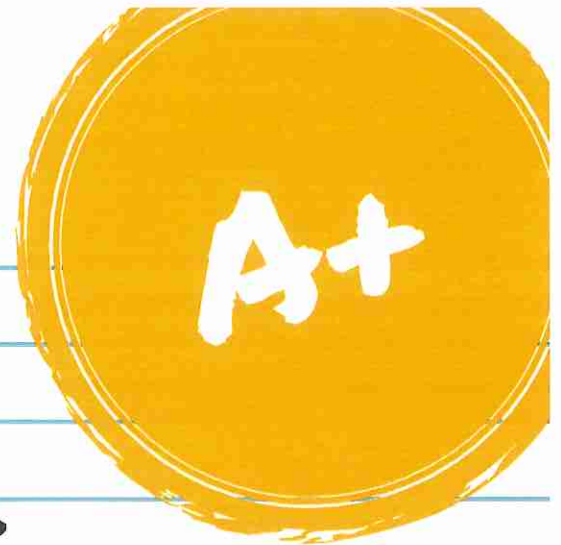


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IOWA ALLIANCE
FOR CHOICE IN EDUCATION



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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FOR CHOICE IN EDUCATION



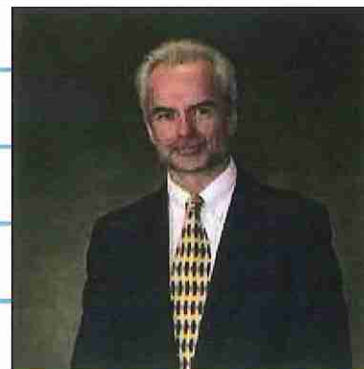
EVENT DETAILS

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

FREE BOYS VOLLEYBALL CLINIC

When

**Sunday,
September 23rd 2018**

1 pm - 5 pm

Where

**Cedar Rapids Prairie
High School**

401 76th Ave SW, Cedar Rapids, IA 52404

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