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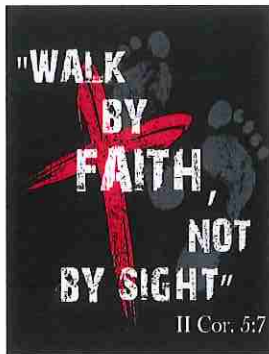
April 25th, 2019

CALENDAR AT A GLANCE:

PTL PLANT SALES	4/26-4/27
Preschool Round Up & Early dismiss at 1:15.	5/01
Chapel with National Day of Prayer	5/02
Spring Concert	5/07
CLS TRACK MEET @ BC	5/11
Spring Concert	5/07

PRESCHOOL ROUND UP IS WED, MAY 1st, NO REG. PRESCHOOL CLASSES WILL TAKE PLACE THAT DAY, EARLY DISMISS AT 1:15.

We are still taking registration paperwork from families. The fee has gone up now to \$385 per student. The Afternoon Preschool class now has a spot open and Kindergarten has one spot but all other classes can take more students.



CHAPEL WILL BE ON THURSDAY, MAY 2ND DUE TO NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER AND THE SPRING CONCERT IS TUESDAY, MAY 7TH.

Walk by Faith, Not By Sight!
(2 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.

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Financial Paperwork Is all due to Terrill, IA for ILSTO and to the office for SPICE AND TAC by FRIDAY, APRIL 26th! We have several Tuition Worksheets turned in but you must also have the first 2 pages of the FEDERAL tax returned, along with the SPICE form turned in to qualify. The ILSTO must be postmarked by April 26th to qualify for funding. Please call the office or email if you are not sure if you turned in everything you need.

4th Grade to Capitol & Living History Farms
Our 4th Grade Class enjoyed a field trip to Des Moines last week to tour the Capitol and Living History Farms. They were welcomed by Rep. Thomas Gerhold from Atkins to the Iowa House of Representatives.



CLS PLANT SALE IS HERE!!

Friday April 26th (11:00 am - 7:00 pm)

Saturday, April 27th (8:00 am - 12:00 pm)

Come and check out the wide variety of plants and flowers including 4-pack annuals, perennials, containers and baskets! We have doubled the annual plant order, but it is still a first come- first served sale! We need your help for working: please visit the link to sign up today!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080D4DAEAD2EA13-2019>

PTL needs your help!

Looking for a Vice President that would serve a two-year term, the first year as Vice President and the second year as President. A President that would serve a one-year term. And the current treasurer's term is also up this year but she is willing to serve another two-year term if no one else would like the position. Each position will be decided at the May PTL meeting and would take over this summer before the 2019-2020 school year. Contact Katie Stien if you have any questions, 319-320-8322 or through Fast Direct

SCRIP NEWS

For a short period of time lower denomination gift cards are available thru SCRIP. Some examples are Amazon \$10, Starbucks \$5, Target \$10, Barnes & Noble \$5, Applebee's \$5, Wal Mart \$10, Panera \$5, Blimpie \$5 and Home Depot \$10. Plan ahead so we can order them for you if we do not have them in stock. In advance, THANK YOU for your support. Great ideas for Graduation, End of year teacher appreciation and Mother's Day.

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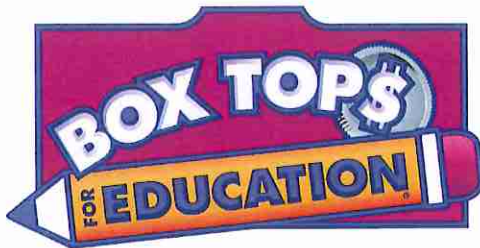
Funds are going toward the St. Louis Trip for our current 6th and 7th graders. Trip will occur in Spring of 2020. Purchase a coupon book for \$10. * \$7 profit for the students! * Purchaser spends \$50 in the store and receives a \$5 gift card! *Fuel Saver Perk: spend \$50 and receive \$0.25 cents off per gallon *Lots of other money saving coupons! (Coupon book is only valid at Cedar Rapids and Marion stores.) How do I purchase one? Stop in the office or contact your local 6th or 7th CLS student.

IDE DISTRICT OFFICE - POSITION OPENING: The Iowa District East district office is seeking a qualified individual to fill the position of Communications / Events / Technology Coordinator. Interested applicants may obtain a copy of the job description from the church office, on the district website at www.lcmside.org, or by contacting Sherry Brendes at 319-373-2112 with questions. Please submit your resume and cover letter to: Sherry Brendes, Iowa District East-LCMS, 1100 Blairs Ferry Road, Marion, IA 52302, or via e-mail to sherry@lcmside.org.

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 \$900 this fall! 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:

3rd Trimester Offering: Newhall Lions Club

Next chapel leader: Pastor Williamson

May Hymn: Do Lord

Singing: 5th/6th Grade

CHAPEL NEXT WEEK ON MAY 2nd due to National Day of Prayer

Bring in your used ink cartridges for us to turn in to Staples Rewards program!



Parent Pages

RESOURCES FOR CHRISTIAN PARENTS IN THE 21ST CENTURY



When Children Defy Us

“There are those who rebel against the light, who are not acquainted with its ways, and do not stay in its paths” (Job 24:13).

How often does this verse describe your child? How often does it describe you and your relationship with God? Children of each age rebel, turning away from parents in defiance. The battle against defiance is a marathon, not a sprint. Your child’s defiant behavior needs a careful, calculated response that assures learning at each stage of development.

Teaching and discipline with children is best defined by the term “serve and return.” Certainly, children learn from watching us, but that learning is reinforced by interacting with us. In defiant behaviors, the child is typically pushing the limits in order to see your response. Sometimes they are pushing buttons, other times performing an experiment of sorts. For a young child, one of the best ways to understand a concept (“No!”) is to find out what is not included (“Is this activity on the ‘no’ list?”). When they are testing you, they are learning more about what is “no” and what is “yes.” They also need to know that you are consistent. It is an effective, albeit aggravating, way to learn. Let’s peek into the brains of defiance at each age group:

Toddlers

Children who have just learned to walk have fully discovered their curiosity and are working on self-regulation. This means they are training their bodies, emotions and attention. When they are defiant it is usually because they are testing the rules to see where the boundaries are. The best response is to be both verbal and physical. Remain calm, repeat the rule and



move the child away from the “no” when necessary. Even though your child may have that sly toddler smile, it doesn’t mean he is trying to aggravate you. He simply enjoys this interactive process of learning.

Early School Age

Early childhood age children are looking to understand others. As they learn social skills, they often try things to see the reaction. They still need you to calmly repeat your request and not give in. Another technique that will work with this age group is humor. This is especially good if their defiance is a bit ridiculous already:

“What? You won’t put away your bike? Well, I guess it’s now my bike! Let’s see if I can ride it.”

A bit of humor has the same effect as moving a toddler away from what is forbidden. It simply resets the situation and helps your child to see a better way to respond than to turn a request into an unwinnable argument.



Elementary

Once children have reached about second or third grade, they have moved to a new stage of moral development. They are constructing their own senses of how to determine right from wrong. They have a new understanding of rules and need to test them all over again. Patience, calm and persistence are still the best teachers. However, now you can discuss the reasoning behind the rules and question your children's understanding. They are now better able to understand the natural consequences of not following rules. In fact, the discussion that happens after the discipline is just as important as any consequence you might give. This is an important time to be clear about God's guidance on what is right and wrong.

Adolescence

This is a particularly challenging time in regard to rebellion and defiance. As a part of identity development, adolescents examine the values of their families and decide what to carry with them into their adult life. It is especially difficult to watch a teen be defiant with a value that we as parents hold dear. Teenagers do things that make us cringe or embarrass us. They are testing the boundaries of values. The best way to push back is to do so with the same patient, calm persistence that you use with children of any age. Praying *for* your teen and *with* your teen will do much to bring God's peace to the situation. Keep things in perspective when responding to defiance. Piercings, tattoos and clothing choices are cringe-worthy but probably not battle-worthy. On the other hand, harmful and/or addictive behaviors need an immediate, firm and loving response. God has provided us with experts to help in these situations.

When we read in the Old Testament about God's relationship with His rebellious children, we quickly see that there is no easy fix for this type of behavior. We must find that perfect mix of law (rules and consequences) and grace (forgiveness and unconditional love) to patiently teach our children how God loves and protects us from our own sin. We don't just love our children in spite of their defiance — we love them right through it. This is what God models for us.

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Central Lutheran School

Flower/Plant Sale

— Friday, April 26 (11:00 am - 7:00 pm)

— Saturday, April 27 (8:00 am - 12:00 pm) —

Central Lutheran School Gym
310 3rd Street West, Newhall

Come and check out the wide variety of plants and flowers including 4-pack annuals, perennials, containers, and baskets!!

May 2019

Calendar for Lunch Menu Rieck (Kitchen) 12198 views

(Public View)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Chicken strips, corn/cauliflower, peaches, B & B sand.	2 Crispito/cheese sauce, broccoli/red peppers, applesauce, B & B sand	3 Pork Patty/bun, baked beans/celery, pears, jello	4
5 This institution is an equal opportunity provider.	6 Chicken sand/bun, corn/celery, applesauce, pudding	7 Beef taco/shell, romaine/carrot, refried beans, pineapple, B & B sand	8 French toast/sausage, hashbrown/cucumbers, juice, crisp	9 Goulash, cooked carrots, peaches, breadsticks	10 Hamburger/bun, gr. beans/broccoli, pears	11
12 Milk served daily. Substitutions made as necessary.	13 Turkey & cheese/bun, baked beans/cauliflower, apple, cookie	14 Chicken crunch, corn/carrots, pears, B & B sand	15 Fish sticks, gr. beans/broccoli, pineapple, B & B sand	16 Scalloped pot/ham, peas, pears B & B sand	17 Chicken sand, corn/red peppers, applesauce	18
19	20 Pork patty/bun, baked beans/celery, peaches	21 Sack Lunch-Tanager	22 Egg omelet/sausage, hashbrown/cucumbers, juice, blueberry bread	23 Mac & cheese, gr. beans/celery, peaches, PB & J sand	24 <i>Last day of school</i> Cooks choice	25
26	27	28 Chicken taco/shell, romaine/carrots, refried beans, peaches, B & B sand	29 Hot dogs, carrots/celery, apples, ice cream bar	30 SACK LUNCH		

NONPUBLIC PARENT REIMBURSEMENT REQUEST FORM

Notice to Nonpublic Parents:

Iowa Code Section 285.1 requires public school districts to provide transportation services to resident nonpublic students that are entitled as per that section. How the transportation service will be provided is to be determined by the public school district. When funds are appropriated by the Iowa General Assembly **and** if your public school district has selected "Parent Reimbursement" as their transportation service type of choice **and** you meet the transportation entitlement policy provisions of the public school district in which you live **and** the nonpublic school being attended has been accredited by the Iowa Department of Education, you are entitled to parent reimbursement as per Iowa Code Sections 285.1, subparagraph 3 and 285.3.

(Iowa Code, Section 285.3) If your public school district selects the "Parent Reimbursement" option, it is your responsibility as the nonpublic parent or guardian to notify your resident public school district that you have children attending an accredited nonpublic school and its location.. In addition, specific information, as requested on this form, must be submitted by the nonpublic parent or guardian not later than **December 1st** (for first semester reimbursement) and **May 1st** (for second semester reimbursement), each year. Failure to submit this request by the above deadline each semester will result in the denial of the reimbursement request for the claim period.

NAME (Parent or Legal Guardian): _____

ADDRESS (of parent or legal guardian): _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

Is this the location (address) at which the nonpublic student(s) listed below now reside? [Circle one: **Yes** **No**]
(If "No", indicate beneath the name of each student listed below the address where each nonpublic student(s) lives.)

[Iowa Code, Section 285.1, subsection 3, limits the number of students that may be eligible for parent reimbursement to a maximum of three (3) elementary students and one (1) high school student per family.]

Name-Nonpublic <u>Elementary</u> Student(s) (Last, MI, First) (Maximum of 3 Elementary Students)	Age of Student	Grade Level (this year)	Name - Nonpublic School of Attendance	Distance between Std. Residence & Nonpublic School
1. Address:				Miles =
2. Address:				Miles =
3. Address:				Miles =

Name-Nonpublic <u>High School</u> Student (Last, MI, First) (Maximum of 1 High School)	Age of Student	Grade Level (this year)	Name - Nonpublic School of Attendance	Distance between Std. Residence & Nonpublic School
1. Address:				Miles =

I certify that the above information is accurate and that I am a parent or legal guardian of the above named nonpublic student(s). I also affirm that the nonpublic school(s) of attendance is/are accredited by the Iowa Department of Education.

Parent or Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

RETURN THIS FORM TO:
(Name and address of the resident public school district.)

For public school district use only:

Enter or Stamp Date Received Here:

Received by:



Coupon Book Fundraiser

Funds are going toward the St. Louis Trip for our current 6th and 7th graders.

Trip will occur in Spring of 2019.

Purchase a coupon book for \$10.

- * **\$7** profit for the students!
- * Purchaser spends \$50 in the store and receives a **\$5** gift card!
- *Fuel Saver Perk: spend \$50 and receive **\$0.25** cents off per gallon
- ***Lots** of other money saving coupons! Over \$100 value!

The coupon book is valid at all Cedar Rapids, Coralville, Iowa City and Marion Hy-Vee Food Stores and Drugstores. (19 locations in the corridor area + Hy-Vee gas stations)

How do I purchase one? Stop in the office or contact your local 6th or 7th CLS student

Make your check payable to *Central Lutheran School*.