

HERITAGE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

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*"Lead me in thy truth, and teach me: for thou art the God of my salvation; on thee do I wait all the day."
Psalm 25:5*

SONG OF THE WEEK

Psalter # 6B

*No longer, LORD, rebuke me,
Nor in Thy wrath chastise me.
Thy mercy I implore.
How long Thine anger cherish?
Consumed thereby I perish;
My soul is troubled sore.*

*The LORD will ever hear me,
And when I pray be near me,
To put my foes to shame;
Turned back, no more to grieve me,
They suddenly shall leave me.
All glory to His name!*

HOT LUNCH

October 10 – Arby's

Workers: Please be at school by 11 AM – Cori Peterson, Sherry Pipe, Lisa Potjer, Brenda Rau

October 29 – Marco's (Pizza Wednesday)

Workers: Please be at school by 11 AM – Jeanette and Faith Richards, Katharina Rosario

October 31 – Burger King

Workers: Please be at school by 11 AM – Jill Rus, Marie Schipper, Shauna Spriensma, Allison Spronk, Kelsi Start, Paula Steenwyk

MOMS IN PRAYER

Please join us on Monday from 8-8:30 AM for a time of prayer.
We were encouraged by those who came this week Monday and want to remind you
to come when it works! Make some of them or most of them; we'd love to
have you when you are able.

This coming week's attribute will be, **"God is Good."**
Please bring your Bible. Thanks!

"And all things, whatsoever ye shall ask in prayer, believing, ye shall receive." (Matthew 21:22)

UPCOMING EVENTS

October 16-17
**Teacher's Convention – no
school**

October 24
Grandparents Day – AM Only

November 5-6
**Parent Teacher Conferences
(1/2 days of school)**

November 20
All School Program

November 27-28
Thanksgiving Break

SPORTS SCHEDULES

All games begin at 4 PM unless
otherwise noted

8th Grade Volleyball

W 10/8 Tm1 vs Adams (H)
Th 10/9 Tm1 vs Jenison (H)
Th 10/9 Tm2 vs Moline (A)
T 10/14 Tm1 Vs Legacy (A)
T 10/14 Tm2 vs Jenison (H at
5:15)

7th Grade Volleyball

Th 10/9 Tm1 vs Dutton (A at 5:15)
Th 10/9 Tm2 vs Dutton (A at 5:15)
T 10/14 Tm1 vs Huds. Chr (H)
T 10/14 Tm2 vs Jenison Chr (A)

Boy's Soccer

Th 10/9 vs Hope (A)

SCHOOL NEWS

THANK YOU so much for the pop cans that you donated to Gerrard's wheel chair fund!! We were able to meet our goal of \$1,500! We appreciate your generosity!

Teachers convention: Just a few reminders about dropping things off. GIFT CARDS - need to be turned in by end of day Friday THIS WEEK. All other food donations need to be brought Tuesday afternoon or Wednesday morning next week. It is very important we have this done so we can start preparing for next week. Also - thank you to those who signed up to serve, however we could use a couple more! Please reach out to Laura lubbers (616-292-8029) with any questions.

We will have no school next week Thursday and Friday. Our teachers will be participating in the PRTI Teacher's Convention, hosted by us at Heritage. Prof. Griess will be giving the keynote speech on the convention's theme "Dwelling Together in Unity" from Ephesians 4:1-3.

LAST FEW DAYS TO SIGN UP!! The annual Heritage 3 on 3 Basketball tournament for grades 3-8 will be held on Saturday, November 8! Sign up at the following link: [HCS3on3 Sign Up](https://www.heritagepschool.com/forms/HCS3on3_Sign_Up) **Deadline to register is THIS SATURDAY, October 11th.** Registration is also available on the website at <https://www.heritagepschool.com/forms/>

Parent Teacher Conferences will be held on Wednesday, November 5 and Thursday, November 6. Both days will be half days of school. The window to schedule opens on October 20 at 6am and closes on October 31 at 11pm. The direct link for scheduling is: <https://pickatime.com/heritage%20christian>. If you need instructions you may go to our website, heritagepschool.com, to access the link. Click on Parent Teacher conferences under "For Parents". Additional reminders:

- All grades will schedule online.
- Conferences will be held in individual teacher's rooms. Cathy Kamps' conferences will be in the conference room across from her and Nicki Westra's classroom.

- Conferences for K-5th are 8 minutes each and 6th-8th are 5 minutes each. Please limit Junior High students to 2 teachers per student. If additional 6th – 8th grade appointments are needed please call or email your child's teacher.

There is a 2 minute break between conference times. When scheduling, please take into consideration the size of our school building. It might be wise to schedule your family's Jr High students and elementary students with extra time between wings.

THIS WEEK Friday, October 10, Covenant girls volleyball has a home game and we'd like to invite all the girls who play volleyball from your schools to come! There will be free admission for the girls.

Phone Number update: Alicia Gritters – Delete the number in the directory and replace with 616-365-5400.

Grandparents Day is scheduled for Friday, 10/ 24. Open house time to visit students will be from 8:15 - 11:30 AM. Coffee and goodies will be provided all morning long with the biggest selection in the small elementary gym. Parents, please provide your children's schedules to

their grandparents so they know where to go (schedules for 6-8 can be found on Gradelink)! **SPECIAL NOTE:** We understand that due to various reasons some students may not have grandparents able to come visit them. If this is the case, please feel free to invite a special guest on their behalf in order to have an enjoyable and special day for all! **Attention Moms:** We would love your help in making this a great morning for our guests and are asking for donations for coffee time. A list of what we are looking for can be found on Sign Up Genius: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040F4FAFAE29A5FB6-58884256-grandparents>

We have about 60 left!! Our 8th grade students are selling God's Creation 2026 calendars for \$10 each. They are available in either office. These are beautiful, heavy duty calendars, and would also make a nice Christmas gift.

AREA PR SCHOOLS

Redeemer Christian School's 8th grade class is raising money for their class trip. They are having a restaurant-style, 3-course lasagna dinner on November 14. Cost is \$30 per plate. Reservations will be required. Time and spots are limited! Call or text Megan Cnossen at 412-992-8278 to reserve.

CCHS Boys Basketball will again be offering the "Future Chargers" league for boys in grades 3rd-6th. The league is 5 weeks long and starts November 15 and runs through December 13. Additional details can be found in the link below. It's a fun way to develop basic basketball skills while working with the boys varsity players and coaches. Please use the link below to sign up and to get more information. Please sign up ASAP as there is limited space. **Deadline to register is October 18. Click on Link to sign up: [FUTURE CHARGERS SIGN UP](#)**

Adam's Boosters' Online Auction - Save the date November 6 & 7 to bid from the comfort of your home on the annual Boosters' Auction! The auction will be 100% online this year. There is something for everyone: get-a-ways, dinners, gift cards, food, power tools, kids toys, homemade goods, cards and more. Bidding will take place on [Miedema Charity Auctions Website](#) but you can also check out our Facebook page "Adams Christian School Boosters' Auction" to keep up to date on some fun items that will be available.

SAVE THE DATE for this year's Taste of Hope on Friday, November 21, 2025 from 6-8pm. Come to Hope School to enjoy an adult night featuring good food and fellowship. More details to come. Hope to see you there!

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

Borculo Christian School will be holding a Mom-2-Mom Sale & Bake Sale on Saturday, October 11, 2025 from 9 am - Noon in the school gym. BCS is located at 6830 96th Ave, Zeeland, MI 49464. If you are interested in being a seller or you have any questions, please contact BCS at bsclothingsale@borculochrschool.org. Hope to see you there!

Unity Young People's Russ' Pie Fundraiser: Get a jump on your pie ordering for the holidays and support our Young People and order some Russ' pies!! Most of the pies are only \$15! Please see the attached flyer for the flavors and prices. All orders and questions can be sent to unityprcyp@gmail.com. We accept Cash/Check or Venmo! All orders need to be turned in by October 28. Pick up will be on November 20th just in time for Thanksgiving!!! Thanks for supporting our Young People.

The Federation of Protestant Reformed School Societies is looking forward to offering the History & Principles of Reformed Education

course this year, taught by Prof. R. Dykstra, at the Protestant Reformed Seminary. The first class is scheduled for November 5, and each session lasts from 7:00-9:30 PM. Live-streaming will be available for those outside the West Michigan area. Here are the dates: Nov. 5 and 19, Dec. 3 and 17, Jan. 7 and 21, Feb. 4 and 18 (w/ possible adjustment for Prayer Day), Mar. 4 and 18, Apr. 1 and 15. This is not an academically rigorous class. There are some readings that the instructor assigns and which are discussed, but there are no extensive assignments in between classes. For more information and to register (the course is free), please go to www.prcs.org. [Enroll Now](#)