

The Talon

March 31, 2010

North Valley Christian Academy

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April Activities

Sunday Morning Worship Times

8:30 (Traditional)

9:00 (Contemporary)

10:30 (Contemporary)

Children's Praise on Sunday

9:00 and 10:30 a.m.

But thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Corinthians 15:57

We are in the middle of Holy Week, or Passion Week, and invite you to attend special worship services this week and weekend. Thursday is Maundy Thursday, where Jesus gave his disciples and us a new command to love others as He has loved us. He then displayed that love as He washed the disciples' feet. We celebrate Maundy Thursday by worshipping at 7:00 p.m. in the Commons.

Friday is known as Good Friday, remembering the day Jesus offered Himself as the sacrifice on the cross for our sins. We worship on Good Friday at 7:00 p.m. in the Commons.

Then on Sunday, April 4 we rejoice with Christians around the world on the best day of the year—Easter! Join us for Easter worship at 8:30, 9:00, and 10:30 a.m.

1. **Early Dismissal Thursday and No School on Friday.** Teachers have an after school meeting, so students will be dismissed at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 1. **We will have Extended Care open.** There is no school on Friday for Good Friday. Classes resume on Monday, April 5.
2. **Community Open House**—The final Community Open House is scheduled for Thursday, April 9 from 8:00-10:00 a.m. and 6:30-7:30 p.m. Invite people you know to the event.
3. Beginning April 1, **regular Registration fees** go into effect (an additional \$100 per student). Contact the school office for more information.
4. **Baskin Robbins Fund Raising Event**—Saturday, April 17, from 2:00-7:00 p.m. is a Baskin Robbins Fund Raising event for our playground. 20% of the proceeds go to the school. Families on the STAR program can get their gift cards and receive a 9% rebate.

We win! The victory is ours!
Thomas Geyer

Brief Notes

1. **STAR Program**—Since its inception in October families participating in the STAR Tuition Rebate program have earned upwards to \$5,500 in tuition rebates. In March, 21 families will receive a combined \$3,600 in tuition rebates. It's not too early to sign up. Contact Laura Novak for more information.
2. **Fry's Cool Cash Program** - Use your Fry's card and earn cash for the school. Fry's has a copy of the school's barcode at the Customer Service desk.
3. **Birthday Books**— Books are presented to a child honoring special events. A placard is placed inside the book with an inscription of the event and given after Wednesday chapel and donated to the school library. Cost to purchase a birthday book is \$20.00.
4. **Chapel is THURSDAY this Week**—We will worship in the Commons at 8:15 a.m. with the student body.
5. **Summer Camp Registration**— Plans are being made for Summer Camp. Brochures are available in the school office to learn more about the program. Check it out!

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**Our Mission is to Connect
People to Jesus!**

PRAYER REQUESTS

At Cross of Christ, we are a people of prayer. We follow the words of Scripture that say, *“Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.”* Philippians 4:6

Here are the prayers this week.

- More families would connect with Jesus through the ministry of the school.
- All the ladies who are carrying new life inside of them.
- Recovery to Paula Hess’s son, Kurt, from recent surgery
- Healing to Gerald Piette, Lauren and Alex’s grandfather, after recent surgery
- Jammie Shaughnessy—thanksgiving that that medication is successfully working and for continued strength and healing.
- Families struggling with health, financial, and marital issues.
- For all who are underemployed or unemployed and searching for suitable employment.
- That neighbors may know of the love of Jesus.

CALENDAR EVENTS

March 31	Last day of Early Registration for the 2010-11 school year
April 1	Maundy Thursday chapel at 8:15 a.m. Early Dismissal at 2:00 p.m. for teacher in-service—Extended Care is open Maundy Thursday worship at 7:00 p.m. in the Commons
April 2	Good Friday—NO SCHOOL Good Friday worship at 7:00 p.m. in Commons
April 4	HE IS RISEN! Easter worship at 8:30, 9:00, and 10:30 a.m.
April 5	After School Sports, grades 1-2
April 6	After School Sports, grades 3-5
April 7	Chapel at 8:15 a.m.
April 8	After School Sports, grades 3-5 Community Open House, 8:00-10:00 a.m. and 6:30-7:30 p.m.
April 9	After School Sports, grades 1-2