

May 22, 2023  
**Cornerstone**  
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# CONTACT



## Dates to remember this week:

**Mon:** Spring Membership meeting 8:00pm in the church

**Tues:** NWYVL Championship Night

6pm – 8th Grade vs JV Girls

7:15pm – Freshmen

**Friday:** Sports Day

## School Theme: 'Flourishing In Christ'

Welcome back!

This week we congratulate James V & Mr. Houweling with their birthdays. They will both celebrate on Sunday! Happy Birthday to you both, and we hope you enjoy your special day!

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Malachi 4: 2,3

"But for you who fear my name, the sun of righteousness shall rise with healing in its wings. You shall go out leaping like calves from the stall. And you shall tread down the wicked, for they will be ashes under the soles of your feet, on the day when I act, says the LORD of hosts.."

This is the final chapter of the entire old testament, and it brings us back to the example of "this way" or "that". God's way or the way of the evil doers. This text highlights the way to flourish and then we can leap and 'rise with healing in our wings!'"

May God cause us to flourish!

### Memory Work

**Grade 1-6:**

Bible Text:

Matt 5: 14-16

**Grade 7:** Eccl. 12:13-14

**Grade 8:** Eccl. 12:13-14

### Memory Work for next week

Done for the year 😊

**TTC Driving****Freshman Carpool:**

Monday – Christine H &amp; Kari V

Wednesday–Ang D &amp; Kelli K

**Sophomore Carpool:****Thurs: To** Karen D **& From:** Bea K**Fri: To & From:** No School**Next Week TTC Driving****Freshman Carpool:**

Monday – No School

Wednesday–Kaylene H &amp; Katrina L

**Sophomore Carpool:****Thurs: To** Kathleen S & Bea K**Fri: To & From:** Rachel D**Cornerstone Christian School****8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation****Friday, June 2nd, 2023, 7:30pm**You are invited to the 8<sup>th</sup> grade graduation.

The evening will begin at 7:30pm in the school gym

There will be an opportunity to congratulate the students and enjoy cake and refreshments after the ceremony.

**Cornerstone Christian School Class Of 2023**

We, the 2023 graduating class of Cornerstone Christian School, invite you to our graduation ceremony.

It will be held on Friday, June 9th, 2023 @ 7:45pm in the American Reformed Church in Lynden, WA

There will be refreshments served after the ceremony in the school gym.

**Graduating Students:**

Jaclyn Brown

Blake DeMooy

Kyleigh DeMooy

Seth Kleyn

Courtney Kuiper

Lincoln VanDiest

Tyler VanDriel

Katelyn Veldman

Zander Veldman

Megan Vreugdenhil

**General News****Upcoming Dates:**

May 26 – Sports Day

May 29 – Memorial Day

June 2 – 8th Gr Graduation

June 9 – Senior Graduation

**From The Cleaning Lady****Lisa Pelleboer****Email:** [hlpelleboer@gmail.com](mailto:hlpelleboer@gmail.com)**Cell:** (360) 318-0236**This Week's Cleaners (May 22– May 26)**

Katrina L, Alyssa B, Jolene Vr, Stephanie B

**Next Week Cleaners (May 29 - June 2)**

Kelli K, Leshia K, Janice De. Andrea B

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# Grade 1/2

## ~~ Note from Mrs. Kruyswijk ~~

We have less than 14 days to enjoy our time together in grade 1&2! The young years are such a special time of learning and growing. It's fun to think about the memories we've shared and the opportunities we have been blessed with as a class and school. I encourage everyone to press on and enjoy each day and be thankful for the opportunities the Lord gives us in our last weeks together.

I am thankful for the cooler temperatures this week. Last week we endured the heat with lots of water drinks and restroom breaks in the middle of our learning.

We have a mini field trip planned for Tuesday, May 23. Drivers, plan on departing from school at 8:45 or a few min. after. We'll go to Tri-Van Auto Body for a tour and Berthusnen Park for games, a nature walk, and lunch. We'll be back at school by 1:00 for art and music. Thank you to many volunteers for making this possible! Kids should take their own lunch. A snack and a cold drink will be provided. Tri-Van asks us to make sure we all wear close-toed shoes for the tour.

### **BIBLE**

M - Acts 14 - Why People Thought Paul was God

T - Acts 15, 16 - A New Journey

W - Acts 16 - A Fortune-Teller

T - Acts 16 - The Jailor Who Believed

### **MATH 1**

Patterns in addition and subtraction. Story problems

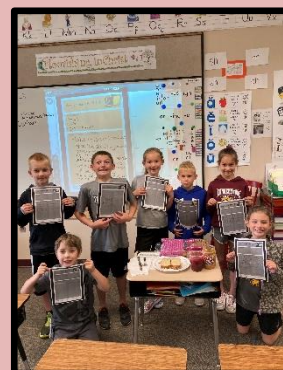
### **MATH 2**

Multiplication 3s and 4s. Story problems with 2 steps.

Aims web test on Thursday. Take your own headphones if you like.

**MAPS 2** - We hope to hang up our state report posters in the hall on Thursday. Come take a look!

**HISTORY** - Students have a historical person to learn about for a living museum being held the last week of school. Ask your child who their person is! Questions and answers to review for the museum event will be going home later.



## ~~ Note from Mrs. Kooiker ~~

We completed a warm week of school last week and are on the home stretch of this school year! The students are progressing so well in reading and spelling and I'm thankful for your diligent work at home in practicing these skills. With Sports Day planned for Friday, we will plan on taking our spelling tests on Thursday.

### **1st Grade:**

**VoWac Phonics:** Lessons 140, end of unit test, (syllable division and review)

**Spelling:** does, couch, mouth, pout, their, ouch, mouse, trout, grouch, south, ground, blouse

**Stories:** "A Home for a Bunny"

**Vocabulary, Grammar, Usage, Mechanics:** nouns, verbs, adjectives

**Writing:** letter writing

### **2nd Grade:**

**VoWac Phonics:** Lessons 218 -221, (suffixes and soft c)

**Spelling List 1:** often, thrown, shadow, fourteen, rainbow, court, grown, push, follow, almost, yourself, fourth, pull, course

**Spelling List A:** own, thrown, grown, push, pull, were, does, are

**Stories:** "A Place Called Freedom"

**Vocab:** Words from "A Place Called Freedom"

**Grammar, Usage, Mechanics:** review

**Writing:** poetry, letter writing

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# Grade 3/4

## ~~ Note from Miss Kingma ~~

We are still looking for one more driver for our field trip this Thursday, May 25th. Please let me know asap if you are interested. Thanks!

**Bible** ( $\frac{3}{4}$ ): Church History unit on Klaas Schielder and John Hus

### **Math**(3):

Mon: write hundredths using common and decimal fractions

Tues: divide a two-digit number by a one-digit number with a remainder

Wed: simplify expressions with addition, subtraction, multiplication and division

### **Language Arts** (3):

**Spelling:** latin roots

**Reading:** *Just Plain Fancy*

**Writing:** letters

**Grammar:** abbreviations

**History** ( $\frac{3}{4}$ ): Split of the Roman Empire

**PE** ( $\frac{3}{4}$ ): Tuesday



## ~~ Note from Mrs. Tiemeyer ~~

We have a very short week this week. Today is our final Aimsweb test. Thursday we have a field trip and Friday is Sports day.

**Story:** The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe

**Comprehension:** Words and phrases from the story

**Vocabulary:** Words from the story

**G.U.M:** Review

Have a great week!

## ~~ Note from Mr. Houweling ~~

### **Grade 4 Mathematics**

The warmer weather of this past week has caused some students to begin checking out! Please remind your child that we must finish the year strong!

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
L118:1-15	L118:16-30	L119:1-15	L119:16-30	Sports Day

Regards,  
S Houweling

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# Grade 5/6

## ~~ Note from Mrs. Van Hofwegen ~~

I hope everyone had a nice weekend! I can't believe how fast this year has gone by. This Friday is Sport's Day. Students need to make sure they bring a water bottle, dress appropriately and wear athletic shoes. We want to thank all our volunteers who help our class. This week students will be testing with AIMS Web.

Thank you for marking math, helping teach math, marking writing, and helping with other class activities. We really appreciate you! We couldn't do it without you!

For reading, this will be our last week for students to take ACC tests. Some students haven't been keeping up with their ACC tests. In math, students need to make sure they are working carefully and complete all their corrections. Have a great week!

### Monday

- Memory Work: 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Matt. 5:14-16
- Devotions: Lily
- Bible: Rebuilding the Walls
- Math: Lesson 117
- Reading: Literature Circles
- Writing: 6 Traits
- PE
- Science:

### Tuesday

- Devotions: Cassie
- Bible: Injustice in Jerusalem
- Math: Lesson 117
- Reading: Literature Circles
- Writing: 6 Traits
- Grammar: Worksheet 22
- Geography: A City Map
- Art: Watercolor Barn

### Wednesday

- Devotions: Taleesha
- Bible: False Rumors in Jerusalem
- Math: Lesson 118
- Library
- Reading: Literature Circles
- Writing: 6 Traits
- History:

### Thursday

- Devotions: Kaitlyn
- Bible: False Rumor in Jerusalem
- Math: Lesson 118
- Library
- Reading: Read your own book
- Writing: 6 Traits
- Science: Inventions
- Music: (1) Alto Recorder focus #1 - practice duet that they chose last class. (2) Alto Recorder focus #2 - When the Saints Go Marching In - up to bar 31. (3) Alto Recorder review: Scale pg A & B; p. 35-40 (esp. Shepherd's Song on p. 36). (3) Theory Booklet: Rhythm & Note Values p. 1- 22. \* Looking ahead: Our last listening links of the year will be coming home this week. \* Please remind your child to pack their alto recorder, red recorder folder and theory booklet on Wednesday night, so they bring it all to school on Thursday. ~ Mrs. Kottelenberg

### Friday Sport's Day



# Grade 7/8

## ~~ Note from Mr. Houweling ~~

It was exciting to receive personalized videos from Pastor Jon Chase on the Mission Field in Brazil, in response to each group's questions. After some lessons on Mission Work, the students worked in groups of three to consider pertinent questions to ask Pastor Jon Chase about his work on the Mission Field. Technology is such a blessing that after collating all the questions and sending them to him, each group had a video response Wednesday morning. Doing the math, students worked out that Pastor Jon had carved out more than an hour to respond to everyone's questions: WOW! And we all know how much time it takes to make a short video! May the Lord bless and prosper the work of Pastor Chase, his wife and family, and all missionaries. Come Lord Jesus, Maranatha.

The picture displayed here is Mrs Hensen sitting at a student's desk. Her labor of love is truly appreciated, please join me in thanking her the next time you bump into her! :)

This Friday is Sports Day! We're thankful for a favorable forecast. May we all have a blessed day.

Here are some noteworthy things for the week ahead:

### Memory Verse

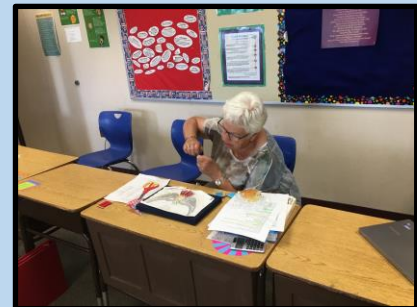
- Due this **Thursday**: Ps 94:1(7) & Ps 126:1 (8)
- Due next week Friday: Ecclesiastes 12:13-14

### Bronze Bow reading and assignment schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Complete reading Chapters 16-18	<b>Chapter assignment 16-18</b>	Read chapters 19-21	<b>Chapter assignment 19-21</b>	Read chapters 22-24

### Bible Discussion Schedule

Date	Topic	Essay	Leader
2nd June	<b>Acts 7 The old covenant people once more reject Christ</b>		
	Verses 1-25	Fei	Kyle
	Verses 26-50	Dylan	
	Verses 51-60	Kayleigh	



### Everyday:

- Read Bronze Bow chapters and complete chapter assignment work
- Work on Bible essay
- Math corrections and completion of lesson work
- Spelling assignment work.

### Church History Lessons this week:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Mission Work	Sects: Mormons and Jehovah Witnesses	Sects: Mormons and Jehovah Witnesses	Sects: Seventh Day adventists & Christian Science
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>we now have a growing number of mission "fields" where faithful laborers are sowing the seed</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What is a sect?</li> <li>Who was Pelagius?</li> <li>What did Joseph Smith Claim?</li> <li>What books do the Mormons use in addition to the Bible?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In class assignment</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What do Seventh Day adventists believe?</li> <li>How large is this sect?</li> <li>What does the sect of Christian Science believe?</li> <li>How large is this sect?</li> </ul>

### 7/8 Mathematics:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
L119:11-20	L120:1-10	L120:11-20	Test 23	Sports Day

### Devotions this week:

**Monday**, Mya, **Tues**: Cody, **Wed**: Wade, **Thurs**: Trevyn

### Devotions next week:

**Monday**, Dylan, **Tues**: Carson, **Wed**: Jessie, **Thurs**: Zach, **Fri**: Casey

**Point to ponder**: "Would we know that the major chords were sweet, if there were no minor key? Would the painter's work be fair to our eyes, without shade on land or sea? Would we know the meaning of happiness? Would we feel that the day was bright, if we'd never known what it was to grieve, nor gazed on the dark of night" –Streams in the desert. A daily devotional.