#### Timothy Christian School

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#### Special Dates:

Sept 25: Immunization Audit by Grundy County Public Health Sept 25: Return Grandparents/Special Person Information Form Sept 27: See You at the Pole Sept 29: Maripili Hassman, School Counselor, at School Sept 29: JH Soccer Tournament in Hollandale, MN Oct 2: Parent-Teacher Conference Form Due to the Office Oct 4: Early Dismissal at 1:15 PM Oct 5-6: No School - Heartland Christian Educators Convention Oct 9: No School - Teacher In-Service Oct 10: Additional Kindergarten Day Oct 10: Kindergarten-2nd Field Trip to historic Wells Hotel in Wellsburg Oct 10: Picture Order Forms Due to Diane in the Office Oct 10: School Board Meeting at 6 PM Oct 13: All Safety Drills Run Through Oct 13: Maripili Hassman, School Counselor, at School Oct 13: Timothy Moms Pray Oct 19: Timothy Moms Pray: Fall Get-Together Oct 20: End of 1st Quarter Oct 24: Additional Kindergarten Day Oct 24: NO Early Out - Parent-Teacher Conferences Scheduled for After School

Oct 26: Early Dismissal at 1:15 PM for Parent-Teacher Conferences

Hot Lunch Servers: Staff/Guests: \$4.84, K-3: \$2.40, 4-8: \$2.50, Reduced: 40¢, extra milk: 30¢ Servers, please arrive no later than 11:20 AM. Mon, Sept 25: BAKKER - Tues, Sept 26: WIERS - Wed, Sept 27: VARNUM, Thurs, Sept 28: HELMKE, Fri, Sept 29: TOOL

### Announcements & News:

**Parent-Teacher Conferences Form:** Parent-Teacher conferences have been changed to a two-day format; **Tuesday, October 24, and Thursday, October 26,** are the dates. Classes will be dismissed on Tuesday, October 24, at the regular time and conferences will be held from 3:20-7 PM. Classes will be dismissed at 1:15 PM on Thursday, October 26, and conferences will be held from 1:20-5 PM. Please complete the form in today's packet and **return it no later than Monday, October 2**. These forms will be used to determine when your conferences will be scheduled. There will be no school on Friday, October 27.

See You at the Pole: Family and friends are invited to join us by the flagpole at 8:30 AM on Wednesday, September 27, to pray. See You at the Pole is designated as a morning to gather and pray for our schools, families, neighbors, churches, governments, communities, and nations. Students all over the United States will be praying that morning. What a thrill to think about being a part of the thousands of prayers being lifted up to our God!

School Pictures: Voss Studio already has the picture proofs ready to view! They are in today's packet. If you want to order, please return the completed order form with payment to Diane in the office by **Tuesday, October 10.** 

Midterm: Midterm grades for 3rd-8th students are in today's packet.

October Lunch Calendar: Please look in your packet for the October lunch calendar.

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Junior High Calendar Sales: JH parents, next week your students will be sent home with 2024 God's Creation Scripture calendars to sell for \$10 each. The students will be responsible for selling all these calendars to fund their trip to Village Creek Bible Camp in May. And, if they get them all sold and the money turned in to Diane by Monday, December 11, they will earn a PIZZA PARTY on Friday, December 15!!

**Kindergarten-2nd Field Trip:** Ms. Janssen and Mrs. Bader plan to bring students to the Wells Hotel in Wellsburg on **Tuesday, October 10**. The plan is to leave school at 10:05 AM and return to school in time for the students' lunchtime. They have enough drivers. Thank you!

Junior High Soccer Tournament: On Friday, September 29, the 7th and 8th grade students will be traveling to Hollandale Christian School in Minnesota to participate in a soccer tournament. Our game schedule is 10:15 AM TC vs. St. Paul's Lutheran, 11 AM TC vs. North Iowa Christian, and 1:15 PM TC vs. Hollandale Christian.

**Players:** Players need to bring money for concessions/lunch, water bottle, layers of clothes appropriate for the weather, shin guards (if have their own), and soccer or tennis shoes.

**Drivers Needed:** If you are willing to drive some of the team members and equipment, please let Diane know. Thank you Grace Varnum for volunteering to drive so far!

**Cheer on the Tigers!:** Family and friends are welcome to come and cheer on the team. Bring lawn chairs and blankets for seating. There is a concession stand available.

Save the Date! Timothy Moms Pray: Fall Get-Together: All TC Ladies are invited for a Get-Together on Thursday, October 19th at 6:30 PM at The Peppercorn Pantry in Aplington. Plan for a night out of fun with friends, succulent class, charcuterie, and apple cider. \$20/per person. Watch for more information on the Timothy Moms Pray Facebook page.

#### Dale Akkerman, Development Director:

In today's packet, every family has 2 copies of the Fall Harvest Fundraiser flyer. Please hang these at local establishments or share them with a farmer or landlord to help spread the word. Please pray for safety as our area farmers harvest and travel the roads with large equipment.

#### Chapel and Memory Work:

This Week's Chapel: THANK YOU to Pastor Chuck Hartman of the Honey Creek Friends Church of New Providence for sharing his message through his adorable skunk puppet named Willow. Just like Willow who cannot just "show up" at school and be ready for the test, we cannot just "show up" in life. We need to follow God's commands in Mark 12:30-31a to actively love the Lord with ALL your heart, soul, and mind; also, love your neighbor as yourself. Please check out our Facebook page for pictures and a video.

**Next Week's Chapel:** We look forward to having Pastor Bryce Roskens from Steamboat Rock Baptist Church speak at Chapel next week. TC families and friends are always invited to stay for Chapel.

#### Memory Work: September 18-29:

Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.' The second is this: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.' - Mark 12:30-31a



## TC Parents and supporters, join us at 8:30 AM around the flagpole on Wednesday to pray!

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