

The Friday Bulletin – Friday, May 16, 2025



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Special Dates:

May 19-20: Junior High to Village Creek Bible Camp
May 21: All-School Field Trip to Fossil & Prairie Park Preserve
May 22: 8th Grade Graduation at 7 PM - First Christian Reformed Church
May 23: Sports Day and Last Day of School - Early Dismissal at 12:15 PM

ENJOY SUMMER BREAK!

May 28: Planning and Promotions Meeting at 4:30 PM
May 28: Society Meeting at 6:30 PM
June 3: Aplington Parade
June 7: Ackley Parade
June 10: Wellsburg Parade
June 30: ESA Application due by 11:59 PM
July 12: Grundy Center Parade
July 14-18: Music and Art Jamboree
July 16: Eldora Parade
August 2: Parkersburg Parade
August 9: Dike Parade



Hot Lunch Servers: Staff/Guests: \$4.70, K-3: \$2.40, 4-8: \$2.50, Reduced: 40¢, extra milk: 30¢
Mon, May 19: **YOUNG** - Tues, May 20: **ANNA DOOLAARD** - Wed, May 21: **Field Trip** -
Thurs, May 22: **BAKKER** - Fri, May 23: **Green Belt Insurance Services Meal**

Announcements & News:

BLESSINGS: As we wrap up the school year, we reflect on all the ways the Lord has blessed our school and community. We are grateful for the outpouring of service and love the Worries family and Mr. Akkerman have invested into TC. Separate farewell celebrations are in the works for each at later dates. Be sure to thank them as our school year comes to a close and they follow God's calling. Later in the summer, the Worries family will be moving to Indiana. Their new address will be: 9951 W 1200 N, DeMotte, IN 46310.

Fossil & Prairie Park: Wednesday, May 21. Don't forget your lunch and drink if you signed up to do that! The list was emailed earlier this week as a reminder.

8th Grade Graduation: Thursday, May 22 at 7 PM

Graduates: We want to give an early CONGRATULATIONS to our 8th grade graduates: Liz Meester, Emaleigh Onken, Owen Price, Austin Smith, Marshall Tripp, Wilson Varnum, Charlie Wessels, and Ainsley Worries. We pray you move forward through high school with a strong foundation in God's word and trust in His power.

Cake: Everyone, please join us to CELEBRATE with cake and drink in the fellowship hall!

Important Information: Please refer to the email sent by Mrs. Wessels!

All TC students are expected to sing at the 8th grade graduation taking place at the First Christian Reformed Church west of the school. Please have your student in their designated Sunday school classroom by 6:50 PM. Parents, save room for the students you bring in your pew. Once they are done performing, they will join you and be under your supervision. We kindly ask that students **do not run inside or outside** the building. Running outside often brings in grass and mud, and we want to keep the church clean and respectful for all. Please keep tabs on your children throughout the evening to ensure they are being respectful in the building we use.

1 John 2:17 "The world and its desires pass away, but whoever does the will of God lives forever."

JH Softball Tournament: The TC Tigers had a beautiful day to play softball in Latimer last Friday. They won 2 and lost 1. Way to go! Thank you to Pastor Joel Worries, head coach, Amy Price, assistant coach, and Marissa Wessels, driver, for making this fun day possible!

Village Creek: The 7th and 8th grade students will travel to Village Creek Bible Camp near Lansing on **Monday, May 19 and Tuesday, May 20**. Please pray for safe travels and a fulfilling time together. Thank you to Pastor Joel and Kayla Worries for chaperoning and driving.

Last Day of School: Our last day of school is also our sports day. Families, bring a lawn chair or blanket to watch the activities. Students need to wear tennis shoes. Do not wear flip-flops, sandals, or boots. School will be dismissed at 12:15 PM.

Music and Art Jamboree: Today's packet contains registration forms for the jamboree held at Timothy Christian from July 14-18, 9 AM-noon. Please share this information with your friends and family. Contact Marissa Wessels or Kayla Worries with questions.

Society Meeting: Please plan on attending the Society Meeting on **Wednesday, May 28 at 6:30 PM**. Families can pick up their packet with class composite pictures, class supply lists for next year, 2025-2026 school calendars, and more. At least one parent from each TC family is expected to attend. Dues are \$10 per person per school year and can be paid at the meeting. Please bring the exact amount. If you paid at the January meeting, you do not pay the dues again this school year. An agenda is in today's packet.

Outgrown TC Clothes: Are you Spring cleaning and discovering you have gently used TC clothing that you or your kids no longer wear? Please drop them off in the office with Diane by the end of the school year. Diane will have a table set out at the Society Meeting for families to take items they can use. We have great TC clothing, let's keep wearing it!

Summer Parade Candy: Mr. Akkerman is requesting families donate Tootsie Rolls and Fruities. These bags of candies can be brought to Mr. Akkerman any time or conveniently brought to the Society Meeting on Wednesday, May 28. The large bags from Walmart and Sam's Club work great!

Lawn Mowing: It is looking great! Thank you to those who have mowed already. The Van Zoest family is up next to mow.

Questions?: Contact Mr. Akkerman or Diane Haupt

Hire Mowers: Charlie Wessels (319-464-0193) and Owen Price (319-427-1081) are willing to be hired throughout the season. The going rate is \$60. **You pay them directly; TC does not.**

Library Items: All library items must be returned by the end of the school year.

Last Friday Bulletin & Packet: Today's Friday Bulletin and yellow packet are the last being sent home for the school year. You do NOT need to keep the old yellow packet. New ones will be given out in August.

Chapel and Memory Work:

Today's Chapel: The students gathered in their TIGER Groups for discussion today.

Next Week: This will be our last day of school! Mr. Hoelscher will lead a Chapel before all of the sports day activities begin.

Memory Work: May 19-23:

"But you must continue to believe this truth and stand firmly in it. Don't drift away from the assurance you received when you heard the Good News." - Colossians 1:23a

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