



NEWS & NOTES



Sunday, February 16, 2020

New Life Christian Reformed Church, Highland, Indiana

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OUR LOVE INC HEALTHCARE KITS supply is in need of more regular size toothpaste. Please place your donations in the cabinet in the west hall, across from the Council room.

JAIL LETTER WRITING: Cards are now available in front of the church office. We encourage you to pick one up & sent it to an inmate this week: Allan Blackman, XB-430, Lake County Jail, 2293 N. Main Street, Crown Point, IN 46307; Fred Greene, XA-347 (same address). ***Please note that envelopes must be white and no glitter on cards. Thank you!***

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASS OFFERS HOPE & HEALING PROGRAM: Are you able to identify with depression, miscarriage, regret, abortion, divorce, abuse, loneliness, low self-worth, or loss of a loved one? You are not alone. There is a time for hope and healing. PASS is offering small group sessions for any man or woman who is struggling with unspoken or unresolved hurt. The 12-week group session will be held **February 3-April 27**. If interested in attending, please contact Susan Wilson, PASS Director of Operations, at susan@passhelps.org or 708-614-9777 ext. 120.

HIGHLAND CHRISTIAN PARENT PREVIEW DAY will be held on **Friday, February 21, 1:30-3:00 p.m.** While spiritual nurture begins at home, schooling is one of the top three influences in a child's developing belief structure. Come see how Highland Christian School partners with Christian parents to support their child's academic and spiritual growth at our **Parent Preview Event**. During this event you will see classrooms in action, tour our campus and learn more about the exciting journey that awaits your child at Highland Christian School. A second event will be held on **March 13, 1:30-3:00 p.m.** Please RSVP with Jodi Lineburg at (219) 838-0356 x165 or jlineburg@highlandchristian.org.

CROWN POINT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL invites you to join us at the annual CPCS Auction on **Saturday, February 29 from 4:00-10:00 p.m.** in the school gymnasium. Come and check out the great items which will be up for bid that evening and enjoy the fun fellowship while supporting Christian education.

OUR CALENDAR

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17
7:00 PM-WORSHIP COMMITTEE

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18
6:00 AM-MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
9:45 AM-COFFEE BREAK
6:30 PM-HANDBELL REHEARSAL
7:00 PM-COFFEE BREAK
7:30 PM-CHOIR REHEARSAL

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19
9:30 AM-WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY#10
7:00 PM-COUNCIL MEETING

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20
9:15 AM-PRECEPTS
6:30 PM-PRECEPTS (MEN)
7:00 PM-PRECEPTS (WOMEN)

JAIL MINISTRY: Mon.-Thurs.-7 PM

STUDENT MINISTRIES

Junior High Student Ministries:

- We will be meeting **every Monday from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.** at Faith-Highland.

Senior High Student Ministries:

- We will be meeting **every Sunday from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.** at Faith-Highland.

- **Please note there will not be meetings held on Sunday, March 1 and Monday, March 2 due to the Springhill Winter Retreat.**

CROWN POINT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL invites families to join us on **Monday, March 2 at 6:30 p.m.** for our PreK through 5th grade preview night. This will be an exciting evening for parents & prospective students to learn about and experience CPCS. We will have giveaways for each family attending. Pre-registration is available at www.crownpointchristian.org.

HIGHLAND CHRISTIAN SCHOOL'S PTO invites you to a "**Little Italy**" catered dinner on **Tuesday, March 3, from 5:00-7:00 p.m.** Free-will donations will be taken at the door. Proceeds will be used to purchase "School Safety Emergency Go Bags" for each classroom and school mascot. We'll see you there!

PREVIEW ILLIANA CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL: (OPEN HOUSE FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS AND THEIR PARENTS). Discover what Illiana Christian has to offer at Preview Illiana on **Tuesday, March 3 at 7:00 p.m.** Parents and students interested in learning more about Illiana are welcome. Meet with faculty and administration, tour the campus, attend informative sessions, and have all of your questions answered about Illiana. No pre-registration necessary. Call Director of Admissions, Marie Limback, at (219) 558-7066 ext. 49 for more information.

HCS KINDERGARTEN READINESS DAY: Is your child a soon to be "Husky Pup"? Highland Christian School invites prospective kindergarten students for **Kindergarten Readiness Day on Wednesday, March 11.** This screening provides parents with helpful information regarding their child's preparedness for school and is a required step in our application process. Register online at (www.highlandchristian.org) or by calling the Office at (219) 838-0356.

GROUNDWORK: JESUS PREACHED - When Jesus preached, crowds gathered. Study Matthew 4:12, 17 and Luke 4:16-30 with Groundwork to help us better understand what preaching is and what preaching isn't and to hear for ourselves Jesus Christ's imperative and compelling message about the kingdom of God. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

NEXT SUNDAY, February 23, 2020

MORNING WORSHIP: "Peace and a Sword"; Matthew 10:32-39
Offering: Women's Center of Northwest Indiana

EVENING SERVICE: "Dividing the Land"; Joshua 13-22

GREETERS: 9:30 AM—T.J. & Bree Ooms/Bob & Sheila Wadkins
NURSERY: 9:30 AM—Shelly Ketelaar/Makayla Hoeksema
AM & PM SOUND OPERATOR: Brad Gossman/Jamie Kostelyk
AM POWER POINT OPERATOR: Hallie Hofstra
WELCOME CENTER: Christina Eingenburg
ROVING ELDER: Mark Hoeksema
COFFEE & COOKIE SERVERS: John & Jill Boender

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Pearl Adams
A.J. Boender
Kathy Boender
Sandy Corder
Jean Davids
Corrine DeYoung
Keira Fennema
Macy Glemby
Marilyn Gossman
Bob & Irene Huizenga
Lois Johnston
Gelda Klooster
Sam Kooistra
Cindy Kuiper
Millie Meekma
Bob Moes
Ed Rudenga
Sissy Siersema
Roy Smith
Marilyn Sodo
Coralee VanAmstel
Joey VanEck
Nola Witvliet

If you have a name that should be included or you would like your name removed, please contact the church office (838-0506).

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