

ROYALS HOPE WEEKLY

SEPTEMBER 8, 2025

LOWER SCHOOL CHAPEL (K-6)

Today during chapel, Mr. Del Padre talked to the students about Patriot Day, and the significance and impact of this holiday. Mr. Del Padre explained how many lost their lives during this terrible attack on America, and how many people showed their compassion and bravery to help those around them, thus being examples of true patriots. He then talked about David, and how he was not fearful in facing battles. The Lord was on His side and helped make a way for him in many different life situations. Mr. Del Padre referenced a passages in the Psalms, which David wrote.

UPPER SCHOOL CHAPEL (7-12)

Today the upper school chapel revisited what a Biblical worldview is (Creation, Fall, Redemption, and Consummation) and by reviewing Bible verses that are essential to the basics of that world view. We focused our attention on the Lordship of Christ and seeking to live out that commitment in every area of life.

"For this reason also, God highly exalted Him, and bestowed on Him the name which is above every name, ¹⁰so that at the name of Jesus every knee will bow, of those who are in heaven and on earth and under the earth, ¹¹and that every tongue will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father."-Philippians 2:9-11

MID-WEEK CONVOCATION

We will be starting our weekly mid-week convocation this Wednesday. Convocation will be held each Wednesday starting at 8:15 a.m. Students will gather in the foyer and the balcony to sing, pray, and more. Parents are welcome and encouraged to join for this brief time of community at Hope Christian Academy.



HOT LUNCH MENU

WEDNESDAY

Crescent Dogs
French Fries
Carrots/Pickles
Oranges
Sugar Cookie Bars

THURSDAY

Tator Tot Casserole
Green Beans
Pears
Butter Bread
Scotcheroos

MAKING PUMPKIN ROLLS - PLEASE HELP

We need help **this Friday, September 12**, to make pumpkin rolls for Hope Christian Academy's Pumpkins in the Patch. We will meet at 8:00 am at HCA and be done before lunchtime. **Please contact the school office to let us know if you are able to help.** Childcare will be provided!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sept 12	Pumpkin Roll Mini Bake Day
Sept 20	Hope Fore Tomorrow Golf Scramble
Sept 22-26	Spirit Week
Sept 24	Jog-A-Thon Early Release @ 1:30 p.m.
Oct 1	Picture Day
Oct 2	First Quarter Mid-Term
Oct 3-4	Pumpkins in the Patch



CLASSICAL CORNER

What is Classical Education?

Classical education is a tradition we've received that is the liberal arts, the natural sciences, and the great books- the archive of wisdom, of the best ideas collected and preserved by humanity; the good, the true, and the beautiful from wherever we've been able to collect them and harmonize them under the lordship of Christ and scripture.

-taken from Christopher Perrin



JOG-A-THON

Our biggest fundraiser of the year is Jog-A-Thon and will be held Wednesday, September 24 at the Biesiot Activities Center (BAC). Students should be gathering pledges from family, friends, and neighbors on their green pledge sheets. Our goal for this year is \$80,000! We need all students from preschool to grade 12 working towards this attainable goal.

If each HCA student raises \$480.00 = \$80,000 If each HCA student raises \$565.00 = \$95,000

Remember students need to bring their **green pledge sheets this Thursday** so we can see where we are in attaining the goal!

Student goal this week is **12 or more pledges with amounts** on pledge sheets.

WANTED - LAP COUNTERS

Lap counters are needed for the upcoming Jog-A-Thon. Volunteers can be parents, grandparents, friends, staff, and even HCA alumni. The more volunteers the better! If you are able to be a valuable part of this major fundraiser, please contact Mrs. Dazell at debbie.dazell@hcadickinson.org.

YEARBOOKS AVAILABLE

We have the new 2024-2025 yearbooks available for \$25. There are also yearbooks from 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 available for \$20.

Please stop by the HCA office if you would like a yearbook!



CANDY DONATIONS & POSTER DELIVERY

We are looking for candy donations for Pumpkins in the Patch. If you are interested in donating candy, please put your donation in the large black trash can located by the school office. We are also in need of individuals to deliver posters to local businesses. Please contact the school office if you would like to help with poster delivery.

PUMPKINS IN THE PATCH VOLUNTEER LINK

We are in need of many volunteers for the 12th Annual Pumpkins in the Patch. Please use the QR code or the link to sign-up for your preferred shift and activity. Link is:

<https://m.signupgenius.com/#!/showSignUp/30E0A49A5AA2BA4F58-58086126-pumpkins>



PAPA JOHN'S SUPPORTS HCA

If you order regular priced menu items online at papajohns.com and use promo code HCA30 you will receive 30% off your entire ONLINE order at menu price. Hope Christian Academy will receive 10% of all sales when this promo code is used. Use the code as often as you would like to support HCA! Spread the word to family and friends.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- The individuals in positions of leadership in our country.
- HCA's upcoming fall fundraisers.
- Our students as we begin MAP testing this week.

PRAISE GOD FOR:

- The warm weather that is still lingering.
- The freedom to worship God freely at our school.
- The beauty of fall, a gift from our wonderful Creator!

