

ROYALS HOPE WEEKLY

JANUARY 12, 2026

LOWER SCHOOL CHAPEL (K-6)

Today in lower school chapel, the sixth graders performed skits and scripture passages to give a clear picture of what having humility looks like and why it is important. As they performed, the lower school students identified the aspects of humility. The following definition of humility was shared: "a true view of yourself before God, acknowledging your dependence on God and focusing on others' needs more than your own." They explained that while it is important to be humble, we can only have humility by God's grace and through looking to Christ. We can look to Christ through reading the Bible, prayer, singing, and worshiping Him. The more we look at Jesus, the less we will look around to see if others are looking at us. The sixth graders closed chapel by sharing one way they can be humble and one verse that reminds them to have humility. May we all have a heart of humility.



UPPER SCHOOL CHAPEL (7-12)

Today in upper school chapel, the students had their final practice chapel sharing gospel presentations with their classmates.

PIZZA RANCH FUNDRAISER - **NEXT MONDAY**

Take a night off from cooking after the long weekend by going to **Pizza Ranch from 5-8 p.m. next Monday, January 19**. Be sure to mention you are there for the fundraiser when you purchase your food. Hope to see you there! A portion of all sales will go toward the HCA history trip fund.



HOT LUNCH MENU

WEDNESDAY

Ham & Cheese Sliders

French Fries

Cucumbers

Pears

Brownies

THURSDAY

Knoephla

Breadsticks

Salad

Grapes

Scotcheroos

UPCOMING EVENTS

Jan 12-16	MAP Testing
Jan 12	End of 2 nd Quarter
Jan 13	HCA Oral Spelling Bee, 9 am
Jan 19	Martin Luther King Jr Day, No School
Jan 19	Pizza Ranch Fundraiser, 5-8 pm
Jan 23	ACT Practice Test (Sophomores & Juniors Only)
Jan 26	Group Chapel - Character Recognition
Jan 27	Pizza Party for House with Most JAT Pledges

NO SCHOOL - MONDAY, JANUARY 19

Just a reminder that we do not have school next Monday, January 19 because of the Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday. **We will have chapel on Tuesday, January 20 so remember to wear chapel dress.**





HCA ORAL SPELLING BEE - **TOMORROW**

We invite you to come to the HCA Spelling Bee tomorrow, Tuesday, January 13 at 9 a.m. in the chapel, as our top spellers compete in the oral spelling bee. The written portion of the spelling bee was completed last Friday with the following students advancing to the oral round: Kenadee Becker, Cheyenne Davis, Anneliese Feland, Callen Gelsinger, Ellie Hammond, Aspen Hoerner, Lachlan Hoerner, Noah Klitzke, Ashton Lenz, Sydney Renicker, and Maci Schwan.



CONGRATULATIONS, ERIN!

At the Western Division level of the American Legion Oratorical Scholarship contest held on Saturday, HCA sophomore Erin Daley took 3rd place. Congratulations, Erin!

MAP TESTING - **THIS WEEK**

Students will begin MAP testing this week. Please be sure your students are getting a good night's rest in addition to well-balanced lunches and snacks. If possible, we ask that you please refrain from scheduling any appointments during MAP testing as students will have to do make up testing if they miss.

PARENT PRAYER GROUP - **EVERY TUESDAY**



We invite you to join the parent prayer group that meets in the Cry Room on Tuesdays at 8:15 a.m.
"Always pray and never give up." - Luke 18:1



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 health of our staff and students during cold & flu season.
- The students who are competing in the HCA oral spelling bee.
- Our students as they participate in MAP testing this week.

PRAISE GOD FOR:

- A great start to the new year.
- The many families at Hope Christian Academy.
- The opportunity to worship Jesus Christ freely.

