

THE Fruit of the Spirit



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HURRICANE WATCH

September 27, 2021

Week 8

2021-2022 School
Year Theme

School Picture Day

School Picture Day will be Tuesday, September 28. All students will have their picture taken. This will be a uniform free day for those families who wish to send their child with a different outfit for the pictures. We will be doing only individual photos and creating a whole-school composite photo from the individual pictures. Picture day fliers and order forms will go home in today's Monday folders. At a later date, a separate order form will go home for the group composite picture. Orders for individual pictures can be placed online by visiting mylifetouch.com and enter our picture day ID: EVTK8MRHS or with the paper order form provided. See the flier on page 6 of this newsletter for additional information. There will be a retake day on Tuesday, November 2.



Hot Lunch Helper Needed

We are looking for a volunteer to assist Mrs. Mendez with Hot Lunch on Wednesday's and Friday's. The volunteer would help by sorting lunches and distributing them to classes. You would need to be at the school by 11:30 AM. If you are interested, you can contact Mrs. Mendez at 813-230-5633.

Upcoming Events

<u>Sept 28</u>	LifeTouch Picture Day
<u>Sept 30</u>	10% Yearbook Discount Deadline Flag Football Practice, 3:15-4:30 PM
<u>Oct 3</u>	Worship, 8:30 AM Sunday School & Adult Bible Class, 9:30 Worship, 10:30 AM (also online)
<u>Oct 6</u>	Muffins with Mom, 7:00-8:00 AM Chess Club, 3:15-4:15 PM
<u>Oct 7</u>	Northdale Pioneers Meeting, 6:00 PM
<u>Oct 12</u>	End of First Quarter
<u>Oct 18-22</u>	No School, Faculty In-Service and Teachers' Conference
<u>Oct 28</u>	Parent Forum 3:20 PM
<u>Oct 29</u>	SALSA Flag Football Day

Visit our website for a complete [online calendar](#).

Mission Offerings

Mission offerings for Luther Preparatory School and Michigan Lutheran Seminary

This week \$42.00

Total \$292.00

Thank you for your generous support of this year's mission project!



Northdale Pioneers

A Pioneer Program can be defined simply as, “*Growing in Faith, Growing in Life, Growing in Service.*” Northdale Lutheran is in the planning stages for such a pioneer program that will begin with a first gathering on Thursday, October 7th from 6:00pm-7:30pm. The Pioneers is a youth ministry for all children, 1st grade through 8th grade, that will meet on the first Thursday of each month. A pioneer program is a wonderful blessing as it seeks to keep our children in their Savior, and then to develop their skills and abilities as they live and serve in God’s world. For more information on our Northdale Pioneers, please contact our pioneer leader - Angel Allan 813-850-3718.

Substitute Teachers Needed

NCA is currently seeking qualified applicants for the position of substitute teacher. A position description and application for employment are available [at this link](#). Please [contact Mr. Mattes](#) with any questions.

2021-2022 Yearbook Orders

Now is your chance to place an order for your 2021-2022 yearbook for 10% off the full price. Go to [TreeRing's website](#) for NCA. You may be prompted for NCA's passcode: 1012825684781753. Check out the flier on page 5 of this newsletter for more information. Just because you order your discounted copy now does not mean you have to complete the custom pages at this time. Place your order by September 30 and save 10%. Thank you to Chanele Herrin for taking the lead with the yearbook!

Chess Club

NCA students in grades 3-8 are welcome to join our academy chess club. Our first meeting will be after school on Wednesday, October 6, 3:15-4:15 PM. No experience is required, only a willingness to learn and play chess. Our club meetings will help prepare students to participate in a SALSA chess tournament on Saturday, November 13 in West Melbourne, FL. Mr. Phil Piccirillo and Mr. Mattes will be the coaches for our team. Please [contact Mr. Mattes](#) if your child is interested in joining our chess club. Future Chess Club meetings are listed on our [website calendar](#).

Flag Football

Practices start this week on Thursday (3:15-4:30). Flag football sign-ups are available outside Mr. Haring’s room. Students in grades 5-8 are eligible to participate. There will be no intramurals this year, instead there will be several practices leading up to a flag football day tournament October 29.

Scholarship Payment Processing

Each quarter scholarship payments are processed. Depending on the scholarship your child may be receiving will determine the process you need to follow. FES and FTC scholarships are processed electronically and require parents/guardians to authorize payment electronically through your online scholarship account. Please watch your inbox for approval emails. Your timely attention to payment processing helps NCA meet our financial obligations. Please contact Mr. Mattes or your scholarship organization if you have any questions.

Muffins with Mom - Save the Date

NCA is inviting all moms for Muffins with Mom Wednesday, October 7 from 7:00 - 8:00 AM. This event will be held outdoors and provide an opportunity to mix and mingle with other NCA moms while enjoying muffins. If mom is not able to come, then grandma, aunt, sister, cousin, dad, or other special person is invited to come instead. This is not intended to be a full breakfast - rather more of a light snack. Supervision for students will be provided starting at 7:30 AM until the start of school. VPK students are invited to stay after enjoying muffins for free childcare from 8:00-9:00 AM. There will be no charge for before school care for any of our families. Thank you to Angel Allan for coordinating this event.

Health & Safety Plan

NCA families can review the current [health and safety plan at this link](#). Our plan will be regularly reviewed and updated as needed. The current version of the plan will be available in the weekly newsletter.

Remind Communication App and Text Messages

NCA is using Remind to send important updates, newsletters, and other information for the 2021-2022 school year. Our class code is @nca21-22. Sign up using your smartphone or computer: rmd.at/nca21-22



Classroom News September 27-October 1

Mrs. Mattes VPK

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What we're learning: We're starting our study of Eric Carle books this week! He has so many wonderful books to choose from. We'll read as many as we can, and especially focus on *The Very Hungry Caterpillar*. We'll even be adding our very own caterpillars to our classroom to watch them transform into butterflies.

Bible Story: Our Bible stories this week are #11 *Baby Moses* and #12 *God Chooses Moses*.

Letter of the Week: D- Elijah

Book Orders: Last chance! Scholastic book orders are due on September 30.

Parent/Teacher Conferences: Thank you for taking time to meet with me last week. I am blessed to be working with all of your families!

Water bottles: Just a reminder to please send your child with a water bottle every day. I know they are easy to forget! On that note, if you would like to donate extra disposable water bottles for those days when a child does forget, it would be very appreciated.

Miss Hardman's 1st & 2nd Grade Homeroom

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Memory Work: "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life." John 3:16 (due: Friday 10/8)

Spelling: 1st grade - unit 6 word list - short i words - test on Friday 10/1

2nd grade - unit 7 word list - /all/ and /alk/ words - test on Friday 10/1

Ask us About:

- The International Space Station and how astronauts brush their teeth, wash their hair, and use the bathroom.
- [Astronaut washes her hair](#)
- [Tour of ISS by astronaut](#)
- Our very own planet (we imagined our own planet).
- Jesus's talk with Nicodemus at night and his talk with the Samaritan woman at the well.

Mrs. Schwartz's Kindergarten Homeroom

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Word of God: *Jesus Makes a Sick Boy Well*, *Nicodemus*

Memory Treasure: The Lord's Prayer

Reading: We will finish up our Superkid, Golly and at the end of the week we will meet our next Superkid Alf. We will focus on the letter g and how it says /g/ and how a says /a/. We will learn the sight words: **I, see, a, my, like, to**

Writing: The students will talk draw a favorite character.

Math: The students will make number pairs to 10

Science: We will learn about animal needs.

Social Studies: We have started our first unit of Social Studies, learning about rules with Mrs Mattes.

Parent/Teacher Conferences: If you haven't signed up for a parent teacher conference please do. I am looking forward to meeting with all of you this week!



Classroom News (Continued)

Mr. Haring's 3rd & 4th Grade Homeroom

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Word of God: *Jesus and the Woman from Samaria; Jesus is Rejected in Nazareth*

Memory Work: Mark 16:16; Luke 11:28 (10/1)

Reading: The class will begin our next novel on Wednesday, *The Lemonade War*

Spelling: Week 8: Unit 6; The test is on Wednesday with retakes on Friday

3 Math (Schroeder): Subtraction up to 10,000 with regrouping

4 Math: Multiplying by a 1-digit or 2-digit number; Quotients and remainders

Social Studies: The map project will come to a close this week and we will begin a history unit on the events leading up to the Revolutionary War

Science: Weathering and Erosion

Penmanship: Students will learn their first cursive letters this week (i, t, and u)

Math Facts: I will have the new math sheets in their work folder. Each student will move through the math facts at their own pace. Please keep the worksheets in the folder.

Mrs. Guse's 5th & 6th Grade Homeroom

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Word of God: *"Jesus and the Woman of Samaria; "Rejected in Nazareth""*

Catechism: *"Jesus Christ, True God"; "Jesus Christ, True Man"*

MW: Second Article of the Apostles Creed

Literature (Schroeder): *Island of the Blue Dolphins* by Scott O'Dell

English: Week 5

Spelling: Unit 7; Test- Friday

Math 5 (Haring): Fractions and Mixed Numbers

Math C1: Adding and Subtracting Decimals; Multiplying and Dividing Fractions Fluently

Math C2: Operations with Decimals; Review

Science: Weather and Climate

Social Studies: Europe in the Middle Ages

7th & 8th Grade

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Thank you for your participation in last week's parent-teacher conferences. It was a joy to discuss the various ways your children have been blessed. Feel free to reach out at any time with questions, comments, or concerns.

Spelling: Unit 7 **English:** DGP #5 **Literature:** *The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle*, book project

Math: Course 2 (Guse) will continue to work with the order of operations. Course 3 is continuing to study exponents. We should be wrapping up this topic by the end of the week. Algebra 1 is concluding a study of inequalities. There will be a test this week. The next topic will be functions.

Word of God: Lesson 4 "How Can I Live by the Truth?"

Catechism: Pastor Guse is leading a study of angels and demons.

Social Studies (Hardman): Ask us about life on Native American reservations.

Science: Students had the option of completing a model cell project and report or taking the chapter test. Projects/reports as well as test study guides are due Monday. Our next topic is the chemistry of life.



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