

Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.

Ephesians 4:32



HURRICANE WATCH

October 5, 2026

Week 9

Chuck E. Cheese Spirit Night

Our first of two Chuck E. Cheese spirit nights (14308 N. Dale Mabry Hwy., Tampa, FL 33618) is Monday, October 5, 3:00-9:00 PM. Up to 25% of all event sales will be donated to NCA. Participants must mention Northdale Christian Academy everytime they go to the cashier and make a purchase. See the attached flyer for additional information.



Muffins with Mom

NCA is inviting all moms for Muffins with Mom **Wednesday, October 7 starting at 7:30 AM**. Please note the new start time. This event will be 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. There will be one chapel service at 8:15 AM and all our families are invited to stay. Chapel usually concludes around 8:40 AM.

Thank you for all the generous donations! We have everything we need for Wednesday's event. Thank you, Darian, for coordinating the donations! We ask that donations arrive by the end of the day on October 6 so we can plan set up accordingly.



Upcoming Events

<u>October 5</u>	Chess Club, 3:20-4:30 PM Chuck E Cheese Spirit Night, 3:00-9:00
<u>October 6</u>	Flag Football Practice, 3:20-4:30 PM
<u>October 7</u>	Muffins with Mom, 7:30 AM K-8 Chapel, 8:15 AM Preschool Chapel, 9:00 AM Foundations of Faith Class, 6:00-7:00 PM
<u>October 8</u>	Piano Lessons Flag Football Practice, 3:20-4:30 PM
<u>October 11</u>	English Worship at 8:30 or 10:00 AM Spanish Worship at 11:30 AM
<u>October 12-16</u>	Teacher In-Service & Conference, No School
<u>October 20</u>	End of Q1
<u>October 22</u>	Picture Retake Day
<u>October 27-29</u>	7th & 8th Washington DC Class Trip

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

Mission Offerings

Mission offerings to support Costa Maya Ministries bringing God's Word to the people living in the Yucatán Peninsula of Mexico.

Last week \$28.00

Total \$205.41

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



Picture Day Info & Retakes

Academy Picture Day was September 29. A half sheet flyer is going home with each child in their Monday folders this week. It has access information and a QR code for you to view and order your child's pictures. There will be a retake day on Thursday, October 22. Students will be permitted to come to school in the outfit of your choosing but will need to change into their uniform following pictures. Pictures will begin at 8:30 AM. Please let your child's classroom teacher know if your child needs a retake. See the attached flyer for details.

Calendar Reminder

NCA will be closed October 12-16. Our teachers will be participating in an in-service meeting and attending our annual conference in Palm Coast, FL. Classes resume Monday, October 19.

Foundations of Faith Class

Foundations of Faith Bible class is starting up this week! Whether you just want to sit and hear what we believe and teach, or you have questions about Christianity, or you are interested in Northdale Lutheran Church, come and be a part of this class. Classes start Wednesday, September 30, 6:00-7:00 PM in the NCA library. Childcare is provided! Contact Pastor Satorius to hear more information at 571-550-0955.

Chess Club

NCA students in grades 3-8 are welcome to join our chess club. No experience is required, only a willingness to learn and play chess. There will be a tournament opportunity on November 14. Our meeting dates are October 5, 19, 26, and November 2, 3:20-4:30 PM. Contact Mr. Mattes if you are interested in having your child participate.

End of First Quarter & Attendance

The first quarter of the school year will come to an end Tuesday, October 20. Teachers will use in-service time the following week to prepare report cards. They will be available online and in print by Monday, October 26. A quarterly attendance report will be included along with report cards. Please note that students will serve an after school detention for every fifth tardy per quarter. There will be a \$26 charge per student for each detention served ([handbook](#) p. 21-22). Each family can monitor their child's attendance through your [TADS Educate account](#).

Intramural Kickball - Grades 3-8

Registration is open for this year's intramural kickball. This is separate from the mixer we had a couple weeks ago. [Please use the link for more information and to register](#) your child(ren). Deadline is October 23



Classroom News October 5 - 9

Mrs. Mattes's 3K & VPK Classroom

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[Amazon Wish List for 3K & VPK](#)

What we're learning this week: We will be learning about bears this week. We will learn about different kinds of bears, and use bears in our math and literacy activities, ending with our Teddy Bear Picnic on Friday!

Bible: Joseph's Special Gift

Reading Logs: Please turn in your completed September reading logs to get a prize from the treasure box!

Teddy Bear Picnic: Please note that the picnic on Friday has been changed to 10:30 so we can all spend more time enjoying the picnic. Please bring any donations for the picnic on Thursday. Thank you!

Homeroom: You are invited to join our homeroom app to see pictures of what we're doing each week. Click this link to join! <https://gethomeroom.com/i/2N8B5U98>

Mrs. Mosakowski's Kindergarten Homeroom

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[Amazon Wish List for Kindergarten](#)

Memory Work: Please review all the verses we have learned so far this year.

Math: This week students will learn to order numbers to 10 in both increasing and decreasing order. They will use pictorial representations to help them order the numbers before moving on to abstract representations.

Reading: This week we will continue Unit 5 on Doc. This week your child will blend sounds to decode words. Your child will develop phonemic Awareness by distinguishing between the initial /d/ sound and the ending sound /d/.

I am including supplemental work in this weeks Monday folder for your child to work on October 12-16th. This work is optional and does not need to be returned.

Mrs. Guse's 1st & 2nd Grade Homeroom

[Amazon Wish List for 1st & 2nd](#)

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Memory work: 1 Peter 5:7- Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you.

Word of God: *Jacob Returns to Canaan; Joseph Is Sold by His Brothers*

Spelling: 1st grade - Unit 8 - Short o- test on Friday 10/9

2nd grade - Unit 8- Blend: -nk, Digraph: ng- test on Friday 10/9

Reading: 1st Grade- Please continue to look for your child's reader in his/her backpack.

2nd Grade- Please continue to look for your child's reader in his/her backpack.

Math: 1st grade- Chapter 3- Shapes and Patterns

2nd grade- Chapter 3- Subtraction Within 1,000

Science: Can anything live on the moon?

Social Studies: What is a Community?

Art: Starlight Pumpkins



Classroom News (Continued)

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

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[Amazon Wish List for 3rd & 4th](#)

Word of God (Roemhildt): *A Wife for Isaac & Jacob Deceives Isaac*

Memory Work: Romans 8:28(due Fri)

Spelling: Unit 7: Pretest (Mon); Final test (Fri)

Literature: We have started our new novel Frindle by Andrew Clements

Writing: Students will convert their outline into a full speech.

3 Math: Chapter 3: Subtraction Within 10,000

4 Math: Chapter 2: Multiplication and Division

Tech: (Roemhildt) Google Suite

Reading Goals: We have read **113 of our 760** books this year.

Miss Ponath's 5th & 6th Grade Homeroom

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[Amazon Wish List for 5th & 6th](#)

Word of God: Joseph Sold, Joseph in Egypt, Joseph Becomes Ruler in Egypt

Memory Work T/Th: Luther's Evening Prayer, 5th Commandment

Literature (Schroeder): The Giver by L. Lowry

Literature (Ponath): Esperanza Rising by Pam Muñoz Ryan

English: Week 7

Spelling: Unit 7 (Test Friday)

Math 5: Adding and Subtracting Unlike Fractions and Mixed Numbers (Ch. 2 Test Tuesday)

Math C1: Decimals and the Four Operations (Ch. 3 Test Wednesday)

Science: (Chapter 1 Test Monday), Chapter 2: Cells

Social Studies (Schroeder): Civilizations of Mesopotamia

PE:

Mr. Roemhildt's 7th & 8th Grade Homeroom

[Amazon Wish List for 7th & 8th](#)

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[Library Amazon Wish List](#)

Spelling: Unit 8 The pre-test will be on Tuesday and the test will be on Friday.

English: Week 6

Literature (7): The Giver by Lois Lowry

Literature (8): EIGHTH GRADERS: Our next unit will be on The Count of Monte Cristo. I would like each student to have their own copy for annotation. They can be purchased at this [link](#). You can email me with any questions.

Math: Course 2 will continue to explore Algebraic Expressions. Course 3 will continue to explore properties of Scientific Notation. Algebra 1 is studying linear functions and models.

Word of God: "You are Free Indeed" - Paul's letter to the Galatians

Social Studies: We will have work time to complete our Revolutionary War Projects which are due after October break. We will also begin a discussion on the Constitution's Structure and possibly being looking at Article I.

Science: Ask your child about the vacuum chamber demonstration and cloud formation lab from last week. This week we continue to study weather while examining current observations.





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