

The Timothy Times – Jan 15/18



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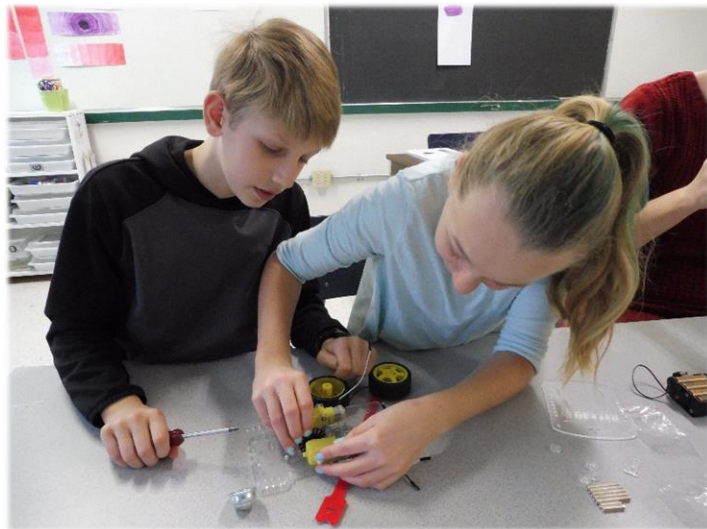
*Let your light shine before others,
that they may see your good deeds and glorify your father in heaven.*

From the Office:

“The whole earth is filled with awe at your wonders; where morning dawns, where evening fades, you call forth songs of joy.”
Psalm 65:8

What a mighty and creative God we serve and how amazing it is to see the wonders he has made. It is wonderful to see our students curious and wondering, to see them want to learn more about the world and how they can shine for Jesus.

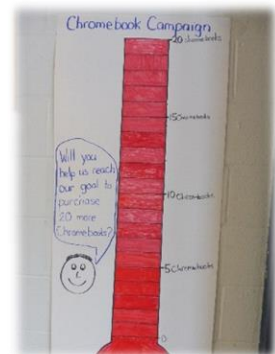
May we always be filled with awe!



Snow Days: Remember that even when the buses are canceled the school is open for those who are able to get here safely.

Kindergarten Chapel has been moved to **Friday, February 2**. Chapel will begin at 8:45 and everyone is welcome.

Wow! We are amazed and grateful for the generous support for the **TCS Chromebook Campaign**. We've received donations to purchase all 20 chromebooks! What a blessing it is to be a part of such a giving and supportive community!





Hippie Day: Look for tie-dye t-shirts, belts, long haired wigs, and bell-bottoms! This Friday will be Hippie Day. Hip-hip hooray!

Hot lunches: Thank you to those who submitted their orders. If you haven't, **please do so today**, as our first hot lunch is this Friday. If you submitted your order, you will receive an email this week with your family's total cost.

Scholastic forms went home today! New! Parents are now able to shop, order, and pay online. If you would like to place a book order, there are two ways to order:



1. Submit your order online and pay by credit card at <http://www.scholastic.ca/canadaclubs>. Please note that if you choose this option, you will need to find and connect with Mrs. Van Gilst.
2. Return the paper order form to Miss DeKleine or to the office with payment. Please make cheques out to Scholastic Canada.

Orders are due this **Friday, January 19**. Thank you!

We will be having an **Open House on Wednesday, January 31**. We are excited to open the doors and welcome people in for a student led tour. Visitors will get a chance to meet staff and students as they tour the classrooms and experience what is happening here at school.

Currently there is a post about the Open House on our facebook page. If you are on facebook you can help us spread the news by sharing it on your facebook page. Also, this day is a PD day for the public schools, so it is a good chance to invite people you know with school aged children to drop in for a visit. Invitations are available from the office.

Volleyball Club: For the next few months, our Friday evening volleyball club will be meeting every other Friday, from 6:00 - 7:30. Steve Geertsema is leading this and will be teaching the students skills through drills and scrimmages. This program is for students in Grade 5-9 and is open to students who do not attend TCS, so feel free to invite a friend or cousin. There is no cost, but you do need to register by emailing geertsema19@gmail.com. The dates for the Volleyball Club will be: January 26, February 9, February 23 and March 9.

Transportation to Redeemer: If you live south of County Road 43 and would like to explore transportation options for students considering studies at Redeemer Christian High school, please join Redeemer's Transportation Committee at Timothy Christian School on Thursday, January 18th at 7 p.m. Some options are carpooling, using the Redeemer bus or a combination of these two. For more information email admissions@rchs.on.ca.

From the Classrooms:

Grade 7/8

Spelling: Unit 16 due Friday.

Writing: Banned words replaced by strong verbs due Wednesday.

Book Report: Due Thursday.

Grammar: See agenda for this weeks assignment. Due Wednesday.

Geography: UPC codes: Where in the world do these products come from? How do they get to my front door?

French: Quel sport veux-tu regarder au Olympiques? due Friday.

Math: Grade 7's have fraction homework for Thursday.
Grade 8's have algebra homework for Thursday.

Music: We will be sharing some music with the Timmy's Place volunteers on Friday evening. This week will be practicing: please practice This Little Light of Mine, Grace Like Rain, This Land is Your Land, and The Hockey Song.

Bible: Using google docs write a thoughtful personal prayer. The prayer should be no shorter than half a page and no longer than a full page. The written prayer is due on Wednesday.

History: We begin learning about the expulsion of the Acadians this week in History. There will be a corresponding writing assignment that we will be working on for the next week both in class and for homework.

Class ski trip will be this Tuesday. Students are required to be at the school for **7:50 AM**.

Grade 5

Spelling: Lesson 15 due Thursday. Test Friday.

Verset de memorisation: Genèse 1:12 due Wednesday.

Collation pour la classe/Snack to share: Wednesday – Brandon, Friday – Petra.

Math: We will have our Measurement test (from last week Friday) on Tuesday instead.

Grade 3/4

Memory Work: 1 Chronicles 29:11 due Friday, January 19.

Spelling: Lesson 17 due Thursday. Test Friday.

French: Poster project on la famille due Tuesday.

Grade 1/2

Spelling: (Test on Friday) Students will be tested on their Lesson 16 words on Friday. Grade One and Two are both concentrating on the "long o" sound this week. Students should be practicing their words each night at home in preparation for Friday's tests. Words are found in their agendas.

Bible Test: Our Bible test on Isaac and Jacob will be this coming Friday. Duotangs will be going home later this week to help students study. If there are any unfinished pages, please also finish those at home as well.

Show & Tell: This week, students may bring in something to show or pictures to share about their **Christmas vacation!**

Tuesday: Kate, Eli, Nathan, Phoebe

Wednesday: Hailey, Brody, Addison, Allison

Thursday: Savanna, Ben, Liam, Desi

Friday: anyone who missed their show and tell last week because of Snow Days!

Flat Stanley: Our class is doing a Flat Stanley project! You may have read a Flat Stanley book, or heard your child talk about it. Every student has created their own Flat Stanley and will be taking them home on Wednesday. You as parents can help us by mailing Flat Stanley to a friend or family member who lives somewhere far away. A letter explaining the project is going home Wednesday with Flat Stanley. If there are any questions, or if you need suggestions of where to send Flat Stanley, please let me know! We look forward to seeing where Flat Stanley goes this year!

Kindergarten

This month Kindergarten is learning about snow. The question that we will be answering this week is why is snow white? The students will be encouraged to explore different ideas to come up with the answer. I am very interested in hearing the conclusions that they come up with through their inquiry.

Show and tell: A new schedule will be going home on Wednesday and will begin on Friday. Please help your child follow the calendar and to remember when their day is. It is always an exciting day for them when they are the leader too!

Letter of the week: U

Words of the week: big and little