

The Timothy Times – Dec 3/18



Mission – TCS is an independent elementary school that educates children through Christ-centred quality programs that combine faith and learning.

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Wired for Joy!

“I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete.”

John 15:11

From the Office:

“May God, the source of hope, fill you with all joy and peace by means of your faith in him, so that your hope will continue to grow by the power of the Holy Spirit.” Romans 15:13

Our condolences to Jennifer Wubs and family as Dennis Wubs passed away last night. We pray that God will grant them strength and peace. We will inform you of the funeral arrangements as they become available. Please keep the family in your prayers.



Peek of the Week: We are thankful for the wonderful weather for the Santa Claus parade on Saturday. It was awesome to have so many people be able to participate in the parade and be a blessing to the community.

Chocolate bars and coffee sale: The chocolate bar sale continues. There are 8 boxes left. All **chocolate bar sale money is due** into the office by **Friday, December 14**. All **coffee sales are due** to the office **today**. Thanks for your hard work in making these fundraisers a success.



Save the date for our Christmas Musical Program, *Unto Us A Child Is Born*, coming up on Wednesday, December 19 beginning at 7pm in the evening. We will also be doing a repeat performance with tea on Thursday morning (December 20). Our Dress rehearsal will be on Monday, December 17, beginning at 2pm.

Inclement Weather: It is a snow day when the buses of the Upper Canada District School Board cancel because of bad weather. Please check the Student Transportation of Eastern Ontario website (www.steo.ca) if the buses are running. Our Inclement Weather image is found on our homepage and links directly to the STEO website. The school will remain open for those families who would like to bring their children and are able to do so safely. Attendance will not be taken and no new content will be taught on those days. If you have any questions, please contact the school.



Timmy's Place is looking for volunteers. Timmy's Place is a huge support to the school. This year they have committed to give \$70,000 to the school! They cannot do what they do without many volunteers and they are currently in need of more volunteers. If you are able to give even just a few hours a month to this amazing place, please contact the store:

<http://www.timmysplace2.com/>

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613-543-4280

Redeemer Christian High School invites you to join us for our annual **Christmas Concert and Art Exhibit** on Thursday, December 13 at 7 p.m. in the gym. Our choir, the concert band, a small string ensemble, the Grade 9 band, and the worship team will perform. You'll also see art by our Grade 10 Visual Art class. Admission is free and all are welcome.

FRUIT BASKETS: Made up fresh daily with fruit and lots of "extras". Give someone a (mostly) healthy Christmas gift, and support Redeemer Christian High School too. Prices are \$40, \$50 and \$60. Call Wilma Mudde at 613-728-0154 for more information or to order.



Your Voice is Important: The Ontario government has launched a process of unprecedented public consultations regarding education in our province. Independent school supporters are keenly interested in what is best for the education system in our province, and government representatives have repeatedly said that they want feedback and from the independent school sector. **Let's be part of this conversation!** Please take a look at the opportunities to participate and share the word broadly. This ends on December 15, and after the consultations, policies that will affect education in this province—policies that will affect our sector—for years to come will be written. More information and feedback options can be found at: www.fortheparents.ca.

From the Classrooms:

Grade 8

Thank you to parents who drove students to The Gathering House yesterday so that we could lead the worship there. It was great to have the opportunity to share our music with them, and many people mentioned that they were blessed by our students.

Remember that we have our **potluck lunch tomorrow!**

Math: We are working on algebra. There will be a quiz on Friday.

Science: Today we started researching water, and each student will be in charge of teaching us about one unique quality of water.

Spelling: Lesson and quiz due Thursday.

News Article due Thursday.

Worksheets on Sentences pages 87-90 due Thursday.

Writing: Paragraph on history project using coherence and descriptive writing due Thursday.

Bible: Students are working on the story of salvation through the birth of Christ.

Art: Christmas coloured art due today and next Monday for newspapers.

French: Students are writing story books about the Christmas story in French.

Grade 5/6

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Term 2 Goals: Ask about the goals we wrote for Term 2 and the goals we were successful in for Term 1.

Bible: Students are working on the story of salvation through the birth of Christ.

Art: Christmas coloured art due today and next Monday for newspapers.

Math: On Wednesday we will be starting money. We will look at adding, subtracting and estimating money.
Please keep working on your times tables.

Spelling: Lesson 10 worksheets are due on Wednesday and our Lesson 10 test will be on Thursday.

Grade 3/4

Memory Work: We have been practising extra in class, learning the books of the Old Testament. There will be a test on Friday on the Old Testament books.

Grammar: Both grades recently completed a test on Verbs. Students need to bring their test home, correct them (they may use their grammar notebooks) and bring them back to me.

Spelling: Lesson 13. Test Friday.

Math: Grade 4s have a test on Measurement on Wednesday. Students need to know the difference between mm, cm, m, and km, how to convert between units, and how to read an analog clock.

Art: Christmas coloured art due today and next Monday for newspapers.

Grade 1/2

Spelling: (Test on Friday) Students will be tested on their Lesson 13 words on Thursday. Grade One is concentrating on colour words, while Grade Two is studying the "ai" sound. Students will be coming home with the list for the next 6 lessons in the front of their agendas today.

Memory Work: No memory work as we begin work on our Christmas program.

Show & Tell: This week's students are:

Tuesday: Addison, Jackson, Mackenzie, Nikkolas

Thursday: Allison, Emma, Brielle, Silas, Evan

Kindergarten

We are continuing our theme of gingerbread men. As part of this unit we are reading many different versions of the story and comparing them. This includes giving our opinion with reasons why you like or do not like a certain version. The gingerbread man in our class likes to run.....so we will also be keeping a close eye on him and may have to go looking for him in the school.

Bible: As we begin the advent season we will be discussing each character in the story of Jesus' birth.

Letters of the week: u f

Word of the week: and look

The EOHU was at the school this morning to conduct **vision screenings** for SK students. A letter will be sent home today with each student that was screened.