

The Timothy Times – Oct 7/19



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Love God. Love Others.

*Love the Lord your God with all your heart
and with all your soul and with all your mind.
This is the first and greatest commandment.*

*And the second is like it:
Love your neighbor as yourself.
Matthew 22:37-39*

From the Office:



Peek of the Week: There has been a lot of excitement in the Kindergarten classroom as they have witnessed an amazing transformation. Take a moment to read our [recent blog post](#) to see and experience the wonder and joy of our amazing creator God.

The students in Grade 5-7 led us in Chapel last Friday, October 4. It was a wonderful time to be together, bringing praise to God and filling buckets.

We **welcome Mrs. Jackie Brodie to our staff**. She will be working as an Educational Assistant in the Kindergarten classroom.

Please remember **Mrs. Daye in your prayers**. On October 16 she will have surgery and will be away from school for a while. We pray that her surgery will go well and for complete recovery. While she is away, Mrs. Erin Zollinger will be teaching in the Kindergarten classroom.

Thanksgiving Day is on Monday, October 14. The school will be closed that day and we wish you a blessed day together with family and friends.

Parent Teacher Interviews are coming up on Monday, October 21. Forms went home for you to sign up for a time slot that works for you. Please return them to the office by this Friday, October 11.

TCS Clothing: We have TCS clothing available! We are hoping that every student will have a TCS shirt as that will make a difference when we go on field trips or do things in the community. An email went out to all parents last week with purchasing options. All orders are due to the office by Wednesday, October 16.



Autumn Skies & Apple Pies: We are on our last week of pie making! Thanks to our wonderful volunteers, we have made almost 900 pies to date. Please have all final orders in to the school by this evening (October 7) so the pie committee is aware of how many more need to be made. This is also a reminder that all pies need to be picked up either on Tuesday or Thursday this week at the Williamsburg Christian Reformed Church between 9:00-3:00. If you are not able to pickup on these dates, please contact Deb Vuyk (debrav@gmail.com), and we may be able to make other arrangements. Anyone who can help on Tuesday or Thursday this week to make the remainder of the pies is greatly appreciated. No experience necessary, and as always, tea and coffee are provided, along with soup for lunch. Great job everyone! 'Good pies are a considerable part of our domestic happiness.' -Jane Austen.

From the Classrooms:

Grade 7

French: Students are working on a scrapbook page telling about a fictional visit they took to a Canadian location. ML

Bible: This week students will be creating an advertisement depicting benefits of being in Christ. ML

Memory Work: Colossians 3:12-14 due Friday

Art: A few students have not completed their art projects of Piet Mondrian and/or Roy Lichtenstein. ML

Spelling: Unit 5 lesson: Thursday, Test: Friday. Students are encouraged to practice. Unit 4 returned today. ML

Literature: handed back today, lesson 3: "A Mother in Mannville"

Math: We are working on algebra. KG

Science: There will be a quiz on Friday about the microscopes, characteristics of living things, and cell theory. KG

Music: We are learning how to play scales and read tabs for ukulele. KG

Grade 5-7 Gym: Unfortunately, due to a number of circumstances, the annual Bowmanville Volleyball Tournament has been cancelled for this year. I am working on a solution with some of our area Christian schools, and we will still go ahead with our Volleyball unit.

Pie Making: We will be going to help with pie making on Tuesday morning. Please return your permission form tomorrow morning.

Grade 5/6

Spelling: We will have a spelling test on Lesson 5 on Friday. The students all have a list and a list was also shared with them on their school gmail account. HB

Ancient Egypt: After learning about mummification we started an experiment to see the best way to preserve a piece of apple. We look forward to see if we can keep a piece of apple from rotting for the next thousand years. HB

French 5: Students will begin a unit on Family soon. Reminder to please send in a digital photo of your immediate family and extended family if possible.

Student presentations of “Une Journée Idéale” are Thursday. We will practice at school but students are encouraged to practice at home as well.

French 6: Students must complete their report on a Canadian Olympic sport for Thursday.

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Math: Our new unit is about place value, addition, and subtraction. We are also working on our times tables, with daily speed drills. Students should have written in their agenda the set of multiplication facts that they are working on. KG

Music: Students did a great job playing their instruments on Friday in chapel! Students should be taking home their ukulele to practice 1-2 times a week. KG

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Grade 3/4

Memory Work: "And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds. Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another." Hebrews 10:24-25a (NIV) due on Friday.

Spelling: Lesson 5 Test and Unit due on Friday. Grade 3s are working through the different spellings of the long i sound. Grade 4s are working on different consonant blends (gl, dr, str, scr, pr).

Bible: We have started our second Bible Unit, looking at the Israelites longing for a king, which led them to King Saul. We are learning about King Saul's reign as King of Israel and some of the challenges that Israel faced during that time.

Science: We are continuing to learn about trees and the different parts. This week, we are learning about the jobs that leaves and seeds do for the tree.

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Grade 1/2

Memory Work: (for Friday) "And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds." Hebrews 10:24. Students practice their Memory Work all week and say it aloud on Friday.

Spelling: (Test on Friday) Students will be tested on their Lesson 5 words on Friday. Grade One is concentrating on the "qu" sound this week, while Grade Two is studying the "ph" sound. Students should be practicing their words each night at home in preparation for Friday's tests.

Show & Tell: This week, the following students have Show & Tell:

Tuesday: Lucy, Beckett, Robert

Wednesday: Lily, Willem, Alie, Silas

Thursday: Seth, Abi D., Brielle

Take-Home Reading: Reading assessments have taken place, and it is exciting to see students pass new levels after the first month of school! New levelled books will be going home today!

Kindergarten

Last week I introduced to the students the concept of filling other peoples' buckets, to correspond with our school theme of loving others, loving God. We are all striving to be bucket fillers!

This week we will be focusing on thanksgiving and thinking of the many gifts that we receive from God each and every day.

Math: We are looking at the numbers 1-5 and 11-15. This includes writing the number and showing 1:1 correspondence. Any practice you can provide is beneficial!

Show and tell: Show and tell continues this week. The students can bring in one special item to share on their assigned day. It should be able to fit in their backpacks. They will also be the leader on that day.

Wednesday: Rebekah and Lydia

Friday: Justin and Brianna

Monday: Keirah and Kit

Sounds of the week: i and p