



Eastern Christian Elementary School Home Bulletin

“Engaging the Mind, Nurturing the Spirit, Transforming the World!”

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Next Week at a Glance:

Tues., June 13: 8:30 am - 4th Grade Promotion Chapel

7:00 pm - Preschool Graduation – Cedar Hill Christian Reformed Church

Wed., June 14: Snack Day – Free Ice Pops

Thurs., June 15: Last Day of School – Noon dismissal – No Extended Day or After School Programs

Spirit Wear Day

A Message from Mrs. Sandra Bottge, Principal:

Mr. Flim opened our Praise Chapel this week with Psalm 104. “I will sing to the LORD all my life; I will sing praise to my God as long as I live. May my meditation be pleasing to him, as I rejoice in the LORD.” (Psalm 104:33-34)

What a blessing it was to hear so many students share their gifts and talents in Praise Chapel. Students from all grade levels sang and played instruments for the glory of the Lord.

We are so thankful that we have been created *In His Image* and that God has given each one of us different gifts and talents. It is a pleasure to watch our students grow each year and find ways to use their gifts to glorify God. Our teachers admitted that Praise Chapel is a very emotional chapel for them. We are at the point in the year where we reflect on the incredible growth our students made throughout the year and we are blessed to watch them praise God with their talents. We are so thankful for the opportunity to work with God’s covenant children each year.

Mark Your Calendar:

Wed., Aug. 30: First Day of School 2017 and After School Program

Mon., Sept. 4: No School – Labor Day



PTO News

Box Tops: We have collected a total of 12,826 box tops (\$1,282.60). Each box top is worth 10c and this adds up. There will be a summer box top collection competition and should be returned on the first day back at school (details to follow in Friday folder). THANK YOU for your support.

TRIP News:

The TRIP office is looking for volunteers to help out at the TRIP store on Friday mornings from 7:45 a.m. until noon starting in September. This commitment would be for one Friday a month at the most, depending on how many volunteers we receive. Please call or text Sharon Spoelstra at (201) 650-7056 for more information.

Foundation News:

Thank you to everyone who attended, volunteered and donated to our many events this year. It was a banner year and we broke many records bringing Christian Education to the lips and minds of many new supporters and making it available to more families. From the EC5K to the Family Fun Fair, from the Fashion Show to the Beefsteak from the Auction Gala to the Golf Outing, we saw tremendous growth and it is Because of You! Thank you!