Volume 27 Number 14 December 10, 2021 Happy Birthday, Jesus,

LUNCH MENU

Week of 12/13 thru 12/17

- Monday, Dec. 13—Basketball Nacho Lunch: Pay at table (\$5)
- ◆ Tuesday, Dec. 14—Señor Lopez: Chicken, Cheese and Rice
- Wednesday, Dec. 15—Chick-Fil-A: Chicken Strips, Chips, Cookie
- ◆ Thursday, Dec. 16—4 Seasons: Cheeseburger, Chips, Cookies
- Friday, Dec. 17—***NOON DISMISSAL***

December 20-December 31 ***Christmas Break***

Week of 01/03 thru 01/07

- ♦ Monday, Jan. 03—*** Bring Your Lunch ***
- Tuesday, Jan. 04—Señor Lopez: Chicken, Cheese and Rice
- ♦ Wednesday, Jan. 05—Chick-Fil-A: Chicken Nuggets, Chips, Cookie
- Thursday, Jan. 06—Subway: 6" Turkey on White, Chips, Cookie
- ◆ Friday, Jan. 07—** Bring Your Lunch ***

Prices: Chick-Fil-A \$5.50 Señor Lopez \$5.50 Subway \$5.50 4 Seasons \$5.50 Pizza Slices: 1-\$2.00, 2-\$2.50, 3-\$3.00

**You can view the monthly lunch calendar on our website www.hcahopkinsville.org. All lunch order forms must be placed by 9:00 a.m. the day prior to the lunch of choice.



Time. Where does it go? December is upon us, and this is the season of Advent, meaning expectation and preparation. Next week is one of the most anticipated, as well as one of the most dreaded weeks of the year. Some students count the days until Christmas parties and a well-deserved break. Other students count the hours until the next final and a sigh of relief when the last test is submitted for the semester. Rest, nutrition and preparation enable a student to give his or her best effort on

tests, so please try to emphasize those with your middle and high school students next week.

Time. What does it mean? The weeks between Thanksgiving and Christmas often mean time with family and friends, special events at church and school, colorful lights and decorations celebrating the majesty of winter, stars, and the manger scene. The manger scene represents the invitation which God offers to all who will hear His voice. Though He was the King of Kings, the Christ Child wasn't born in a palace, locked away from all but the royal family. Though He was Divine, He wasn't born in the Temple, guarded by the priests to exclusion of the laity. He was the Son of Man who was born in a place that was easily accessible to all, even to unclean shepherds who had heard word of His birth from the angel.

And the timing of His birth was perfect.

"When the fullness of time had come, God sent His Son, born of a woman, born under the law that He might redeem those born under the law."

He was born in the *Pax Romana*, or the Roman peace, yet He demonstrates and provides peace in ways not possible through human efforts. Isaiah understood Him to be "wonderful, counselor mighty God, everlasting Father, *the Prince of Peace*."

My encouragement to you during this Christmas season is the same advice that I would give to students at this time of year: "Use your time wisely." Make time for friends and family; make time for rest and reflection; make time for wonder and worship – God chose the perfect moment in time to send His Son so "that whoever believes in Him will not perish, but have everlasting life." Such is the gift of Christmas – make time to open and appreciate what He has given!









Basketball Middle School Boys

Dec 06	Mon	Legacy	Home	4:00
Dec 10	Fri	Foundation	Away	5:00
Dec 16	Thr	New Covenant	Home	6:00

Basketball Girls Varsity/Jr Varsity

Dec 11	Sat	Cornerstone	Home	12:00
Dec 13	Mon	Christian Com	Home	4:00
Dec 14	Tue	UHA	Away	6:00



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Dec 17/18		18	Knights Classic	Away	TBA
	Dec 20	Mon	Beth Haven	Home	4:00







The HCA Archery Club will have a meeting for all interested students (grades 3-12) and their parents on

Tuesday, December 14th at

5:30 p.m. in the lunchroom.





Middle/High School Future Problem Solvers

Practice will continue every Tuesday after school.

Middle School District Competition will be Tuesday, Jan 11th. High School District Competition will be Tuesday, Jan 18th.

Middle School Academic Team

Congratulations to the 6th Grade team for their
Success at the Showcase last weekend!
Quick Recall practice will be on Monday and Thursday after school
District Competition will be Saturday, Jan 15th at HCA.

Elementary Academic Team

Will meet on Mondays after school from 3:15-4:15 in Mrs. Beth's room.





The Chess Club will be meeting the 1st and 3rd Wednesday from 3:15-4:00. in Mr. Lassiter's room.

The next meeting will be **Wednesday**, **December 15th**



HCA First Semester Exam Schedule 2021

Wednesday, December 15, 2021 - Exam Schedule

7:50-8:00 - Homeroom

8:05-9:35 - 1st Period Exams

9:40-10:10 - Regular 2nd Period Class - No exams will be held during this time.

10:15-11:44 - 4th Period Exams (Monday/Thursday 4th Period only)

11:47-12:12 - MS/HS Lunch

12:17-1:47 - 5th Period Exams

1:52-2:26 Regular 6th Period Class – No exams will be held during this time.

2:30-3:00 - Regular 7th Period Class - No exams will be held during this time.

Thursday, December 16, 2021 - Exam Schedule

7:50-8:00 – Homeroom

8:04-8:50 - Chapel

8:55-10:25 - 2nd Period Exams

10:30-12:03 - 3rd Period Exams

12:07-12:32 - MS/HS Lunch

12:35-2:05 - 4th Period Exams (Tuesday/Friday 4th Period only)

2:10-3:00 – Regular 7th Period Class – No exams will be held during this time.

Friday, December 17, 2021 - Exam Schedule

7:50-8:00 - Homeroom

8:05-9:35 - 6th Period Exams

9:40-11:10 - 7th Period Exams

11:15-12:00 - Homeroom Christmas parties held in each homeroom class. Students should not be in other classrooms, the hall, or the gym.



The HCA Interact club is sponsoring a toy drive to support Tymeless Hearts, a non-profit organization helping children with congenital heart defects. Students should bring new, unwrapped toys to their homeroom teacher or an Interact Club member **December 6th-December 15th**.

This will be a competition between homeroom classes. The Interact Club will provide a Christmas party for the PreSchool-5th grade homeroom, and 6th-12th grade homeroom that collects the most toys. We appreciate your generosity and help for making Christmas special for these great









HCA 2021-2022 BOTTLE CAP DRIVE GOAL: COLLECT ENOUGH CAPS TO GET A TABLE AND BENCHES MADE FOR THE PLAYGROUND

ACCEPTABLE PLASTIC CAPS & LIDS

ANY PLASTIC CAP/LID WITH A RECYCLE NUMBER OF



CAPS must be CLEAN and DRY

Any Drink Bottle Caps (soda, water, juice, tea, sports drinks)

Applesauce Pouch Caps Baby Food Caps Deodorant Caps

Detergent Caps (White foam gasket and labels must be removed)

Flip-Top Caps
Hair Spray Caps
Marker Caps
Milk Jug Caps
Ointment Tube Caps

Medicine Bottle Caps (Prescription & OTC / paper info packets and any cardboard must be removed)

Plastic Sheeting Spool Caps Spout Caps Spray Paint Caps
Toothpaste Tube Caps
Water Bottle Caps
Cool Whip Lids
Ice Cream Bucket Lids

Peanut Butter Jar Lids
Cottage Cheese Lids
Cream Cheese Lids
Butter Lids
Coffee Can Lids
Mayonnaise Jar Lids
Nestea Lids
Yogurt Lids
Pringles Lids



Please turn in to the front office at HCA or Tammy Hayes, Elementary Principal Bottle Cap Drive ENDS December 17, 2021