

*"...that in
all things He
might have the
preeminence."
Colossians 1:18*

All Glory to God!

We praise God's Name for his great faithfulness to us. As we begin a new year, let's determine to model Christ in front of our children, our neighbors and co-workers. We have so much to be thankful for and people should see a difference in us. The Scripture below speaks of the Mercy of God, His faithfulness and our Hope in Him. Where would we be and what would we be without Him?

²²It is of the LORD's mercies that we are not consumed, because **his compassions fail not.**

²³They are new every morning: **great is thy faithfulness.**

²⁴The LORD is my portion, saith my soul; therefore will **I hope in Him.** Lamentations 3:22-24

As we begin a new year and start a new semester, would you make a commitment to pray for Tabernacle Christian School, the faculty and administration, and our student body. **Prayer is powerful.** I am so thankful for our Mom's Prayer Group that meets on Thursdays at 8:00am. As a faculty, we can certainly feel the prayers of our parents, as well as see its' effects.

We're looking forward with anticipation to what God has in store for 2011!

Academic Competition

We had a host of students compete in the **Academic Testing** portion of the ACEA Competition. Hundreds of tests were taken across the state and we will find out at the end of January who placed.

We have many signed up for the grades 07-12 **Art Competition.** The deadline to turn in the artwork is January 10. The students who place in first or second in our school art show will then compete in the ACEA Art Competition which will be at the end of January.

The **Sword Drill** and **Spelling Bee** school competition (04-12) will take place

in early January to decide who will compete in the ACEA contests at the end of January.

Feeling left out? For students (07-12) who want to compete in Poetry & Essay, Bible Memory, Bible Teaching or Preaching, please contact Mrs. Overby immediately at moverby@tabernaclechristian.org. There is still time to register.

Stay tuned for more details on grades 04-12 Fine Arts Competition.

Thank you to all the parents who have encouraged your children to participate.

Senior Photos

The deadline to turn in senior portraits and PDA pictures (personal ad of pictures & congratulations in the back of book) will be here before you know it. Please make sure that all of your items are turned in by **January 05**.

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Lisa Dickson at the school at 631-9318 or by e-mail at the following: ldickson@tabernaclechristian.org.

Thank You

The Kindergarten department would like to send out a huge "Thank you" to all those who participated in their glove drive. Your abundant giving and caring are much appreciated.

Childcare News

The Childcare will be open on Monday, **January 03**. Please remember to bring a lunch and a drink. The lunchroom will open on January 04.

Childcare will be closed on the 17th of January. K3 - 6th grade childcare will be closed on the 28th.

Basketball Games

Basketball jumps off to a fast start the first week back. Games will be away at Trinity on Tuesday, January 4 (no girls game). On Thursday, January 6, the teams play away at Cornerstone and on Saturday, January 8, the teams take on Eastwood in our gym at 3:00pm.

Piano Lessons

There are still openings for the Little Mozart's Piano Class for Kindergarten and 1st graders. Please contact Mrs. Rogers at 641-9385 or email her at brogers@tabernaclechristian.org.

Medications

Please remember that over the counter medications need to come to the office. Each medication needs to be labeled with your child's name and include a note with detailed and specific instructions. Medication cannot be administered without this note.

Mom's Prayer Ministry

Just a reminder that mom's are meeting on Thursdays at 8:00am in the auditorium for prayer. Thank you for all the moms who have taken time to pray for our school and students!

Financial Office

Please be sure that your account is current as we begin semester two. If you need your balance, please contact Mrs. Rhonda Miller at 631-9318 or at rmiller@tabernaclechristian.org.

Grade 05 News

Just a reminder to 5th graders that *First Snowfall* and *The Rights of Americans* are due on January 10th. For questions, please contact Mrs. Moore at kmoore@tabernaclechristian.org.

JANUARY 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 New Year's Day
2	3 School Closed Teacher/Staff Development 8:00-3:00	4 School Resumes for Students Trinity Away 5pm (no girls game)	5 HS Chapel 9am Report Cards Issued	6 Cornerstone Away 5pm	7	8 Basketball Eastwood Home 3pm
9	10 Deadline to turn in artwork for Art Show (grades 07-12)	11 04-06 Chapel 8:30am Tuscaloosa Away 5pm	12 HS Chapel 9am Tabernacle Art Show	13	14 North River Home 5pm	15
16	17 Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday School, Offices, & Childcare Closed	18 Flint Hill Home 5pm	19 HS Chapel 9am	20	21 Victory (MS) Home 5pm	22
23	24	25 04-06 Chapel 8:30am	26 HS Chapel 9am 07-12 Prog Rep	27 Dismiss 01-12 @ 11:30 K3-K5 @ noon Childcare open	28 School Closed. Childcare closed for K3-06. Childcare open for Infants thru Toddler II	29
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ACEA State Academic Bible & Jr/Sr Art Competition