



# CAI CONNECTION

The mission of Christian Academy is to develop students with a heart for God, who grow as Jesus did in wisdom, stature and in favor with God and men.

March 13, 2020

## School Closure

Families,

Governor Beshear of Kentucky and Governor Holcomb of Indiana have suggested that all public and private schools close for a period of several weeks beginning Monday. We are going to follow that suggestion. That means that our Kentucky campuses will be closed from Monday, March 16, through April 5 (which includes the week of spring break). School will resume on April 6. Our Indiana campus is off for their spring break beginning March 16, and we are going to close that campus for an additional week after spring break so they will also resume school on April 6, as well.

All campuses will provide instruction to our students during the times that they would normally have been in school, either electronically or by some other means that will be communicated by the principals or the classroom teachers. Please be patient with us as we coordinate the details of this with the teachers. All regularly scheduled activities will go on through this Saturday unless you hear differently from your principal. Otherwise, all school activities are cancelled between March 16, and April 5.

For those of you who have Junior Academy (preschool) children, we have decided to keep all of our Junior Academy classes open during this entire time. As always, you have the option of keeping your children home if you so desire.

Our campuses will remain open (except during spring break) and **our teachers will be available by email to help with instructions and answer questions.**

More information will be sent as we work through more of the details with principals and teachers tomorrow, but we want to give you as much advance notice as possible so that you can make preparations and arrangements involving the next three weeks.

Even though this has been difficult to deal with, we want to continue to partner with you to provide the best service and education possible despite an unpredictable and challenging time.

God is still in control and this is a good opportunity to have conversations with our children about how to deal with those unexpected and difficult life circumstances that are beyond our control.

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## Spring Break

School will be closed March 16-27 for Kindergarten –12th grades and Junior Academy Part Day classes. School Age Care and Junior Academy Full Day classes are available for those who have registered. There **will not** be School Age Care the week of March 30-April 3.



# Elementary News

**Chapel**-In our K-2nd grade chapel, Ms. Rosbottom's class shared several Bible stories showing us how to totally trust in God. In our 3rd-5th grade chapel, Pastor Mitch Cherry, children's minister at Hillside Church, and dad to Veda and Hayden, shared with us how powerful our words are. He challenged us to speak life to others. He reminded us that self control is choosing to do what you should do, not what you want to do. We heard a piano selection from Rachel Lee. Pastor Dan Weigleb, music minister at Memphis Christian Church, and Mrs. Ginny Weigleb, parents of Lucas, Oliver, and Elijah led us in worship.



**When we return from Spring Break it will be Lunch Week 1.**

# HS/MS News

**Course requests for the 2020-2021 school year are now open for students in 8th through 11th grades.** Students can find a course catalog on the counselors page of the Christian Academy of Indiana website under Scheduling. Selections can be made on the Family Portal (ParentsWeb). Selections need to be made by April 7, 2020. Please see Mr. Wilson if you have any questions.

## Race for Education

**Thank you for turning in your labels!**

**Please see the Race dates below:**

- **April 8-Jr. Academy and Elementary Hat Day**
- **April 9-Jr. Academy, Elementary, and Middle School Donut Day**
- **April 13-Jr. Academy Crazy Hair Day, Elementary Dress Down Day #1, and Middle School Jeans Day**
- **April 16-Race for Education for Jr. Academy 3's**
- **April 17-Race for Education for Jr. Academy 4's-8th Grade**
- **April 24-Jr. Academy Noah's Ark Day and Elementary Dress Down Day #2**
- **May 13-Race for Education Elementary Awards**
- **May 15-Jr. Academy, Elementary, and Middle School Kona Ice and Inflatables**

We would like to thank the following businesses for their generosity: Dr. Travis Gross, DDS for sponsoring race day popsicles; Mallory Annis, Realtor Remax First, for sponsoring middle school candy treat for turning in labels; Jackson Construction for sponsoring our elementary class ice cream parties; Steel Weld Inc. for sponsoring our class pizza parties; Executive Elevator for sponsoring Donut Day; STYLE\HEIR for sponsoring Holiday World & Splashin' Safari tickets.

Please note the dates are subject to change due to current circumstances. We will communicate any changes to you.