



# 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.

May 7, 2021

## Retirement Receptions to Honor Mrs. Allison and Mrs. Smith

**We invite you to join us in honoring Mrs. Monica Allison.** For the past 20 years she has taught kindergarten, served as the Assistant Elementary Principal, and currently serves as the Elementary Principal at Christian Academy of Indiana. Students, families, faculty, and staff have been blessed by her leadership and strong commitment to Christian Education. She has faithfully blessed our school in many ways. In recognition of her giving heart and years of service, we invite you to a special reception to honor her on Friday, May 21, from 3:00-5:00 pm in the elementary library. Students and parents are encouraged to be here to thank her for what she has meant to your family.

**We are also saying goodbye to our Elementary Music Teacher, Mrs. Maria Smith.** Mrs. Smith has faithfully served at Christian Academy for over 20 years and has touched the lives of countless students. She has continually shown her love for God through her love for music; being a godly example for our students as she has shown them how to use music as a way to honor and glorify God. Please join us as we celebrate her retirement and this new chapter in her life on Friday, May 14, from 3:00-5:00 pm in the elementary library.

## Race for Education

To date we have raised over \$100,550!

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## ILEARN Testing

The ILEARN testing window continues for 3rd-8th grade through May 14.

- ◆ Please get plenty of sleep and eat a good breakfast each day!
- ◆ Please avoid missing school for any appointments or other scheduling conflicts.
- ◆ Classroom teachers will communicate their individual testing schedule.

## Important Reminder

Please make sure your child is prepared for school each day with their face covering.

## Campus Safety

**All elementary and Junior Academy students must stay with their parents in the car while waiting to pick up HS/MS students.** The parking lot is very busy at this time and it is not safe for the children to be out of their cars. Children may not play on the hillside near the HS/MS building as classes are still in session and this is very distracting. Students may not come back into the building through the Commons doors. We appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

## Piano Recitals

This year our piano program will host two piano recitals.

- On Thursday, May 20, at 6:30 pm, the students of Mrs. Carpenter and Mrs. Roy will perform.
- On Tuesday, May 25, at 6:30 pm, the students of Ms. Haycraft will perform.

Both recitals will be held in the auditorium. Masks are required for those attending.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Rhonda Haycraft at [rhaycraft@caschools.us](mailto:rhaycraft@caschools.us).

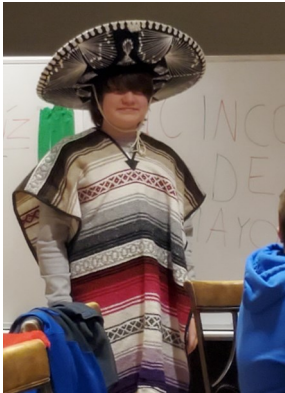
**Philippians 4:4 "Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice!"**

# Elementary News

**Chapel-**This week we enjoyed a combined chapel with the 5th grade band playing several selections. Mrs. Aleisha Shouse, HS/MS/5th grade Band Director, led us in worship.

# HS/MS News

**High School Spanish Class-** We just learned party planning vocabulary, so this is how we finished the unit!



## Calendar Highlights

### May

- 14 Maria Smith's Retirement Reception 3:00-5:00 pm  
High School Band Concert 6:30 pm
- 15 Prom
- 17 High School/Middle School Choir Concert 6:30 pm
- 18 Middle School Band Concert
- 20 Piano Recital (students of Mrs. Carpenter & Mrs. Roy) 6:30 pm
- 21 Kindergarten Program 8:30 am  
High School/Middle School Color Wars  
Monica Allison's Retirement Reception 3:00-5:00 pm  
8th Grade Bridge Ceremony 6:30 pm
- 24 High School Awards (9th-11th Grades) 12:30 pm  
Senior Walk Out  
5th Grade Celebration 6:30 pm
- 25 Elementary Field Day  
Piano Recital (students of Ms. Haycraft) 6:30 pm
- 26 Middle School Awards 2:15 pm
- 27 Last Day of School  
Elementary Closing Ceremony 1:45 pm  
Senior Awards 6:30 pm
- 29 Commencement