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# THE KNIGHT'S HERALD



[What does God require in the fourth and fifth commandments?](#)

**Fourth--that on the Sabbath day we spend time in worship of God.  
Fifth--that we love and honor our father and our mother.**

## Upcoming Dates

[January 18](#)

Heart Smart Challenge Kick-Off

[January 23](#)

Elementary AR Reward Day  
Minute-to-Win-It Games

[January 23](#)

Dine to Donate  
Culver's on Hershey (4-9 pm)  
See Flyer, p. 3

[January 24](#)

Junior Class Bake Sale

[January 25](#)

Author Allen Brokken (3rd-5th)

[February 2](#)

CCA Open House\*

[February 5](#)

PTO Meeting (7 pm)

*\*calendar change*

## CCA OPEN HOUSE

Join us on Friday, Feb. 2, for a home Varsity Boys game, watch the Elementary Cheer Camp girls perform, and bring a prospective CCA family to come through our Open House (5:30-6:30).



**The next future CCA family may just be one invitation away!** Consider inviting friends, family, neighbors to join the CCA Family! Prospective families will be given a tour, will have staff available to answer questions, and will receive a gift bag. **For you, the referring family, we will have a gift of CCA merchandise and . . .**

## 2024-25 RE-ENROLLMENT

**. . .read on to see how you can reduce your tuition by referring a new student:**

Information for next year's online re-enrollment will be sent out early next week. Current families have two opportunities to save on the Registration Fee. Complete the online enrollment by midnight on April 4 to receive \$250 off the \$500 Registration Fee. In addition, complete the online enrollment by midnight on February 4 to receive an additional \$50 off the Registration Fee. Register for next year for only \$200! Refer a new family and . . .

**receive a \$1000 per student rebate**

off your family's tuition fees for 2024-25. Details can be found on the Referral Rebate coupon found on Page 3. Coupons will also be sent with the re-enrollment materials and be available in the school office.



## LOCAL AUTHOR TO VISIT CCA!

Due to weather, we have rescheduled local author, Allen Brokken for Thursday, Jan. 25. He will be sharing his love of writing with our 3rd-5th Grade students and bringing their purchased, signed copies to deliver to the students. Please see his list of books on the following pages. If you would like to order, 40% of the proceeds will go back to CCA. He has been very generous to our school in providing this opportunity and also in providing books for our school library. You can order at <https://towersoflight.net> - use the code CCAVISIT24 to get the discounted rate and credit toward our school donations. See flyer, p. 5.

## SENIOR NIGHT



## LADY KNIGHTS SENIOR NIGHT



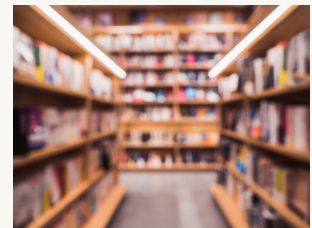
Thursday night, CCA fans enjoyed celebrating **Addison Jackson** and **Scarlett Kennedy** at the Lady Knight's Senior Night! Both the senior girls and their parents were honored for all the hard work and long nights spent in making the Lady Knight's basketball team a great success. The girls outscored cross-city rival Cornerstone Christian in a hard-fought battle in the game that followed. Go Knights!



## DINE TO DONATE

This next Tuesday, Jan 23, join us at the Hershey Rd. Culver's for our next Dine to Donate event. The Dine to Donate monthly events raise funds for the CCA Tuition Assistance Program and have been great fundraisers to help so many families be a part of the CCA Family! We are so grateful for your participation in these events. Great thanks also to **Joy Swanson**, who annually plans and administrated the monthly events.

## LIBRARY UPDATE



Update from the CCA Librarian, Kelly Graeber: A huge "Thank You" to all who have donated books from their collections to our library recently. We are now to the place in the library where we are seeking specific items to fill in the gaps. If you would like to donate to the library, contact Miss Kelly, who will share the latest book list with you. We do ask that no further books be left without checking first.

## HEART SMART



Our elementary classes will be participating in the American Heart Association Heart Smart Challenge starting on January 18 at an assembly and continuing during the PE classes until the end of February. We would like to encourage our families and students to logon and complete Finn's Mission (see flyer). Prizes will be given for levels being met and for participation in the program. This will provide an opportunity to teach the students healthy habits that will benefit them for years to come and give back to our community in a healthy way. We will also be teaching them about Hands-On CPR and things to watch for during an emergency. See flyer on p. 5 for information regarding the AHA Kids Heart Challenge.



## New Student Referral Coupon 2024-2025 School Year

\$1,000

### Coupon Detail

Name of existing CCA Family: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of New Student Referral: \_\_\_\_\_

- \*A referral rebate of \$1000 will be awarded to any existing CCA family that:
  - \*Refers a new student to enroll and attend Calvary Christian Academy for the 2024-25 school year.
  - \*Former students and siblings of current students do not qualify as a new student referral.
  - \*Only full-time, full-day students qualify as a new student referral.
  - \*This New Student Referral Coupon must be presented to the office at the new student's initial interview. Verbal coupons will not be honored. Coupons presented after 07/31/2024 will not be honored.
- \*Rebates will be posted to the family's account on 11/01/24. Rebates are void if new student withdraws before 11/01/24.
- \*There is no limit to the number of referrals a family may claim. The amount of referral rebate cannot exceed the total annual tuition charge for a family. Any rebate amount over the total annual tuition charge for a family will be forfeited.



## UPPER ELEMENTARY PRAYER-GROUP

Starting February 7, our 3rd-5th Grades will be starting a Prayer Group. Limited space is available and information went home in Friday folders today explaining the groups and providing a form to turn in to join. We look forward to seeing our students develop a prayer life that strengthens their faith based on a trusting and obedient relationship with our gracious God. See Flyer, p. 5.

## WEATHER-RELATED CLOSINGS



If the school needs to close or delay opening for inclement weather, families will be notified through the following means:

- Email
- The CCA website
- The CCA Facebook page

Other possible notification channels include:

- Radio/TV stations
  - oWJBC 1230 AM
  - oCities 92.9
  - oWMBD television (typically slower to announce)

Any decisions will be made by 6:30 am; if there is no announcement by 6:30 am, school will be open in the morning as usual. While CCA generally follows Unit 5 regarding cancellations/delays, be aware that CCA does not always follow their decisions.

In case of severe weather during the school day, students will remain at school until they are dismissed. In the event of a tornado, it is safer for students to remain at school than to be picked up and transported.

Please do not call the school during severe weather, as it is critical to have the phone lines open in case of an emergency, and answering the phones takes personnel away from their primary job to supervise students and watch the weather situation. Should it be determined in the best interest of students and staff to dismiss students early, CCA will notify parents via email, website, and Facebook. A staff member will remain at school until all students have been picked up by a parent or legal guardian.



# DONATE WHILE YOU DINE

Present this Flyer at the Culver's of Bloomington, Hershey Road January 23, 2024 from 4-9 p.m. and we will donate 15% of your purchase to the Calvary Christian Academy.

Enjoy a delicious meal, benefit a great cauuse and feel good all over.

**THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**



Come on in to your local Culver's restaurant:

Culver's of Bloomington, IL  
901 N Hershey Road  
Bloomington IL, 61704  
(309) 662-7070

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First, scan the QR Code to download the mobile app. After the app, scan "Virtual Experience" code through to bring it to life and receive more information for how to become the ultimate heart hero.

## CELEBRATION!

**DEAR PARENT OR GUARDIAN**  
Registration is now open! Our community counts on lifesavers like you. Please sign your student up for our Kids Heart Challenge so they can learn how to keep their hearts and brains healthy while raising funds to help kids with special hearts — kids like Finn.

**FINN**  
GRADE 3

**JOIN OUR COMMUNITY OF LIFESAVERS**

- 1 REGISTER
- 2 COMPLETE FINN'S MISSION

It's easy to do on our ANA Schools app or by visiting [heart.org/Schools](http://heart.org/Schools). Students in Kids Heart Challenge are raising funds to help kids with special hearts — kids like Finn.

Born with multiple heart defects, Finn spent the first eight months of his life in the hospital. Although he's had more than 18 procedures, today Finn is an energetic third-grader who loves educating others about heart health and helping kids with special hearts.

**REGISTER TODAY!** Download our ANA Schools app or visit [heart.org/Schools](http://heart.org/Schools).

**SCAN CHECKS!** To instantly see your online total update with our ANA Schools app.

**HAVE A MATCHING GIFT?** Send your matching gift card to [heart@ana.org](mailto:heart@ana.org) or [www.heart.org/Schools](http://www.heart.org/Schools).

For nearly 100 years, the American Heart Association has been fighting heart disease and stroke, helping families and communities in the U.S. Register, Donate and Engage Us.

Visit [heart.org/982CHM8](http://heart.org/982CHM8) for resources in other languages.

**THANK-YOU GIFTS!**  
¡GRACIAS POR SU REGISTRO!

**REGISTER ONLINE TO EARN FOUR WRISTBANDS**  
REGÍSTRATE EN LÍNEA Y RECÍBIRÁS CUATRO CINTAS.

**CELEBRANDO**

¡Felicidades! ¡Feliz Navidad a todos!

En el momento de las gracias, nuestra comunidad cuenta con estudiantes como tú. Gracias a tu compromiso con el Kids Heart Challenge para que aprendas a mantener el corazón y el cerebro sanos, ayudamos a muchos niños que necesitan cuidados especiales. ¡Completando la Misión de Finn, también ayudamos a la Misión de CCP para mantener a los niños sanos y saludables en el hogar y en la escuela.

**Envía a tu familia un Certificado de Reconocimiento**

- 1 Regístrate
- 2 Completa la Misión de Finn

El Kids Heart Challenge cuenta con el apoyo de los estudiantes ANA y de los voluntarios [heart.org/Schools](http://heart.org/Schools).

Los estudiantes de Kids Heart Challenge necesitan fondos para ayudar a niños con condiciones especiales. Finn nació con defectos de nacimiento que lo llevaron a estar en el hospital. A pesar de haberse sometido a más de 18 cirugías cardíacas, hoy Finn es un niño energético que ama educar a otros sobre la salud del corazón y ayudar a los niños con condiciones especiales.

**¡Envía tu foto! Descarga nuestra aplicación ANA Schools o visita [heart.org/Schools](http://heart.org/Schools).**

**Envía tus Cheques para un reconocimiento a tu familia con nuestra aplicación ANA Schools.**

**Envía tus Donaciones Equilibradas!** Envía la confirmación de tu donación equilibrada desde una cuenta de tu banco en línea directamente a [heart@ana.org](mailto:heart@ana.org).

Recuerda que 100 años de la Asociación Americana de Corazón y Cerebro se celebran en el mes de diciembre. ¡Ayuda a celebrar el centenario de la fundación de la Asociación Americana de Corazón y Cerebro!

Para más información, visita [www.heart.org/982CHM8](http://www.heart.org/982CHM8).

Local author and Calvary member Allen Brinkken is visiting CCA on January 16th. He is providing a 30% discount on his books for CCA families and donating 10% of the sale price to CCA to support school activities by using code **CCA30OFF** at <https://www.allenlight.net>. If you choose local delivery, Allen will bring signed copies to the event. All orders need to be in by midnight Sunday January 15th.



**1 Light of Mine**

After their parents experience tragic separation, Lorenz, Aiden, and Ethan discover the Armor of God.

Will their faith be strong enough to keep their hearts from destroying the Tower of Light?

CCA Price \$12.99 normally ~~\$18.99~~



**2 In His Hand, Voice**

In a vision, Lorenz, Aiden, and Ethan are called to save their parents who are trapped in the Bishop's evil message but their Uncle has other plans!

Can the children help Uncle see the light before it's too late?

CCA Price \$12.99 normally ~~\$18.99~~



**3 In Your No Hell**

Separated by tragedy on the river Lorenz, Aiden and Ethan are lost and alone in a valley of darkness.

Will the children find their way and the courage to save their parents?

CCA Price \$12.99 normally ~~\$18.99~~



**4 Armor of God**

Their Father has become the Dark One's Champion!

Can Lorenz, Aiden, and Ethan reverse the Evil Armor of God to save their lives?

CCA Price \$12.99 normally ~~\$18.99~~



**5 Whipping of Life**

Lorenz, Aiden, and Ethan must find the long hidden whipping of life.

Will they be able to share it's living waters before it's too late?

CCA Price \$12.99 normally ~~\$18.99~~



**6 Dismantling the Stronghold**

Lorenz, Aiden, and Ethan return to the Iron Mountains.

Will they be able to defeat the darkness in their land once and for all?

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Audio Book Players including the whole *Towers of Light Series* plus *The Adventure Story Bible* and *Songs for Saplings Devotional Songs*  
<https://www.towersoflight.net>



**Towers of Light Series Amber Personal Audio Player**

This ultra-compact audio player is the perfect vacation companion for us on our travels. With built-in solar charging it's the perfect companion when sitting down with a child. It has days of built-in content and a screen. We can also use your own content you can take it anywhere and know you'll have entertainment to last the whole trip.

- Includes:
  - Towers of Light Series Books 1-6,
  - Adventure for Story Bible
  - Songs for Saplings
  - Devotional Songs
  - 1 x Earbuds
  - 1 x USB charging cable

CCA Price \$29.99 normally ~~\$44.99~~



**Towers of Light Series 1-6 Books**

CCA Price \$29.99 normally ~~\$44.99~~



**Towers of Light Series 4-6 Books**

CCA Price \$19.99 normally ~~\$29.99~~



**Tower of Light Audio Player**

This multi-function audio player is perfect for family story time in your living room, on the table on a camping trip. It comes fully loaded with over 100 hours of audio content, and is solar powered so you can use it handy under any circumstances.

Includes:
 

- Towers of Light Series Books 1-6,
- Audio Bible in Church of Tomorrow
- 1 x USB charging cable



**Whole Series Books**

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# 3rd-5th Grade Prayer Group:



## Purpose:

Prayer is often an overlooked discipline in the Christian life. What a privilege it is to come to God with our needs, desires, and grateful hearts for all He is doing in our lives. When children are taught at an early age to bring their needs to God, they develop a faith that is based on a trusting and obedient relationship with Him. We are going to have a scheduled time after school to develop a prayer group with the 3rd-5th graders at Calvary Christian Academy. We are excited to see how God will use their faith to grow during this time.

## Where/When:

Where: Calvary Christian  
Academy Library

When: Wednesdays 3:00 - 3:30  
starting February 7, 2024

## Interested:

If you are interested in joining the Prayer Group, please return the attached form to school before 1/26/24. Space is limited to the first 20 students.

