



# The Crusader Chronicle



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**Virtue for April:  
Faith**



## Important Dates & Events

- April 14** Daughters of the King
- April 16** Pope Benedict XVI's Birthday (pizza day)
- April 16** All School Catechism Bee
- April 18** Staff Appreciation Lunch
- April 24** Spring Writing Prompt
- April 28** Professional Development — No School for Students
- April 29** Open House at Kinder Campus 6:30pm
- May 5** 4th Quarter Mid-Quarter
- May 5-9** Public Classes
- May 12** Daughters of the King
- May 16** May Crowning
- May 22** Band Concert (7-8pm)
- May 22-23** Kindergarten Roundup
- May 26** Memorial Day—No School
- July 14-18** Vacation Bible School



Send suggestions and newsletter submissions to Rosanne Petersen at [frontdesk@cedarcrest.org](mailto:frontdesk@cedarcrest.org)

*To Teach, To Educate, To Form*

Dear Cedarcrest Academy Parents: I am pleased to announce the Honor Roll for the third quarter. Congratulations students!

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|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Miss Sara Albert, Grade 3       | Miss Cynthia Heck, Grade 5         |
| Miss Ifeoma Ayika, Grade 3      | Mr. Stephen Kopp, Grade 5          |
| Miss Lauren Bakke, Grade 3      | Miss Emily Marsh, Grade 5          |
| Miss Bethany Becker, Grade 3    | Miss Kailey McIntyre, Grade 5      |
| Miss Cozette Bennett, Grade 3   | Miss Sarah Michal, Grade 5         |
| Miss Lillian Conforti, Grade 3  | Miss Meaghen Newman, Grade 5       |
| Miss Brenna Kielty, Grade 3     | Mr. Isaac Schmitz, Grade 5         |
| Mr. Gabriel Kopp, Grade 3       | Miss Rebecca Schoenfelder, Grade 5 |
| Mr. Martin Partoll, Grade 3     | Miss Alexa Tkachuck, Grade 5       |
| Miss Shae Peters, Grade 3       | Miss Maria Vogel, Grade 5          |
| Miss Madeleine Phelan, Grade 3  | Mr. Kyle Walz, Grade 5             |
| Miss Camille Romero, Grade 3    | Miss Rebecca Dykhoff, Grade 6      |
| Mr. Gavin Austin, Grade 4       | Miss Anne Janas, Grade 6           |
| Mr. Ryan Davidson, Grade 4      | Mr. David Newman, Grade 6          |
| Miss Johanna Dykhoff, Grade 4   | Miss Olivia Steeves, Grade 6       |
| Miss Katherine Kaardal, Grade 4 | Mr. Carl Stone, Grade 6            |
| Mr. Peter Partoll, Grade 4      | Miss Cerissa Bennett, Grade 7      |
| Mr. Adam Petersen, Grade 4      | Miss Rachel Haefliger, Grade 7     |
| Miss Celia Phelan, Grade 4      | Mr. Sam Kaardal, Grade 7           |
| Miss Kelli Richardson, Grade 4  | Miss Alexandra Kopp, Grade 7       |
| Miss Anna Rossini, Grade 4      | Miss Victoria Backstrom, Grade 8   |
| Mr. Joshua Rudell, Grade 4      | Mr. Leo Janas, Grade 8             |
| Mr. Jonah Schoenfelder, Grade 4 | Miss Rachel McGrath, Grade 8       |
| Mr. Alec Spevacek, Grade 4      | Miss Quinci Scherber, Grade 8      |
| Miss Ellen Bakke, Grade 5       | Mr. Nicholas Schmitz, Grade 8      |
| Miss Ashley Borland, Grade 5    | Mr. Evan Steeves, Grade 8          |
| Miss Jacqueline Cavins, Grade 5 | Miss Elizabeth Vogel, Grade 8      |

**KINDER CAMPUS  
OPEN HOUSE  
April 29th at 6:30pm**



Please be sure to tell your friends, families and neighbors about our upcoming Open House on **April 29th at 6:30pm**. We are so **blessed** as parents to have Cedarcrest Academy, with its Integral Formation<sup>sm</sup>, support our efforts in educating our children.

Cedarcrest Academy provides a unique experience in academic, spiritual, and character formation with a sense of caring and giving towards others...and is **worth sharing** with others to help Cedarcrest Academy in its mission to teach, educate and form future leaders!

**CATECHISM BEE**

Congratulations to the 2007-08 Catechism Bee Participants listed below! Please join us on April 16th for the All School Bees. The schedule is:

9:45am-11:10am Upper Division (Grades 7 and 8)

1:10-2:10pm Primary Division (Grades 1-3)

2:15-3:05pm Intermediate Division (Grades 4-6)

**1-Michal**

Nathan Antonio  
Evan Carroll  
Thomas Cormier  
Angelina Rossini, Alternate #1  
Griffin Austin, Alternate #2

**1-Mills**

Franchesca Toste  
Madeleine O'Brien  
Johnny Vogel  
Sean Chapman, Alternate #1  
Nick Kellar, Alternate #2

**2-Rosa**

Anthony LaFond  
Tina O'Brien  
Andrew Rossini  
Danny Newman, Alternate #1  
Kate Hodgdon, Alternate #2

**3-Wahl**

Lauren Bakke  
Bethany Becker  
Camille Romero  
Nolan Farnam, Alternate #1  
Lillian Conforti, Alternate #2

**4-Blomgren**

Kate Kaardal  
Anna Rossini  
Celia Phelan  
Johanna Dykhoff, Alternate #1  
Gavin Austin, Alternate #2

**5-Nguyen**

Ashley Borland  
Ellen Bakke  
Meaghen Newman  
Kailey McIntyre, Alternate #1  
Jaki Cavins, Alternate #2

**6-Kielty**

Anne Janas  
David Newman  
Olivia Steeves  
Rebecca Dykhoff, Alternate #1  
Sam Kellar, Alternate #2

**7-Franzese**

Cerissa Bennett  
Rachel Haefliger  
Alexandra Kopp  
Sam Kaardal, Alternate #1

**8-Franzese**

Tori Backstrom  
Leo Janas  
Quinci Scherber  
Beth Vogel, Alternate #1  
Gino Charmoli, Alternate #2



Remember to bring in your change and donations for the fundraiser for students in Tanzania! You may give your donations to your child's homeroom teacher by April 18th.



**Congratulations Mark and Victoria Halvorson for winning the Gala Raffle — \$10,000 cash!** Fourth grader Margaret Schmitz sold the winning ticket to the Halvorsons, who are the Schmitz's neighbors.

### INFORMATION ON CEDARCREST WEB SITE!

Visit [www.cedarcrest.org](http://www.cedarcrest.org) and take a look at the great things on our site! Here are just a few things:

- ⇒ Back issues of *The Chronicle*
- ⇒ Up-to-date school calendar

## Current and New Parent Information Night

**Thursday, April 24th 7:00pm – 9:00pm**  
**Cedarcrest Academy Main Campus**

Come to the school and get the **latest update on our Dayton Campus Plans**, Kinder Campus plans for next year, and excitingly **BIG** (really **BIG**) news about Cedarcrest Academy's future.

Please make every attempt to be present – attendance will be taken!

Child care will be provided.

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## Orchestra Hall Field Trip a Success!

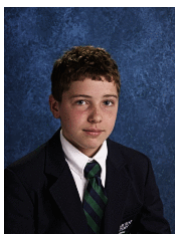
*By Amy Gleason, Music Director*



Last Wednesday April 2, the first, second and third grade students, teachers and chaperones piled into a bus and journeyed to Orchestra Hall in Minneapolis. W.A Mozart made a special Wednesday morning appearance and was accompanied by the Minnesota Orchestra and several young guests. Mozart delighted us with snippets of his music and tales of his most memorable childhood experiences. What a joy it was to see the students beaming as they heard firsthand the music we have been listening to in class!

Thank you parents for raising such wonderful children. The students at Cedarcrest Academy were polite, attentive and respectful for the entire field trip. May God bless you and your families and may your homes be filled with music!

## Positive Conduct Reports



Congratulations 6th grader Carl Stone on "showing admirable initiative in apostolic work and service to others." Mrs. Fischer reports, "I was on lunch clean-up duty and Carl came into the Activities Room and said he was volunteering to help us since all the older students were away from school on a field trip. His help was very much appreciated!"



Second grader Madeline MacLean received a Positive Conduct Report for practicing positive leadership and exemplary respect in manner, speech and attitude. Madeline is "very attentive during class and is always one of the first students ready and prepared for whatever we are doing. She is a great example to others."



Toni Cavins (3rd grade) received an award for "showing admirable initiative in apostolic work and service to others." Mrs. Wahl cites the following example of Toni's virtue, "During recess, Toni has given of herself and her free time to pick up garbage. She has also been reaching out to set a good example for others during Mass with her behavior."



7th graders dissecting frog in Science class (left); Cedarcrest parents are enjoying themselves at the Gala (right)

