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HEARTLAND FAMILY MINISTRIES

Heartland Happenings

From the Pastor by Pastor Danny McCubbin



When you go hunting, you set a trap or bait to catch the animal that you are hunting. For example, when you go fishing you put the proper bait to catch the fish. Putting a shoe on the line would not be helpful. You would need to put the bait that looks appealing to the fish. Today, we live in a culture that is being baited to leave God out of the equation. All of us wake up everyday, and we must realize that Satan presents sin as fun, satisfying, profitable, and pleasurable, while concealing the miseries and pain that always accompany sin. Hebrews 3:13 states:

“ But exhort one another daily, while it is called today; lest any of you be hardened through the deceitfulness of sin.”

Thank you that as a church we encourage one another to live a life that is focused on the Lord. I pray that we can continue to encourage and lift each other in prayer daily as sin creeps in if we are not careful.

Mark Your Calendars

Each year, I want to evaluate what we have done the past year and cast vision each summer. I want to start having meetings in April for Vision and Evaluation to see how we can better impact our community and make disciples. These meetings will be held on the following dates at 5:00pm:

Sunday, April 16

Sunday, April 30

Sunday, June 25

February 2023



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
29	30	31	1 <i>Early Enrollment Begins</i> <i>MOPS Mtg, 6pm</i>	2	3 <i>3rd Quarter Midterms</i>	4 <i>PTF Mtg, 8am at Panera</i>
	<i>JH MOKAN Conf. Tournament</i>			<i>JH MOKAN Conference Tournament</i>		
5	6	7	8	9 <i>Sr. Adult Luncheon at IHOP, 11:30am</i>	10	11
	<i>V MOKAN Conf. Tournament</i>			<i>HCS Half-Days—12pm dismissal</i>		
				<i>Varsity MOKAN Conf. Tournament</i>		
12	13	14 <i>HCS Senior Night Home vs. FCA</i> <i>JH G, 4pm</i> <i>JH B, 5pm</i> <i>VG, 6pm</i> <i>VB, 7pm</i>	15 <i>MOPS Mtg, 6pm</i>	16	17	18
				<i>MCSAA State Tournament Joplin, MO</i>		
				<i>Winter Break—No School</i>		
19	20 <i>President's Day No School</i>	21	22	23 <i>HCS Open House, 5-8pm</i>	24	25 <i>Youth Football Event, time tbd</i>
26	27 <i>Spring Sports Practices Begin</i>	28	1 <i>General Enrollment Begins</i>	2	3 <i>3rd Quarter Midterms</i>	4

Midweek Meals—February Menus

You do not need to sign up to attend these meals, which occur weekly on Wednesdays at 5:30pm. If you would like to help with set-up, serving, or clean-up, please contact Yvonne Roberts.

Feb 1

Hammy Cheese and Potatoes, Green Beans, Salad, Banana Pudding Cups

Feb 8

Goulash, Salad, Caramel Apple Sheet Cake

Feb 15

Taco Salad, Chili, Snickerdoodle Cookies

Feb 22

Baked Potato Bar, Salad, Chocolate Cookies

Church Cleaning Day

Mark your calendars for
Saturday, March 25, 9:00am!

We will be holding a church cleaning day and would love to have your support. Please, plan to arrive ready to work in clothes you don't mind getting dirty.

Football Fun

Saturday, Feb. 25

The Youth will be holding a football event the day before the Super Bowl. Contact Cole Knowlton for details.



FBC Yarn Club

Tuesdays, 4-6pm, Rm 133

Don't forget—the church has a yarn club which meets on Tuesday evenings. If you have an interest in learning to knit or crochet, we have some materials and more experienced members to get you started. We welcome members of all skill levels.

If knitting or crochet aren't your style, but you have portable projects in other fiber fields, such as sewing, embroidery, weaving, or spinning, you are also welcome to join! This is a drop-in group, so if you cannot come every week or stay for the full two hours—no worries!

This group is free to attend and open to the public, although right now we are just advertising it in-house.

Feel free to bring friends!

If you would like to join the yarn club, stop by on Tuesdays or contact Jessica Anders.

Matthew 16:24-25- 24— Then Jesus said to His disciples, “If anyone desires to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow Me. 25 For whoever desires to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for My sake will find it.

Strong words are often used in Scripture when it comes to describing what it means to follow Christ. In this passage, it uses “deny”, “take up his cross”, and “lose”. It is a daily decision we must make to forsake the world and choose joy in Christ. It is very easy to get caught up in this world we live in, but the joy and contentment found in Christ is immeasurable! “Not that I speak in regard to need, for I have learned in whatever state I am, to be content: I know how to be abased, and I know how to abound. Everywhere and in all things I have learned both to be full and to be hungry, both to abound and to suffer need. I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.”- Philippians 4:11-13. As you choose to deny yourself and follow Him each day, allow Christ to strengthen you!

Patch the Pirate Club

We’ve seen a lot of growth with our Patch Club kids group and could definitely use some volunteers for our Wednesday night program! See Amy Krigbaum if you are interested! We meet at 6:30pm on Wednesday nights, right after our FBC Family Supper at 5:30. Come and join us!

Video Booth

We are still looking for volunteers to serve on a rotation in our video booth on Sunday mornings. If you are interested, please see Brad Krigbaum.

Music Notes

Choir- Choir Rehearsal will start up again on Wednesday, February 1st at 7:30pm! We will soon begin working on music for Easter! Hope to see you then! And bring a friend!



Psalm 78:5-6

“He decreed statutes for Jacob and established the law in Israel, which He commanded our ancestors to teach their children, so the next generation would know them, even the children yet to be born, and they in turn would tell their children.”

God has been faithful to the church and school for many generations. We as individuals are thankful for that, and we want to celebrate God's faithfulness on March 10th. We are asking each family to host a table and bring people who could partner for the future financially to help keep the school affordable, accessible, and available for anyone who is led to be here. If you would like to be a part of the Gala event on March 10th, please, let us know. An example of the invitation can be found on the following page. We would love to extend this to you, too! We will also send physical invitations out for you if you provide us with addresses.

Save the Dates:

PTF Mtg, Feb. 4—8am at Panera

Feb. 9 & 10—Half-Days,
12pm dismissal both days

Winter Break—February 16-20,
No School

Giving Gala—March 10, 5:30pm

Spring Break—March 13-17,
No School

Muffins with Mom—March 21
7:30am

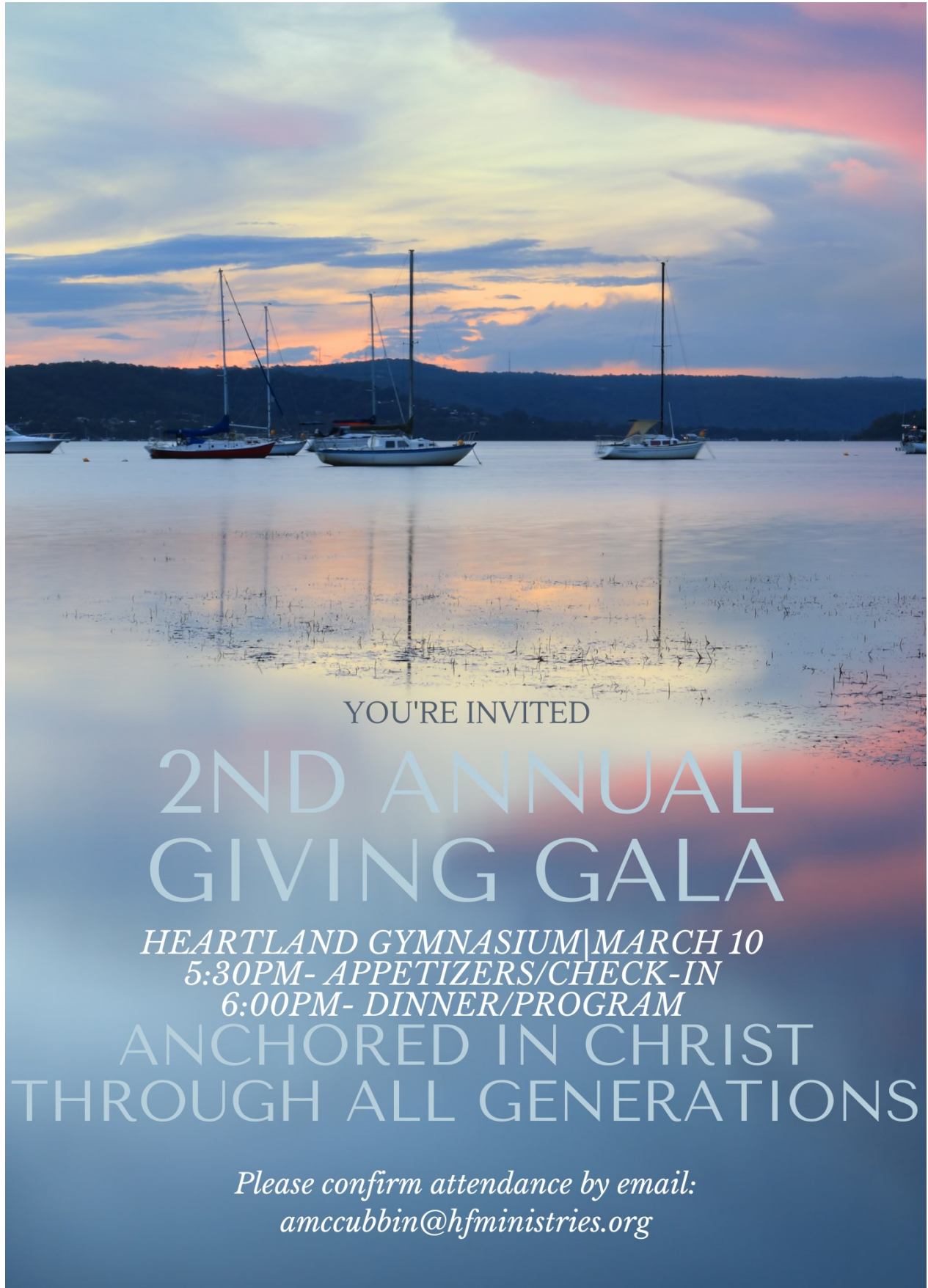
Open Houses

We're already looking forward to the new year, and with enrollment opening next month, we will soon begin holding open houses for prospective parents to visit and learn more about our school. If you know of someone who is looking to enroll their child in a school with a strong, Biblically-sound curriculum, send them our way!

Thursday, Feb. 23, 5-8pm

Tuesday, Mar. 21, 5-8pm

Thursday, Apr. 20, 5-8pm



YOU'RE INVITED

2ND ANNUAL GIVING GALA

*HEARTLAND GYMNASIUM | MARCH 10
5:30PM- APPETIZERS/CHECK-IN
6:00PM- DINNER/PROGRAM*

ANCHORED IN CHRIST THROUGH ALL GENERATIONS

*Please confirm attendance by email:
amccubbin@hfministries.org*

Parent Info Meetings

Thank you for attending the parent meetings! At that meetings, I asked three favors from parents:

1. Attend the Giving Gala and invite potential donors to join you.
2. Email me with things that you would like to see at the school as we prepare for next year.
3. Consider taking part in volunteer opportunities within the school. We will have more opportunities for parents to volunteer as we go into next year. If you are interested in being a volunteer, please let the office know as we start our volunteer teams.

For those of you who were unable to attend the meetings, whether in-person or via Zoom, the recording of the Zoom meeting did not come through properly. Please, email me at dmccubbin@hfministries.org if you have any questions about what was covered during the meetings.

Host Families Needed

It is not too soon to be thinking about serving as a host family for an international student during the 2023-24 school year!

If you are feeling led to take part in this ministry, please contact Pastor Danny McCubbin.



“Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost, teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age.’ Amen”

Matthey 28:19-20

I can't believe that it is February already! Hearts and candy are on the horizon! Basketball is in full swing but will be over soon. If you haven't come out to watch a game or two, you really should. Coming to a game and supporting our players is a great time. MOKAN and State tournaments are almost here.

We are still having a lot of interest shown in our school, as we have several families looking for next year! Praise God. We need to keep pushing to make our school even more available and relevant to our city and the surrounding area. There are always volunteer opportunities for you if you feel led to become involved.

Enrollment Overview

Early Enrollment begins Feb. 1!

If you are planning to re-enroll next year, please do so as soon as possible! This allows us to have a better idea of how many books to order and gives us more time to hire quality teachers. For the 2023-24 school year, we will continue to consolidate the formerly separate fees for book usage, technology, and activities with tuition.

The rates for tuition are listed below. These numbers do represent a 3% increase from the current school year which is consistent with tuition increases over the last several years to account for inflation.

<u>2023-24 Tuition</u>	K3-K5 (half-day)	K3-K5 (full day)	1st-5th Grade	6th-8th Grade	9th-12th Grade
First Child	\$4,552	\$7,112	\$8,179	\$8,535	\$8,819
Second Child	\$3,687	\$5,761	\$6,625	\$6,913	\$7,144
Third Child	\$2,777	\$4,338	\$4,989	\$5,207	\$5,380
Fourth Child	\$1,957	\$3,058	\$3,517	\$3,670	\$3,792

Any additional children enrolled after the fourth child will be charged the Fourth Child rate. Financial Assistance is available. Please, contact the office if you have any questions about enrollment or financial aid.

As with previous years, the enrollment fee will increase with each phase of enrollment, so please re-enroll as soon as possible once the enrollment packets are available:

Feb. 1-28: Early Enrollment Fee—\$185
Mar. 1-Apr. 4: General Enrollment Fee—\$260
Apr. 5 and later: Late Enrollment Fee—\$385

Sports Section

by Mrs. Tamra Atcheson

Hello all,

As I reflect on our January, I am reminded of how truly blessed I am to be at Heartland. We have had a full month with more basketball games than we knew what to do with, Spirit Week, Homecoming activities, and various other activities sprinkled in. In the busyness of the schedule, Heartland parents, students, families, friends, and staff have gone above and beyond to ensure that we have everything we need to be successful. The most recent example of this was during our trip to Ft. Scott, KS, for our last regular season conference games. On the way to the games, the church van carrying our girls' teams had a blowout on the highway. By the grace of God, Mrs. Allen was able to quickly and safely get them off the highway without much trouble. Once the damage had been assessed and we realized that the van would not be driveable, we started making phone calls to try and get the girls safely to the school. While doing this, we had several school families stop and offer to help, and within 20 minutes, everyone was back on their way to the school, and we were able to finish our evening of games. I cannot tell all of the families and staff who stopped to help or were working from Belton to help set up rides and get the tow services going how thankful I am.

This month, we will finish our basketball and cheer seasons with our MOKAN Conference and MCSAA State tournaments, as well as our MOKAN All-Star Game. We will also have our final home games of the school year and say goodbye to our Seniors who have been a part of our basketball and cheer programs this year. There are still plenty of opportunities to come out and support our teams this year.

We have also started sign-ups for our Spring sports program and look forward to all the opportunities our students will have this Spring. We will be offering Track and Field, Baseball, and Golf, with the potential to add Girl's soccer, Softball, or Boy's Volleyball. We are excited to continue growing our programs for students. If you are interested in partnering with our teams, please contact me at tatcheson@hfministries.org. Or please consider joining our Booster club! We have individual and corporate partnerships available. Forms can be found in the school office.

All team schedules and game locations can be found on the school calendar. Below is a list of games for February:

Monday-Saturday, 1/30-2/4 - JH MOKAN Tournament
Games for Mon.-Fri. Will be held at Overland Christian School.
Saturday games will be held at Heartland Christian School.

Monday-Saturday, 2/6-2/11 - Varsity MOKAN Tournament
All Games will be held at Heartland Christian School
Brackets can be found in the office

Tuesday, 2/14 - SENIOR NIGHT
Home Games vs. Faith Christian Academy

4:00 pm - JH Girls

5:00 pm - JH Boys

6:00 pm - V Girls

7:30 pm - V Boys

9:00 pm - Senior Night presentations

Thursday-Saturday, 2/16-2/18 - MCSAA State Tournament in Joplin, MO

Tuesday, 2/21 - MOKAN All-Star Games @ Heartland Christian School
Games will start at 5:00 pm



First Baptist Church of Belton - Schedules

Sunday

Bible Studies, 9am

Children

Infants-5th Grade,
Rms 32-39

Seekers

6th-12th grades, Rm 33

Reviewing Romans

Young Adults, Room 5

Minor Prophets,

Major Impact

Men's Class, Rm 142
Ladies' Class, Rm 133
Senior Adult Ladies'
Class, Rm 141

Joy-Filled

Adults' In-Depth Study
of the Book of I John
Rm 9

World Changers

(A Study of Acts)
Adults, Rm 3

New Member's Class

Rm 30

Sunday Worship

10:15am

Wednesday

Bible Studies, 6:30pm

Children

(Infants-K4)
Rms 32-39

Patch the Pirate Club

K5-6th Grade, Rm 30

Seekers

6th-12th grades, Rm 33

Godward Heart—

Having a Heart for God

Young Adults,
Rm 5

Being a God-Centered Woman - A Study of the Women of the Bible

Women of Grace,
Rm 133

In the Beginning—A Study of the Book of Genesis

Men's Class, Rm 142

Wednesdays, 7:30pm

Adult Choir Practice
Rm 3 (Choir Suite)

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Other Opportunities for Fellowship, Service and Study

Tuesdays, 4-6pm

FBC Yarn Club
Rm 133

Wednesdays, 5:30pm

Midweek Meals

Wednesdays, 6-7:30pm

MOPS, Rm 141
Dec. 7

Thursdays, 10:00am

Adults' Bible Study
Personal Revival
in Our Life
Rm 205

Special Meetings

None Scheduled at
This Time