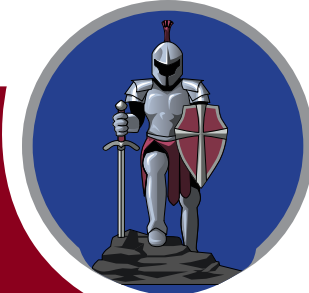


# THE GOOD NEWS

## VALLEY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

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Oh, give thanks to the Lord!  
 Call upon His name;  
 Make known His deeds among the peoples!  
 — Psalm 1:6

### Amazon Smile

If you ever shop on Amazon, please consider signing up and choosing us as your charity on amazon smile. Amazon will donate a percentage from each qualifying purchase to VCA. There's no additional cost to you. [Choose us as your charity here.](#) From a browser, start your shopping at smile.amazon.com. From your mobile device, open your Amazon app and find "Settings" in the main menu. Tap on 'AmazonSmile' and follow the on-screen instructions. We are listed as "Valley Christian Church of the Brethren in Christ".

### Thursday Snack Bar

Our fundraiser continues this week! Please come by and support us. We will be selling nachos, hot dogs, cup of noodles, candy and more! All proceeds go to fund future 5th - 8th grade field trips.

### Lost and Found

The lost and found bin is located in the foyer of the sanctuary near the girl's restroom. If your child is missing any of their belongings, please come take a look to see if we have it before it is emptied at the end of each month. Efforts will be made to return items directly to the student when there's a name on the item. There is currently a small collection of jackets, sweaters, as well as a few water bottles and lunch bags in the bin. Please claim them before the end of school on Friday as they will not be available after that time.

### Parking Lot Gate

Our new security gate has been installed. If the gate is closed when you arrive or as you're leaving, pull up near the gate and it will open. It will remain open during carline hours to ease traffic.

### Chain Reaction Your Ministries

Students grade 6 - 12 are invited to join Pastor Tim for youth group Wednesdays from 6:30 - 8:30 PM. Children do not need to attend VCA to attend youthgroup. Check out their [Instagram](#) for the latest updates.

## Congratulations

### Students of the Week

PreK Aliyah Rodriguez  
 Kinder Auvrey Harris  
 First Liam Melendez  
 Second Mila Beecher  
 Third Bodicea Julien  
 Fourth Ryan Gayle  
 Fifth Christian Halawi  
 Jr. High Victoria Salas

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
11/28/2022	11/29/2022	11/30/2022	12/01/2022	12/02/2022
12/05/2022	12/06/2022	12/07/2022	12/08/2022	12/09/2022
12/12/2022	12/13/2022	12/14/2022 SPIRIT DAY Red & Green Dress Day	12/15/2022	12/16/2022 Minimum Day
12/19/2022 Christmas Vacation Daycare Open	12/20/2022 Christmas Vacation Daycare Open	12/21/2022 Christmas Vacation Daycare Open	12/22/2022 Christmas Vacation Daycare Open	12/23/2022 Christmas Vacation DAYCARE CLOSED

# FROM THE TEACHERS:

## Pre-K -

Hello parents and grandparents! I hope you all enjoyed your Thanksgiving! The holidays can be difficult for some people. My prayers are with those who struggle. We had 3 birthdays this month! Mateo Bryson, Gavyn Day and Ms. Tami! Happy birthday all of you!

## Kindergarten -

Welcome back! I hope you all had a blessed Thanksgiving with your loved ones. Please continue to review your sight words and special sounds this week. We started our +0 & +1 math facts please go over them a couple times a week. If you have any questions please stop by and see me. Have a wonderful week!

## First Grade -

I am truly thankful for this class and the opportunity to work with each of your children and with you. I've noticed that many of my students are running low on crayons and markers. Please send in a new box of 28 crayons and a new box of 12 markers for your student. Thank you. May you be blessed richly during this holiday season.

## Second Grade -

Welcome back! Congratulations to everyone who received an academic award for the first quarter. I hope everyone enjoyed their Thanksgiving break. We have only 3 weeks until Christmas break. Permission slips will be going out soon for our first field trip. Please have your child bring a jacket or sweater every day in their backpack in case they need it, thank you!

### B I B L E V E R S E S

Pre-K	Romans 8:28a
Kindergarten	John 14:15
First	Galatians 6:10
Second	Luke 2:12
Third	John 3:3
Fourth	Romans 3:23-24
Fifth	Psalms 121:1-2
Jr. High	Matthew 5:3-12

## Third Grade -

I hope you all had a blessed Thanksgiving spent with those you love! We're going to dive back into our schoolwork this week. Remember to keep working on your US map projects that due on 12/8, and your poems on 12/26. Also keep in mind as we discussed at parent conferences that I need approved drivers in order to book a date for our whale watching trip. This week's tests are a Language quiz on Tuesday, and a Math test on Friday.

## Fourth Grade -

I am looking forward to working with your students. I have had a chance to meet all of them, and believe that the transition will be fairly smooth for the students. We will be continuing on in all subjects and adding California History. Students should be working on their Mission Project (due 12/8) and memorizing "The Sandpiper" (due 12/9).

## Fifth Grade -

Welcome back! This week, we have a math test on chapter 5 as well as completing our book report on Noah Webster. If you have not submitted your permission slip for Camp Surf, along with a \$50.00 deposit, please do so as soon as possible or before Jan. 6, 2023.

## Junior High-

Welcome back, everybody! I hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving holiday. This week we will be having a couple tests. 7th will be having their science test on Tuesday. Jr. High's Memory Verse Test will be on Friday.

It has grown another two verses, so they will need to be studying often.

They will be writing it twice for homework. Be on the lookout for the History Diorama Rubric this week. It will be sent home and emailed on the same day.

All of Jr. High will be having a Unit 3 Bible test on Thursday. The best way to study for this test is to go over all of the section review questions in the unit, as those questions will be used on the test.

