March 13, 2022

IMMANUEL CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

SCHOOL & COMMUNUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

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THE CHURCH OFFICE is open Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 8:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Please submit all bulletin and announcement materials by 9:00 a.m. Thursday morning.

Sheldon Christian

• **MUSIC MAKERS** will once again be offered at Sheldon Christian! This class is very popular with the 3 - 5 year olds! We invite you to join us! For more information, call the school at 712-324-2429.

When: March 28, April 4, 11, 25, and May 9; from 11:30 a.m.-12:10 p.m.

Cost: \$25

Age: 3 - 5 year olds

Where: Music Room at Sheldon Christian. Use the Main entrance (South East door)

Unity

- **Unity Christian High School** will present "The Wizard of Oz" on March 17,18,19 at 7:00pm at the Unity Christian Knight Center. Tickets may be purchased online through itickets or at the door. Ticket prices are \$10.00 for adults; \$6.00 for K-12. We hope you can join us on the yellow brick road!
- Unity Christian High School is seeking applications for a Spanish teaching position for the 22-23 school year. To learn more about this opportunity please contact Wayne Dykstra at (712) 737-4114 or at wdykstra@unitychristian.net.

Community Announcements

Conquering Cancer 4 O'Brien County: The Sheldon Pizza Ranch will be having a community impact fundraising event on Monday, March 21 from 5:00-7:30 p.m. All tips and donations will go towards raising funds for individuals suffering from cancer in O' Brien County.

Love INC of Greater O'Brien County invites you to attend their annual banquet on Friday, March 25 at 6:00 p.m. at Crossroads Pavilion in Sheldon. Please kindly RSVP by calling (712) 324-9707 by Friday, March 18.

From the Dordt University Music Department:

• The Dordt University Wind Symphony invites you to a concert at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, March 18 at the B.J. Haan Auditorium. This free concert is part of a spring tour with performances scheduled in Missouri, New Mexico, California, Colorado and Iowa. Under the baton of Associate Professor and Director of Instrumental Studies Dr. Onsby C. Rose, the Wind Symphony will perform a wide variety of repertoire. Featured soloist will be Ms. Janna Vanden Brink on flute performing the Chaminade Concertino for Flute. Other program highlights include the music of Gustav Holst, John Mackey, Steven Bryant, Frank Ticheli, and Percy Grainger. The ensemble will conclude their concert with the final movement of Dr. Rose's Symphony No. 1 – IV. For the Fallen as well as John Phillip Sousa's The Stars and Stripes Forever. The concert will also be livestreamed at www.dordt.edu/livestream.

A Benefit for Jane Strouth, daughter of Linda Beltman who had surgery and is continuing to undergo treatment for breast cancer. A benefit meal on her behalf is scheduled for 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. on <u>Sunday, April 24</u> at the Ashton Legion. There will also be a silent auction; bidding will conclude at 2:30 p.m.

Inspiration Hills is a place set apart for your child to COME TO KNOW AND GROW IN CHRIST and create memories that will change their life forever. 2202 camps are offered anywhere from June 13 – August 12 for children entering 1st grade – 12th grades as well as camps for families and grandparents!

Camps include: Day Explorers, Discovery, Wilderness, Lodge, Guys/Girls Only, Horse Saddle Up, Take Me Fishing, and Family/Grand. A week of camp can be one of the most exciting, fun, and unforgettable parts of your child's summer. Here are seven reasons every child should experience summer camp!

- 1. SOCIAL SKILLS: bond, make friends, teach valuable social skills, and create lasting relationships
- 2. UNPLUG FROM TECHNOLOGY: tuning back into nature, friends, and the world around them
- 3. PHYSICAL ACTIVITY: swimming, games, canoeing, ropes courses, archery, hiking, and much more
- **4. FOSTERING INDEPENDENCE:** build character qualities such as responsibility and self-confidence
- **5. ROLE MODELS:** counselors spend countless hours training to mentor the campers
- **6. NEW EXPERIENCES:** allows campers to have the opportunity to discover new hobbies or passions
- **7. HAVE FUN:** camp is a great place where kids have fun

Visit https://www.inspirationhills.org/summer-camp/ to register, how to register, camp options, dates/pricing, scholarship opportunities, and more! **REMINDER:** Parents can save money by registering before April 15! Also, visit our website to see other great retreat opportunities!