



From the Desk of the Headmaster, Mr. Jim Rozendal

“...I will utter hidden things, things from of old – what we have heard and known, what our fathers have told us. We will not hide them from our children; we will tell the next generation the praiseworthy deeds of the Lord, his power, and the wonders he has done. He decreed statutes for Jacob and established the law in Israel, which he commanded our forefathers to teach their children, so the next generation would know them, even the children yet to be born, and they would tell their children. Then they would put their trust in God and would not forget his deeds but would keep his commands.” – Psalm 78:2-7

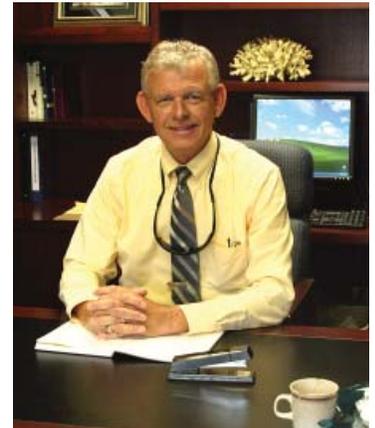
A couple of weeks ago, our youngest granddaughter, Harper Joy, was dedicated to the Lord by her parents at

their church. The pastor held her as he introduced her to the body of believers and prayed for her and her parents. Harper’s aunts and uncles that were there, along with that church made a commitment to help with the raising of this child of God. This event reminded me of another special Sunday four years ago, when Harper’s sister, Kennedy Joy, was baptized. What a joy and comfort to hear not only the commitment of my daughter and son-in-law to raise their children in the knowledge and wisdom of the Lord, but also to hear the church respond to the pastor’s challenge to help raise this child in God’s ways with “We do, God helping us!”

Today, Kennedy is attending a Christian school, much like Atlantic Christian Academy, where the stories of God’s praiseworthy deeds, His power, and the wonders He is doing are shared by teachers

that love our Heavenly Father and His son, Jesus Christ. What a blessing when the school, the local church, and the family can work together to support our children. It is such a privilege to be there when they are in need and celebrate and rejoice with them as they become all that God wants them to be!

Another event made that day four years ago very special. One of our other daughters gave birth to her first baby during the time of the baptismal service. The little boy, Lincoln James, shares the same birthday as my deceased father. And this brought me back to the passage from Psalm 78. A father’s love of the Lord was passed to me. My wife and I passed God’s truths and the story of His wonders on to our children. Now they are



passing on the message of God’s love and grace through Jesus Christ on to Harper, Kennedy and Lincoln.

May we all recognize and be truly thankful to God for the support he gives each of us as we raise our children to love and trust in God, remember His deeds, and keep His commands. May His Spirit use the efforts of our families, our churches, and Atlantic Christian Academy to work in their hearts and minds!



Oct. 2 Wisdom Kid: Brenley Jean 2nd Grade

Mrs. Harrelson shares that Brenley is an awesome young man, who strives to give 100% each day. He is kind and helpful to others, and always obeys his teachers. “Brenley is a joy to teach, and I’m very blessed to have such a fine young man in my 2nd Grade class! Brenley uses wisdom in making Godly choices daily.”

ACA This Week

OCTOBER

- M, 7 BoxTops Collection
- M-T, 7-8 Preschool Pictures
- F, 11 Viper XC Cross Country Invitational @ Larry & Penny Thompson Park in Miami | 4:00pm
- Sat, 12 Pine School Cross Country Invitational in Hobe Sound | 8:15am
- Sat, 12 ACA Fall Work Day | 9am-noon

On the Horizon

- W-F, 16-18 Senior Retreat
 - F, 18 End of First Quarter
 - M, 21 2nd Quarter starts
 - F, 25 Report Cards Home
 - Sat, 26 ACA Fall Clearance Sale | 8am-noon
- ##### NOVEMBER
- F, 1 Picture Re-Takes
 - M, 4 & Th, 7 Parent / Teacher Conferences
 - Th, 7 Ring Ceremony

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www.atlanticchristianacademy.org



Community Prayer Room

You are invited to join Mr. Rozendal for some coffee and prayer time on Thursdays, from 7:30-8:15am in room 302, located near elementary drop off. Enjoy a special time with the headmaster while meeting new friends in our ACA community.

Elementary Soccer

Begins October 15, 2013

Practice days and times:
Tuesdays and Thursdays from
3:15pm-4:15pm as set by the coach.

Student Athletes from 3rd –
6th grade are eligible to play.
*Parents should please plan to transport
students to away games.*

Registration deadline:

Friday, October 11th

Participation Cost: \$50.00

Please bring registration form/
payment to the Business Office.

Questions? Coach Gamble at
(561)686-8081 ext. 345.

JOIN US FOR THE FALL ACA WORKDAY

We are excited to be having our first fall Atlantic Christian Academy workday next Saturday, October 12th from 9:00am-12:00noon. Come for an hour, or spend the morning with us! Projects will include inside and outside activities, so there is something for the whole family! Students in grades 7 – 12 may come to help and earn service hours. Parents, this is a great opportunity to connect with staff and get to know some of the other families in our wonderful ACA community.

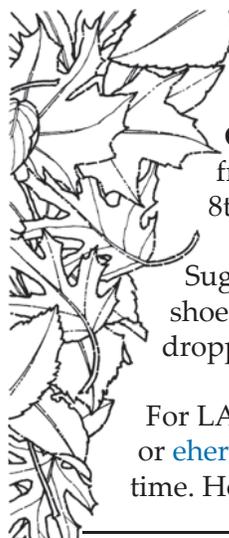
Please contact Sheron Hunter at shunter@atlanticchristianacademy.org or call 561-686-8081 by Wed, October 9, if you are available.

FALL CLEARANCE SALE

Invite your friends and family to be a part of ACA's **Community Rummage Sale** on Saturday, October 26th from 8:00AM -12:00 NOON. Proceeds will benefit the 8th grade Washington Trip and the Senior Trip.

Suggested donations include: kitchen items, furniture, clothes, shoes, tools, toys, sports equipment, books, etc. Items may be dropped off at the school business office up until Fri, Oct. 25th.

For LARGE items please contact Mrs. Hernandez at 561- 686-8081 or ehernandez@atlanticchristianacademy.org to arrange a pick up time. Hope to see you there!



FIGHTING SAINTS
ATHLETICS UPDATE

FALL ATHLETICS

Support your Cross Country team!

VIPER XC INVITATIONAL

Fri, Oct. 11/4PM Varela Senior HS
at Larry & Penny Thompson Park
12451 SW 184th St. Miami, FL 33137
and the PINE SCHOOL CROSS
COUNTRY INVITATIONAL

Sat, Oct. 12 / 8:15am

Site: 12350 SE Federal Hwy
Hobe Sound, FL 33455

Last week our MS Girls Volleyball won two out of three sets to beat Berean Christian but lost to Trinity in two out of three sets last Friday. Our Varsity Girls Volleyball worked hard as well but lost 3/5 sets playing against Dreyfus. The MS CoEd Soccer team lost to Trinity 8-2 last Friday to complete the week of games.

Mrs. Gill's K5 class celebrated Apple Week and learned about Johnny Applesseed. Festivities included apple tasting, apple crafts and posing for the cutest yearbook pictures! What fun!



A Day in the Life...

Mrs. George's 3rd grade class enjoys a visit from the traveling Professor Endeavor. Students had the opportunity to explore God's creation while taking part in a study of "Bugology".



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