

THE CAS TIMES

From the Director's Desk

With a new school year comes new ideas and adventures. All of these experiences connect our school community to make us a family. As always, we wish the best for our students this 2017-2018. We pray that God will increase our faith and our love and passion to teach making all the improvements needed to meet the educational, emotional and spiritual needs of all students.



- Ms. Vivian Pineda

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Student Elections (1-12th Grades)	October 9-13
Revolution Day -- No School --	October 20
Harvest Fair- 12:30pm dismissal	October 27
Holiday -- No School --	November 1
Preschool Exams	November 6-9
Progress Reports (Prek-12th)	November 10
Thanksgiving Luncheon	November 22
Thanksgiving Break -- No School --	November 23-26

Chapel/Bible Message - Theme for September: INTEGRITY

Chapel was a very special time at CAS in the month of September. In grades preK-6, we have been in a series called "Five for the Fight." In this series, we have been looking at five special Bible verses that help guide us in our spiritual fight against our enemy—the devil! The students also sang a re-vamped version of "This Little Light of Mine" and "10,000 Reasons" as part of their weekly worship. Nearly every week has resulted in a large number of students coming forward for prayer at the end of the chapel

service, and the students are engaging in sincere prayer. These chapel services have been very special.

In grades 7-12, our chapel services have focused on the stories of Zacchaeus and the parable of the talents. With regard to Zacchaeus, we examined the reasons why he climbed the sycamore tree, and then we looked at the response of Jesus—salvation! Next, we explored the parable of the talents, and we learned that God has... (cont'd)

given all of us unique abilities, and he expects for us to use those abilities for His glory. Our students have also been leading our worship time, which has been a great experience for everyone.

This month's "Value Word" was "Integrity." Integrity can be defined as being honest and having "strong moral principles." A classic, Biblical example of integrity is

Job. Job was wealthy beyond compare, and then he lost everything. His friends told him to give up on God. His own wife told him to give up on God. Job chose not to give up on God, though. He had "strong moral principles" that forced him to keep believing that God had a plan for his life even when it seemed like He did not. This is an example of integrity. Job's story can be found in the Bible in the book of Job.

- Rocky Majors, Dean of Students

TEACHERS OF THE MONTH

We are blessed to have several new teachers this year at CAS. This month we would like to honor Rocky and Kristy Majors.

Thank you for having us as at CAS this year! Rocky is the Chapel/Bible and music teacher and Kristy is the sixth grade homeroom teacher and 8th grade math teacher. Guatemala is a beautiful country. Rocky and I, with our three kids, moved here this summer in July. Our children are Molly, Max, and Mallory. We enjoy spending time with family and friends, traveling, going to church and amusement parks for vacations. Everyday life is very crazy

with a seven year old, five year old, and a two year old, but we wouldn't have it any other way. We are from a little town in Arkansas of about 30,000 people so our biggest challenge here is the traffic. Some of Kristy's hobbies are baking, sewing, and kayaking. Rocky enjoys hunting, kayaking, hiking, and spending time with his family.



**Many Blessings,
Rocky and Kristy Majors**

WHAT'S NEW AT CAS: Snapshots from our daily life at school!

On September 29th we celebrated the children of CAS with music, clowns, face painting, food, and a special guest from Disneyland! Students and teachers dressed as their favorite Disney character.

