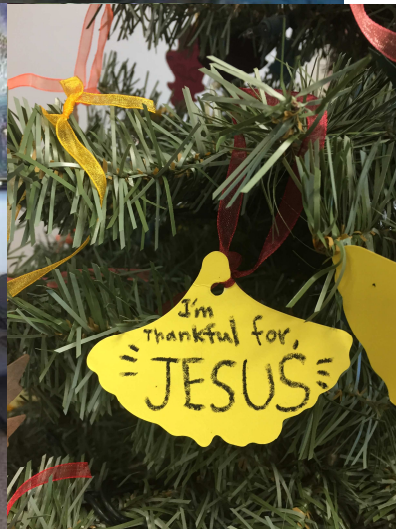
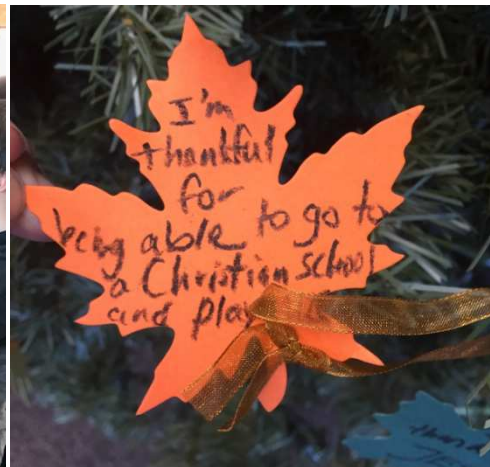




The Lighthouse Reflector

"Be careful for nothing; but in everything by prayer and supplication with THANKSGIVING let your requests be made known unto God."—Philippians 4:6

Thankfulness: Family Group Chapel



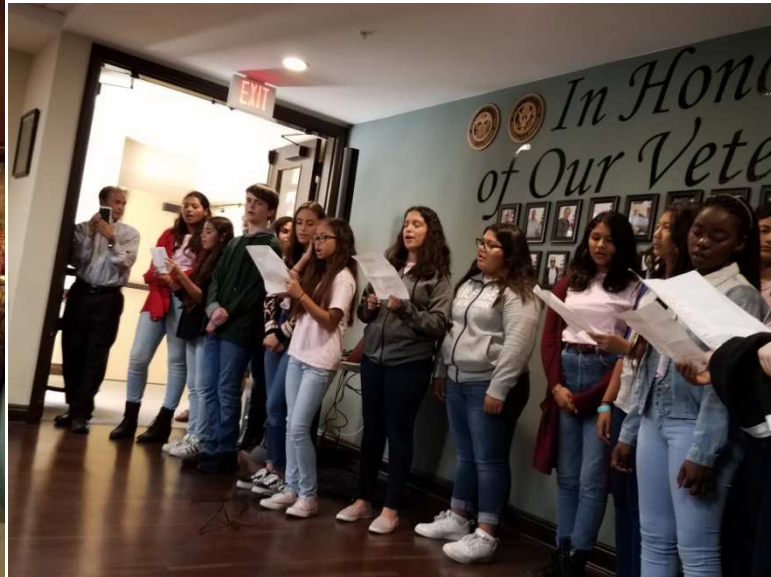
El Cajon SDA Church High School Band, Choir, and Chorale Performance



The El Cajon SDA Church graciously hosted San Diego Academy's High School band, choir and chorale this past Sabbath. The congregation was blessed with the beautiful music performed under the charismatic leadership of Mrs. Suasi. We enjoyed a potluck lunch afterwards.



Junior High Outreach to Veterans



Last week the Junior High students went on an outreach to visit veterans in honor of their service. They sang patriotic songs and were able to walk around and meet the veterans and hear stories of their service. **Lilia Albert**, an 8th grader, spoke with me about her time there. She indicated she met a World War II veteran who was stationed in London, France, and Germany. He told her how much it impacted his life seeing all that the Jews went through and because of this horrific experience, he hoped this would never happen in the future. Lilia shared how touched she was. She shared that the “veterans were really nice and really happy we were there. Many of them tried to stand up, despite their handicaps, to thank us. This really inspired me to keep going and not be afraid to speak up or say my opinion.”

Second Grade Field Trip to Birch Aquarium

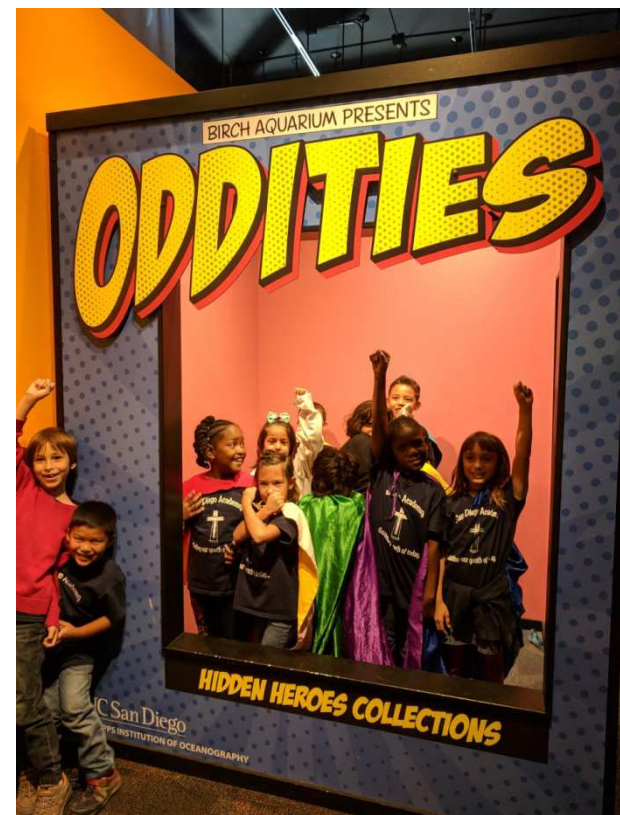




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Seniors Field Trip to the Courthouse



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"We went to the San Diego Superior Court in Downtown San Diego. We were able to see the arraignment process, participate in a mock trial, as well as see an actual trial in progress. In addition to these things, we also were given the chance to speak to a bailiff about how he got his job as well as see the holding cells where the person awaiting trial is held before going into the courtroom. The students were excited to see the things we've been talking about in class come to life, as well as to hear stories from people who work in the legal system about what career options there are if they chose this line of work."—Mrs. Newby, Senior Class sponsor

Tom McGrew, a Junior Publications student, summarized the trip:

1. The Seniors got a tour of the entire place with detailed descriptions of what all room and things were for.
2. Seniors did a mock trial.
3. Seniors sat in a real trial about a drunk driver who hit and killed another driver and another trial about a person who ran from the police.
4. Seniors went into a holding cell.
5. Seniors saw things you would actually see on tv.
6. The bail for the drunk driver was \$750,000 dollars.

Brandon Machado interviewed **Josue Ramirez** about his experience; they are both Senior Publications students:

"We went to the courthouse in downtown, and when we first got there it was interesting because there was a lot of security just to get in. The first activity we did was go see a trial, and it was interesting because it was about a girl that was intoxicated and was driving on the wrong side of the highway which led to a major accident. After that, we had a trial of our own. We each had a script and we were imitating a case that had happened a while ago. Finally, to finish the day, we went into one major trial. It was about a cop that was chasing a vehicle that was fleeing away from him here in San Diego. So the day was very intriguing and hopefully we get another chance to go again."

Spiritual Highlights



Junior High Praise Team singing for Week of Prayer



Mrs. Saravia asked if she could pray with me

I am touched daily with spiritual blessings, the presence of God on campus. I will share these experiences relayed to me by students, teachers, and parents as we support one another in our search to know God better and experience His working in our lives:

1. I asked the **second graders** if they had any **prayer requests** for our prayer to open P.E. class and they immediately came forth with over eight requests. For example, one student shared with me how her

family had helped feed a homeless man a few days ago “and he is probably out of food and could use more food now.”

2. As I type this, **Mr. Shultz** came by my desk and shared with me he is headed up to hear his **daughter, Mandy Shultz**, speak this weekend. She will **be preaching at La Sierra University this Sabbath, November 17**. Her sermon is entitled “Embodying the Spirit: Understanding the Spirit in Acts.” Mandy just completed her Masters degree in Theological Studies and is looking for full time employment; she is getting married next month in the same church she is preaching in. She is a frequent speaker at various churches and retreats, an activity that she loves. I will ask Mr. Shultz for advance notice so we can hear her speak!
3. **Mr. Gifford** informed me that after **Pastor Soli** spoke for high school Week of Prayer, he made a call for **baptismal classes** and eight of our students accepted the call. They are currently studying with Mr. Gifford and two local pastors, Pastor Soli from South Bay Church and Pastor Kevin from La Mesa Church.
4. I personally have been blessed by the “**Prayer Warriors**” on campus. **Miss Saravia** developed this group of volunteers composed of students in Junior High (and her mother!) to pray with people on campus. I have already had a couple of students ask if they could pray with me. **Mrs. Saravia** also prayed with me a few weeks ago. I was so touched and could feel God’s presence.

UPCOMING EVENTS

REMINDER: NO SCHOOL:

ENJOY YOUR THANKSGIVING BREAK NOV 19-23

ATHLETICS DEPARTMENT GAMES WHEN WE RETURN

BOYS’ VARSITY BASKETBALL

11/27/18	Tuesday	Game Time 7:00 pm	SDA vs. HTHDH	San Diego Academy
11/28/18	Wednesday	Game Time 6:30 pm	SDA vs. Del Lago Academy	San Diego Academy

GIRLS’ VARSITY BASKETBALL

11/27/18	Tuesday	Game Time 5:00 pm	SDA vs. HTHsd	San Diego Academy
11/28/18	Wednesday	Game Time 5:00 pm	SDA vs Del Lago Academy	San Diego Academy
11/29/18	Thursday	Game Time 6:30 pm	SDA @ San Yisdro	5353 Airway Rd, SD

Calendar/Upcoming Events

- THANKSGIVING BREAK.....Monday, Nov 19-Friday, Nov 23, 2018
- La Sierra University Financial Aid Night at 6:30pm.....Tuesday, November 27, 2018
- Chuck E. Cheese Jog-a-thon Reward.....Friday, November 30, 2018
- H.S. Band, Handbells, and Chorale perform at PV SDA Church.....Sabbath, Dec 1, 2018
- Senior Christmas Treats with La Sierra.....Tuesday, Dec 4, 2018
- 2nd Grade's multi-cultural feast in the Cafeteria.....Thursday, Dec 6 at 1:30 p.m.
- Campus Vespers.....Friday, Dec 7, 5:30-8:30 p.m.
- Junior High Field trip.....Friday, Dec 14, 9-10 a.m.
- Walking Nativity at Paradise Village.....Friday, Dec 14, 6:00 p.m.
- Walking Nativity at Paradise Village.....Sabbath, Dec 15, 6:30 p.m.
- SA Winter Banquet.....Sunday, Dec 16, 2018
- Final Exams.....Wednesday-Thursday, December 19-20, 2018
- 2nd quarter ends.....Friday, Dec 21, 2018
- CHRISTMAS BREAK.....Monday, Dec 24-Sun, Jan 6, 2018
- First day back to school after break/3rd quarter begins.....Monday, January 7, 2018