

Lustre Christian High School

The Tumbleweed

Abraham's Faith by Rachel Pew

Chapel was held as usual on Thursday, September 19. That week's chapel was an interesting event consisting of a play put on by the teachers. The play featured a few events that occurred during the life of Abraham (formerly Abram). The main two are the call of Abraham to leave his home and go to Canaan and when God calls him to sacrifice Isaac. The cast was Isaac, played by Mr. Lu; Sarah, played by Mrs. Hilke-
mann; Abraham, played by Mr. Ross; and the whole play was narrated by Mr. Rickman and Mr. Burkhart. There were also several additional scriptures read, including Romans 3:23, 4:1-3, Hebrews 11, and Ephesians 2: 8-13. After

in that moment, you must trust God. He also mentioned towards the end of chapel how sometimes God's voice isn't as clear as other times and how, in those moments, you must wait patiently for Him. Mrs. Hilke-
mann talked about Abraham's obedience to God and how he was willing to do what God told him



to do. Mr. Ross spoke about how we should be conscious of the impact we have and how we can give a foundation of belief for our descendants. Mr. Rickman talked about how the foundations of the Old Testament are later mirrored in the

New Testament. Mr. Burkhart ended the chapel by making a few key points. He talked about how Abraham walked by faith and how that was credited to him as righteousness. This obviously relates to walking worthy, and to walk worthy, we must walk by faith. Walking by faith cannot be done alone, and it requires help both from God and good influences. He ended with a question, "Who will you influence with your walk?"

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Mr. and Mrs. Perez's Chapel By Mason Hilkemann

On September 30, 2024, Pablo and Judi Perez came to Lustre Christian High School to give a chapel to the students. They were in Lustre for the Harvest Festival at the EMB Church to share more about their missionary experiences. They started out by saying that they are missionaries in the capital of Ecuador, Quito, and have been since 2013. They have been involved in discipling, starting new churches in Quito, and helping other missionaries and churches with their discipleship. They then taught a chapel on the basics of the gospel, including points on faith,



salvation, justification, sinful nature, and the relationship between us and God. Pablo stated that we have to be willing to accept God and turn away from our sins to fully accept a relationship with God. Also he stated that we as believers have a duty to go out to all the nations and make disciples everywhere we go. However, the most important thing in our life is that we can never give up because we know that He will lead us and guide us wherever He wants us to go. We thank Pablo and Judi for coming and giving a great chapel, and we hope that we will see them again soon.

The Anchor By Clay Reddig

This latest Thursday, October 3, 2024, Mr. Jerry Fast led us in our weekly chapel. He started out the chapel by giving each of us a piece of string. The string exemplifies an anchor in our life that holds us down to something. The rest of the chapel he slowly taught us what our anchor should be with scripture and examples. He started by asking us what our school motto is (walking worthy). He then explained what it means to walk worthy. He then tied the string into this lesson. If we are tying our string (life) onto something stable, we are more likely to walk worthy in the name of the



Lord. The thing we should be tying our string to is the Truth. Mr. Fast read John 17:17 to us; "Sanctify them by the truth; your word is truth." He then went back to the process of walking worthy. "If you want to be good at something, what do you do?" Mr. Fast asked. He then answered his own question, saying you work hard and spend time to perfect your craft. Walking worthy includes reading your Bible, doing daily devotions, prayer life, and living a Christian life. Mr. Fast piggybacked off of his ques-

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tion and plated us a video with statistics. The video compared the effects on people who read their Bible once a week compared to those who read their Bible four times a week. The differences are all quite extraordinary, but one really stuck out to me. The people who read their Bibles four times a week are over 200% more likely to spread the Gospel. That's awesome! To end Mr. Fast's chapel, he took us all outside. He had 8 volunteers hold a string, and one held

the end, representing everyone worldwide. The other 7 pulled in opposite directions, and this caused the one on the back to stumble around, looking for something to hold on to. Then, Mr. Fast tied the string to his pickup, a firm foundation representing Christ. This helped the one stay true and steady with the help of God. I really hope everyone learned and took something from this great chapel presented by Mr. Fast.



New Dorm Parents By Rachel Pew

The new dorm parents, Jones and Melissa Cumpio arrived on the first week of September and have started settling into the community. Before coming to Lustre, they had never considered the idea of being dorm parents. They were both born and raised in the Philippines and met in Quezon City. This is where they worked before moving to Lustre. They both worked in a Christian school there for around 20 years. They felt God was calling them to a new opportunity. Mr. Jones felt that God was calling him out of his comfort zone, while Ms. Melissa started feeling tired and burnt out from the same place she had been working for years. They started looking for new jobs through the ACSI (Association of Christian Schools International) website as they felt they had been called to work in Christian education. It was essential to them that they find a school with jobs for both of them, as being separated was not an option. When they saw the opening for dorm parents, they saw a great opportunity, as the position was for two people



and a couple specifically. It was an answer to prayers. Ms. Melissa enjoys eating good food and trying new foods. She also enjoys going to the movies, reading, studying, writing, and music. She also has a music degree in teaching. Mr. Jones enjoys plants, arts, housekeeping, maintenance, and interior design. He has a degree in theology and, as previously mentioned, used to teach the Bible. Thus far, the thing they have liked most about Lustre is the community. They talked about how the people here are different in a good way and are very kind. Mr. Jones also spoke about how he enjoys the fresh air and the big sky. They have two children: an older daughter named Lyssa, who is going to school in Jakarta, Indonesia, and TJ, who is going to school in Lustre. Mr. Jones likes to use 1 Samuel 12:24 for both ministry and life. Ms. Melissa likes Romans 5:8 because it talks about salvation and Psalms 40:3 because it talks about music, which is something she is greatly passionate about. If you see them around, be sure to say hi.

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SPORTS

Dream crusher Jaden Gibson Strikes Again By Abby Olfert

On Tuesday, the 17th of September, the Lady Lions volleyball team (along with the junior high) traveled to Culbertson, Montana, to compete in a match against the Cowgirls. The Junior Lady Lions played first, with the older girls cheering them on. They won two of the five sets and had some great rallies, aces, and kills. Overall, the Junior Lady Lions played really well and were fun to watch. Next, the Lady Lions took on the Culbertson Cowgirls. The Cowgirls won the first set 25 to 16. The girls pushed back, but the second set ended 25 to 9 - Culbertson. However, the next one was a different story. The Lions kept it close for a while and had some great serves, kills, blocks, and digs. The third set was closer than the last two, with another Cowgirl victory of 25 to 18. The Lady Lions had a total of 18 kills, with Lauryn Holtzrichter, Hannah Brown, and Jaden Gibson slamming down five apiece. Kencia Brown, Natalie Fast, and Rachel Pew each

had one spike. The team serving percentage was 77%. Hannah Brown sent two aces flying, as well as Kencia Brown with one. Abby Olfert had three.



Jaden Gibson led in blocks, mercilessly crushing the dreams of the Cowgirl hitters multiple times. The overall serve-receive percentage was 70%, with Hannah Brown contributing 19 beautiful passes to target. Right behind her were Lauryn Holtzrichter with 11, Lauren Fast with 7, Kencia Brown with 5, and Rachel Pew with 2. Kencia Brown led in digs with an amaz-

ing 14 passes. Hannah Brown contributed 6; Lauryn Holtzrichter had 5; Lauren Fast put up 4; Dreamcrusher Jaden had 3 passes; Abby Olfert had 2, and Rachel Pew sent up one dig. Though the Lions lost to the Cowgirls, they look forward to playing them again. So, make sure you grab your Lions gear and come cheer the girls on at their next game.



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The Lions Take on the Bear Cubs By Byron Ewing

On September 20, 2024, the Lady Lions took on the Frazer Bear Cubs. This game was where the ladies wanted to earn some of their lion pride back; after coming off of a tough loss against the Thunder just a week before. The ladies felt confident coming into this game; having played the Bear Cubs multiple times before and doing fairly well against them. The whistle quickly blew, and the first set was on the way. The ladies quickly took the lead on the scoreboard, putting a large gap between them and the Bear Cubs. The Bear Cubs did not want to go down without a fight,



though, and fought back against the Lady Lions to win the first set 25-18. The Lions were not happy with themselves after losing this first set and made a statement in the second set by winning it 25-5. They kept their foot on the gas and fought off the Bear Cubs in the third set, winning it 25-16. The ladies were determined to keep up their dominance (which they did) winning the 4th set 25-14 and ending this matchup- in only 4 sets total. Great job, ladies. It was fun watching, and we can't wait to see how much more you guys improve over this season!

Lady Lions take on the Red Hawks By Meredith Valentine

This past Saturday, September 28th, the Lady Lions traveled to Froid Lake to compete against the Red Hawks. The Lady Lions had a strong start with the first set being 12-25. They had a bit of a comeback in the second set yet still could not pull off the win with the set point being 10-25. Going into the third set, they were only able to score 9-25. Although they did not come home with a win, they still learned how to adjust with one of their teammates, Jaden Gibson, being unable to play due to an ankle injury the previous night playing the Brockton Warriors. Luckily,



she will be ready to play for our next game, playing the Bainville Bulldogs at home on the 11th. Although she is feeling better now, you could still keep her in your prayers as the rest of the team so that they can have a safe and fun season. James 1:2-4 "is the most encouraging passage for me as a follower of Jesus. The injuries, the strikeouts, the errors, can all be used to produce in me a deep-rooted steadfastness and humility that is beautiful in the sight of God and other people"

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Lustre Lions Take on Brockton By Jaden Gibson

On September 27th, the Lustre Lady Lions traveled to Brockton to take on the Lady Warriors. The Lions came out fired up ready to put up a fight. The first point of the game went to the Lions starting with a serve from Kencia Brown and ending with a kill from Jaden Gibson. Lauryn Holzrichter received the first pass of the game sending it up into a hole in the ceiling, never to be seen again. The Lady Lions continued to fight hard with tough serves and powerful kills to finish off the first set with a win 25 - 9. The second set brought some trouble for Lustre, falling to the Lady Warriors 19-25. Though it was a tough second set, the Lions



came back on top in the third with a win 25-18. The fourth and final set brought some obstacles for the Lions. Right before the end of the game, middle Jaden Gibson and outside Lauryn Holzrichter both went to save an off-ball at the net, resulting in a sprained ankle upon landing for Jaden Gibson. Though Jaden was out for the rest of the game, the Lady Lions persevered leading the team to victory in four sets with a score of 25-13. The Lions and Warriors prayed together to finish off a fun day of volleyball. Make sure to cheer on your Lady Lions at home next week on Friday, the 11th of October, at 3:30 PM as they take on the Bainville Bulldogs.

Lions take on the Wolves By Katie Calderon

On Tuesday, October 1st, our volleyball match vs Wolf Point, an away game, took place in Wolf Point. We were all very excited and determined to play. First, we had a word of prayer. Then after, we warmed up with some passes and serves. We started our first match with the varsity team as Abby Olfert got the game started. We had a lot of great passes and spikes; Rachel Pew also had really good serves. Sidney Klatt also had several amazing aces. We had a very supportive Lustre crowd that came and cheered us on all the way



through. Our first two matches were very close at times and at points. However, we lost them by small margins. After the first 2 sets, we made an amazing comeback and won the 3rd and 4th match. Despite our overall loss in this match, we still had an amazing time and remained positive; we knew we had worked hard and walked worthy. We were also very proud of our comeback. Even though the game was intense at times, we knew we had to remain faithful and positive. As always, we invited the opposing team to close in a word of prayer and thank the Lord for a safe and fun game. Great Work Everyone!

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LUSTRE LION FANS

**FOR
HIRE!**



This year the LCHS Boys & Girls Basketball teams have the amazing opportunity to travel for opening tournaments! They will need to raise money to make this trip happen, so we are looking for big or small jobs that you need done. As always, a simple donation would also be greatly appreciated.

PLEASE TEXT OR CALL:

Coach Randy or Coach Lisa

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LCHS Calendar

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6 October Zachary Hilkemann
16 October Rachel Pew
18 October Katie Calderon



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	1 Tacos	2 Sloppy Joes	3 Pulled Pork Sandwiches	4 Meatball Subs	5
6	7 Chicken Bacon Ranch Pasta	8 Pulled Pork Tacos	9 Chicken Pot Pie	10 Breakfast Bake	11 Pizza Casserole	12
13	14 Hamburger Gravy & Mashed Potatoes	15 KFC Bowls	16 Hot Dogs	17 MEA NO SCHOOL	18 MEA NO SCHOOL	19
20	21 Chicken Alfredo	22 Curry Chicken	23 Beef Stroganoff	24 Cheese Burgers	25 Pizza	26
27	28 Chinese Sundaes	29 Grilled Cheese	30 Biscuits & Gravy	31 Chicken Noodle Soup	1	2