

chapel chat

A WEEKLY UPDATE ON LEGACY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY CHAPEL GATHERINGS

• SPEAKER BIO •

MRS. SANDRA JOHNSON

Mrs. Sandra Johnson is an incredible servant and woman of God who works in aftercare with our PreK students. Her heart exudes the love of God. We are privileged to have our elementary students hear God's Word through her.

• CHARACTER QUALITY •

Fruits of the Spirit

JOY

• KEY VERSE •

The Joy of the LORD is your strength
Nehemiah 8:10

• THIS WEEK •

"Always be full of joy in the Lord. I say it again—rejoice!"

—**Philippians 4:4 (NLT)**

Mrs. Johnson kicked off our fruit of the Spirit theme of joy by talking about bananas and oranges and how they give us strength and nutrition. She compared fruit in the natural to the fruit of the Spirit God gives us when we give our lives to Him. Then Mrs. Johnson encouraged the students to strengthen themselves by having a daily dose of the joy of the Lord! She explained how there are things that stop joy from overflowing in our lives, and the main one she focused upon was *pouting*. The two remedies for pouting that Mrs. Johnson mentioned were 1) being filled with the Holy Spirit that comes from being saved and having a relationship with Christ, and 2) learning Bible verses that increase our faith and our joy. She concluded her message by encouraging students to trust that the Holy Spirit's fruit gives us strength and that He supplies all that we need for a joy-filled life.

Worship Songs (led by Mrs. Gerber):

- I've Got the Joy
- Ho Ho Ho Hosanna
- Hosanna Rock

• KIDS QUOTES •

Daniel K. (4th) – *I really liked how Mrs. Johnson told us that the Lord's joy is our strength!*

Marley M. (4th) – *Chapel is awesome because I learn about God and how to find joy!*

Kathryn H. (4th) – *My favorite part of chapel was singing those songs about joy!*

• COMING UP •

April 12: Principal Joel Nydam

Mr. Nydam, whose exuberance and love for God jovially affects all those he encounters, will be furthering our fruit of the Spirit theme of joy during the month of April!

April 12: The LCA Spring Drama Team

This Spring's musical is based upon the epic and uplifting story from Les Misérables. The LCA cast will be performing a short scene from their production to inspire us to love others with the same love with which God has loved us!

