OUR MISSION IN ACTION

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FROM THE HEAD OF SCHOOL

Crossings Family,

What an exciting year it has been celebrating our school's 25th anniversary! Established in 2000, with 39 preschool students housed in the basement of the old Crossings Church in Belle Isle, God's faithfulness and abundant blessings over the past 25 years cannot be denied. As we continue to experience His provision and the blessings of a vibrant school community each day, our hope is that this issue of *Missio'* chronicles a few of the incredible things which take place at CCS...not for our acclaim, but for the Lord's.

The pages beyond will be vibrant depictions of students achieving greatly, factions of our school excelling beyond previous successes, stories of incredible growth – academically, spiritually, emotionally, and physically. However, when all the fanfare is settled and the pages of this publication closed and forgotten, may one thing be communicated with certainty – that we delivered our mission "To partner with parents and church to develop Christ-centered servant leaders who are academically and spiritually prepared for college and life."

The theme for the 2024-25 school year is Legacy, and Psalm 145:4 states, "One generation shall commend Your works to another and shall declare Your mighty acts." The Lord is steadfast and faithful, and we see His providence at every glance. We hope you, too, can clearly see God's story being written at Crossings Christian School, and we are humbled and grateful for all He has done and continues to do. Thank you for sharing in this journey with us.

Generationally focused,

Dr. Jason Nave, Head of School

A NEW INTERNATIONAL PARTNERSHIP
WITH SAMUEL RAYMOND CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

In a beautiful extension of faith and fellowship, Crossings Christian School is thrilled to embrace a deepening partnership with Samuel Raymond Christian School (SRCS) in Roatán, Honduras. Rooted in a shared devotion to Christian education, this connection blossomed through Crossings Community Church, where SRCS' founder, Deborah Hunnicutt, is a member. This collaboration has become a testament to the power of unity, compassion, and service.

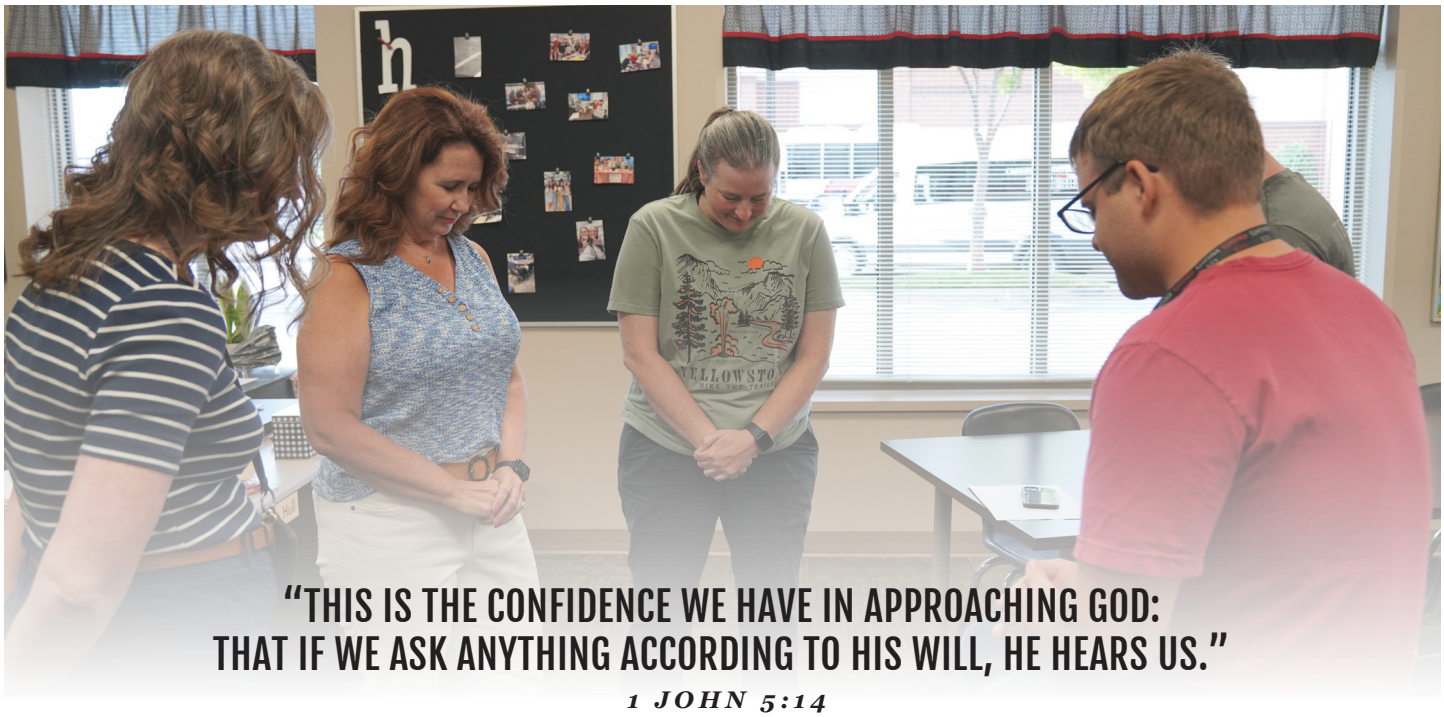
With open hearts and hands, Crossings students and families have poured their support into Samuel Raymond Christian School, donating essential school supplies, writing heartfelt letters of encouragement, and lifting their brothers and sisters in Christ through prayer. For the first time, all three divisions of Crossings came together for a school-wide giving initiative, donating a total of 2,942 school supplies items, as well as staff purchasing shoes for the staff of SRCS.

Several students strengthened the long-distance connection by attending a mission trip to Samuel Raymond Christian School over spring break. Students tutored children, shared their testimonies, and fellowshipped with one another. Katie L. '25 spoke to the personal impact of her experience saying, "I realized that being spiritually rich is so much more valuable than being materially rich, and the people in Roatán are so spiritually rich." Through serving SRCS, our students at Crossings get the chance to see how their generosity, prayers, and kindness can impact real people in another part of the world. It's one Christian school standing alongside another, cheering each other on, and growing together in faith.

With a vision set on the future, both schools are eager to continue growing together, discovering new ways to inspire, encourage, and uplift each other in the spirit of Christ's love. We are so excited to see what the Lord is doing with this partnership and what He has in store!

THE POWER OF PRAYER

HOW AN UPPER SCHOOL TEACHER'S OBEDIENCE LED TO A SCHOOL-WIDE PRACTICE



"THIS IS THE CONFIDENCE WE HAVE IN APPROACHING GOD: THAT IF WE ASK ANYTHING ACCORDING TO HIS WILL, HE HEARS US."

1 JOHN 5:14

In 2010, Dr. Holly Hixson was teaching at a Christian non-profit school in Rwanda when she suddenly heard the Lord tell her to stop everything and pray as her primary occupation. With such an unexpected instruction in an unfamiliar way, she did not know where to start, but knew God would show her how to begin. Feeling led to walk around the school's grounds while praying God's words in the Bible back to Him every day, Holly's calling led to six years of faithful prayer walks.

Fast-forward to 2020, Dr. Hixson joined Crossings as an Upper School science teacher and felt the familiar prompt to pray around the Upper School each morning. Holly obeyed once again, knowing through her experience in Rwanda that God has His greater purpose and plan. She began to pray over each staff member each morning, "asking the Lord to enable them to plant seeds of His gospel into the hearts of the students so that they may prosper, grow, and produce abundant fruit for His kingdom." She prayed over each of her students by name, "asking the Lord to help them to grow in wisdom, in stature, and in favor with God and people (Luke 2:52)." As she walked around the Upper School, she prayed Psalms 23, 27, 46, and 91, just as she did around the school in Rwanda.

When the school year came to a close, Dr. Hixson's mission was not complete but growing. What began as a private, solo endeavor grew to include the entire Upper School staff dividing into groups and praying over specific areas of the school in August before the new school year began. Soon, staff in each division began doing the same, covering each building in prayer before students filled the campus. These campus-wide prayer walks are now a special, dedicated part of professional development. The pursuit of prayer is also paralleled with the school's partnership with parents through "Parents Who Pray," a weekly meeting where parents come together and raise their voices to the Lord in prayer.

Dr. Hixson has seen God work miracles both here and in Africa - a product of "submission to His will and His good plans, and many excruciating spiritual battles in prayer." Her journey is a testament to the power of prayer and the transformation that comes from faithful obedience. What began as a personal calling has blossomed into a school-wide movement, uniting staff, students, and parents in a shared commitment to lifting Crossings up in prayer. These intentional moments of intercession remind us that prayer is not just a solitary act but a powerful force that shapes hearts, strengthens communities, and invites God's presence into every corner of our school. As we continue to serve and lead the next generation, may we remain steadfast in prayer, trusting in God's plans and seeking His guidance together. We invite you to join us in this mission—covering our school, our students, and our future in prayer.

FINE ARTS | A YEAR IN REVIEW

ACADEMIC TEAM

The Varsity Academic Team had an outstanding year, finishing fourth in the 3A State Tournament after sweeping District, Regional, and Area Championships. Team captain William G. ’25 earned Academic Bowl All-State honors, while co-captain Matthew S. ’25 received an Honorable Mention. The Froshmore Academic Team also delivered a remarkable performance in OAAC Division II. The Froshmore A Team went undefeated in all four regional meets—Math, Social Studies, Science, and Humanities/Fine Arts—losing only once all season to their own Froshmore B Team. At the OAAC State Tournament, CCS combined its talent to form a dominant squad that went undefeated and brought home the State Championship trophy. Emory K. ’28 was recognized as the top scorer, earning the All-Star Medal. The season was one of strong senior leadership as well as the impressive growth of underclassmen who emerged as top scorers by season’s end.

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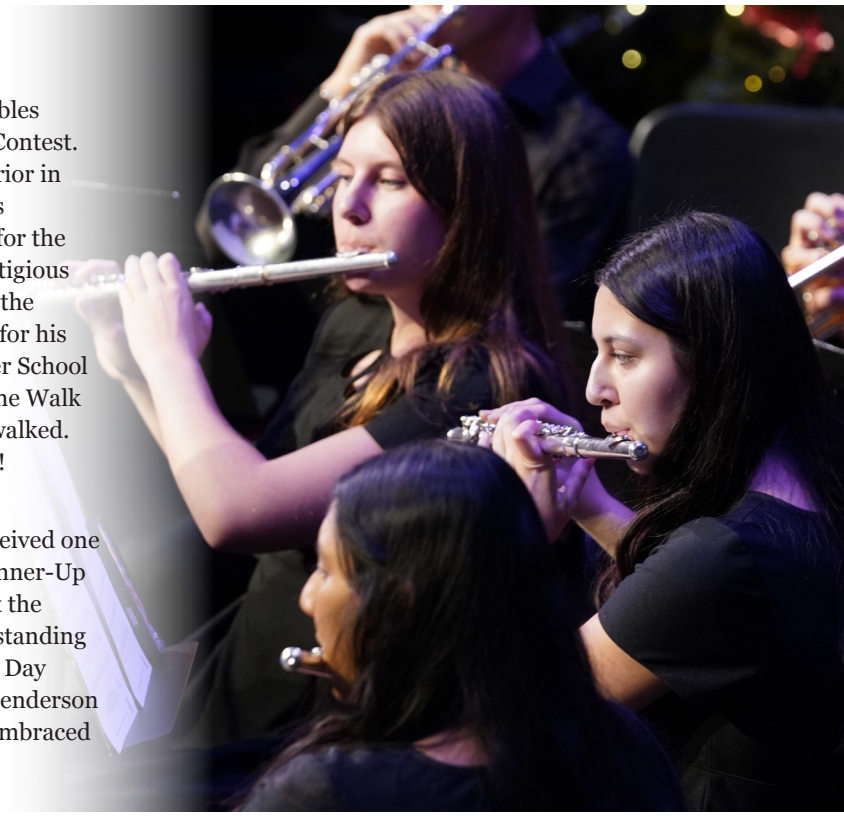
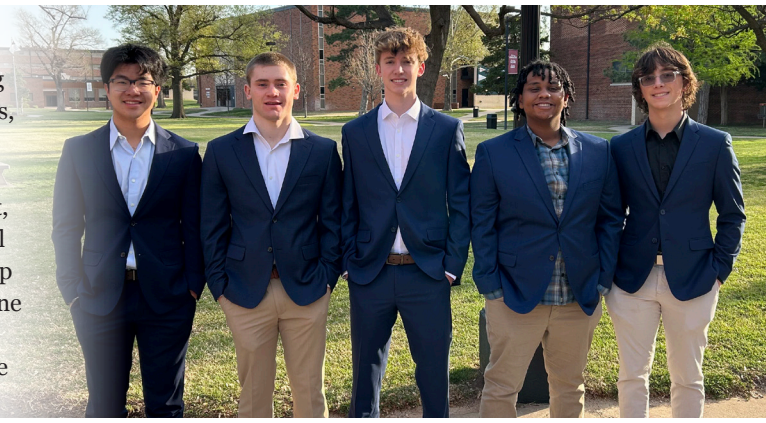


The Crossings Christian School Band had an exciting year full of activities and achievements, with six soloists and six small ensembles having received superior ratings at the District Solo & Ensemble Contest. The concert band earned an Excellent rating on Stage and a Superior in Sight Reading at the 3A State Contest. The accolades continued as Jerusha V. ’28, Meacham R. ’27, and Riggin M. ’28 were selected for the CODA Honor Band, and Meacham also earned a place in the prestigious Small School All-State Concert Band. Carsten S. ’26 was awarded the Fine Arts Excellence Award, and Meacham R. ’27 was recognized for his achievement as a Small School All-State Band member. The Upper School Drumline had the opportunity to reach beyond campus, leading the Walk 4 Water event in September, playing for the participants as they walked. From games to stages, it was another great year for the CCS Band!

The Jazz Band also had an outstanding year, finishing with a fifth consecutive top-three finish at the OSSAA State Contest. They received one of only three Superior ratings awarded statewide and finished Runner-Up in class 3A. The Jazz Band also took 1st Place in the 3A division at the Choctaw Jazz Festival, where Meacham R. ’27 was named an Outstanding Soloist. Throughout the year, the band performed at the Veterans Day Concert at CCS, as well as at Crossings Community Church and Henderson Hills. With no seniors in the ensemble, juniors and sophomores embraced leadership roles, maintaining high standards and demonstrating consistent dedication.

DEBATE



The Debate team had a strong season both locally and nationally, earning first-place finishes at the Edmond North and Norman North tournaments, as well as a standout showing at the Southmoore Tournament, taking first in both the qualifying and championship divisions. The team also advanced to the quarterfinals at the OSSAA 6A State Debate Tournament, with strong placements at Regionals (third and fourth) and national-level competition in Topeka, KS and Austin, TX. Matthew L. ’25 was named top speaker at Regionals, while the team as a whole consistently supported one another through research and preparation, living out the year’s guiding verse from Proverbs 16:21: “The wise of heart is called discerning, and the sweetness of speech increases persuasiveness.”

ORCHESTRA

The Crossings Orchestra had a fantastic year, highlighted by its sixth OSSAA Sweepstakes Award. At District Solo & Ensemble, Collin A. ’25 and Esther V. ’26 received Superior ratings on their solos, along with a quartet, trio, and senior ensemble, who also received Superior ratings. Collin A. ’25, Hannah W. ’27, and Abigail A. ’27 were selected for the North Central Honors Orchestra across multiple grade levels, and Collin and Hannah earned All-State honors, with Collin being a three-year All-Stater. Collin also received the 2025 Joshua Expeditions Outstanding NACS National Musician Programs First Place Award and a $2,500 scholarship. The Orchestra also provided live accompaniment to the Percival’s Players production of *Disney’s Beauty and the Beast*, a successful and incredible musical by our students. It was a year of remarkable achievements, musical excellence, and unforgettable experiences for the Crossings Orchestra.

THEATRE

The Theatre program had a year of strong performances, state recognition, and continued spiritual growth. Emory K. ’28 and Brileigh B. ’26 earned All-Star Cast honors at the OSSAA 4A Regional One Act Competition, where CCS placed 5th with *One Stoplight Town*. Brileigh also received the State Superintendent Excellence in Arts Education Award in Drama, recognizing her leadership and talent. The department staged two major productions: *Disney’s Beauty and the Beast* in the fall and *The Play That Goes Wrong (High School Edition)* in the spring. The Theatre Director shared, “CCS Theatre Arts continues to elevate the standard of performance across the board. Our goal is to honor God in everything we do... I am so thankful for the students who choose to invest their time and heart with CCS Theatre.”

VOCAL

The 2024–2025 Vocal Music program at CCS was a year of musical excellence and strong student leadership. Upper School students earned Superior ratings in both Stage Performance and Sight-Reading at OSSAA District and State contests, qualifying for the Outstanding Achievement Award. Fourteen solo and ensemble events competed at District, with eleven advancing to State. Six students were named to the Oklahoma High School All-State Chorus: Addison B. ’25, Ella H. ’27, Shelby K. ’25, Jackson M. ’27, Tyler M. ’27, and Hayley H. ’28. Shelby K. ’25 also received a music scholarship to Southern Nazarene University. The program took advantage of some unique opportunities this year: the Jazz Choir participated in the SNU Vocal Jazz festival, students caroled at local nursing homes, and they helped host the OSSAA State Vocal Contest on campus. Throughout the year, students were challenged to think deeply about the lyrics they sang, recognizing that all truth is God’s truth - even in music. Mrs. Mash shared, “We had an amazing group of seniors this year that set the precedent of respect for music and their craft. They truly have given encouragement to all who are following them to keep the Crossings Choir program great.”

ATHLETICS | SEASON RECAPS

BASEBALL

The Baseball team wrapped up its season with strong showings at both the Tonkawa and Purcell Tournaments, finishing third in each, and also competed in the Madill Tournament. There were also some strong individual highlights, with senior Alex F. signing to play at Oklahoma Christian University. The team embraced the journey of the season, growing together on and off the field. Coach Kliewer shared, "I really enjoyed this baseball season... I appreciate the players' willingness to lay it all out on the line, no matter the cost."

GIRLS BASKETBALL

The Lady Knights Basketball team showed major growth this season, competing with determination against a challenging schedule. Their hard work showed results with a third-place finish at both the Wynnewood and Pawhuska Tournaments and a fourth-place finish at the Ripley Tournament. Individually, Clara B. '26 earned First Team All-Conference, while Carlie L. '25 and Sophie S. '26 received Honorable Mention All-Conference Team recognition. With a strong and hard-working team and promising Middle School talent on the rise, the future looks exciting for Girls Basketball!

BOYS BASKETBALL

The Boys Basketball team delivered a historic season, finishing 27-4 and earning the OSSAA Class 4A State Runner-Up title after a heartbreaking last-second loss to Weatherford in the championship game. This squad set a school record for wins, going 7-0 against 5A and 6A teams, and beating nine state tournament qualifiers. They claimed titles at both the Edmond Open and Jenks/Union tournaments and advanced to their sixth straight state tournament, where their semifinal against Douglass became the longest game in state history. Led by standout senior Cal F. - ORU commit, all-time leading scorer, and Super 5 First Team honoree - alongside record-setters Cam P. '25, Braden B. '26, Rylen S. '27, and Parker B. '25, the Knights were the highest scoring and most accurate 3-point shooting team in school history. Coach Schenk said, "This was the most talented team I have ever coached," but more than their accomplishments, this team embodied their theme, "Make It Better," by playing selflessly, loving one another well, and honoring Christ through every moment together.

"...WHATEVER YOU DO, DO IT ALL FOR THE GLORY OF GOD."
1 CORINTHIANS 10:31

CHEER

The Crossings Christian School Cheer program had a remarkable 2024-25 season, securing both the OSSAA Competitive State Championship and the OSSAA Game Day State Championship. Their victory in the Game Day division extends their undefeated streak, marking seven consecutive titles across multiple classifications, a testament to the program's consistency and excellence. Seniors Murphy L. and Kayman V. earned OCA All-State Cheerleader honors, while Murphy also signed to cheer at the University of Arkansas. Coach Burdett emphasized the athletes' work ethic and commitment, saying each athlete is "kind, humble, and disciplined, in a selfless pursuit of a common goal," leading to their collective success. One senior reflected on her time, saying, "Through this program, I've learned that hard work and dependability can provide the outcome you are seeking!" From hard practices to victorious moments, the CCS cheer team has had a wonderful season!

CROSS COUNTRY

The Cross Country teams had a great 2024-25 season, with the boys team breaking the school 5K record, averaging an impressive 17:40 across the top five runners. The boys also had strong performances throughout the season, finishing as runners-up at the Heartland Championship, OBA Invitational, and Patriot Invitational, placing 3rd at 4A Regionals, and earning a 10th-place finish at the 4A State Meet. Senior Trey B. set the CCS 5K record with a time of 16:26 and was recognized as a Cross Country Senior All-Star. Coach Thompson reflected on the team's dedication, saying, "They truly embraced the challenges of tough workouts, early morning runs, and hot weather… always supporting and challenging one another." Mollie F. '25 summed up the team's spirit, sharing, "Our XC team has always been encouraging and uplifting… we stick together and push each other to be better." Whether competing at meets, running together at the Down Syndrome 5K, or bonding at team dinners, this season was a testament to the hard work, dedication, and friendships that make CCS Cross Country special.

ESPORTS

The CCS Esports program fielded teams in both Overwatch and Mario Kart this year, their first time participating in both competitions. The Overwatch team had an impressive run, finishing with a strong 5-3 record and earning a Top 32 placement out of more than 100 teams in the national league. A student on the Overwatch team, Stacy H. '26, reflected on the program, saying, "Esports allows me to engage and compete with a group of people who not only share the same niche interests as me, but also inspire me to be better." We will be on the lookout for what competitions next year brings to Esports!

FOOTBALL

The 2024-25 Football season was a demonstration of leadership and hard work, despite being faced with challenges. Several players earned district honors, including Bennett B. ’25 as District Overall Athlete of the Year, Cam P. ’25 as Defensive Lineman of the Year, and Jonah N. ’25 as Co-Defensive End of the Year. In addition, five players received 1st Team All-District Honors, six earned 2nd Team Honors, and three were recognized as Honorable Mentions. Coach Stephenson commended the team’s 17 seniors for embracing leadership opportunities on and off the field, stating, “I’m most proud of this group for leading us in such a way where we were acknowledged by fellow coaches for our hard work, yet contagious joy on the field.” Off the field, the team embraced Christ-centered service through participating in Crossings Community Church’s Feed the Hungry Event. Senior Bennett B. reflected on the season, saying, “There were ups and downs… but what made it so special was the friendship that all of the players shared with one another—that’s what football is all about.”

GIRLS GOLF

The 2024-25 season was one of the most successful in recent memory for the Girls Golf team. The group earned four top-three finishes in seven tournaments, highlighted by a runner-up finish at the Sapulpa Regional. That performance qualified the team for the OSSAA Class 3A State Tournament for the first time in nearly a decade. At the state tournament held in Muskogee, the girls capped off their season with a strong 7th-place finish. Individually, senior Eloise C. had an outstanding year, finishing in the top 20 at every event with three top-10 finishes, tying for 5th place at the State Tournament. And, as one of the top two finishers among West-side seniors, Eloise earned automatic All-State honors. What a great season for Girls Golf!

BOYS GOLF

The Boys Golf team had one of the most memorable seasons in the program’s history. Competing in OSSAA Class 4A, the team earned first-place finishes at Weatherford, Tuttle, and Regionals, where they claimed back-to-back titles at Kingfisher Golf Club. They finished the season by placing fifth overall at the 4A State Championships at Dornick Hills. The team set a school scoring record of 284 (-4) at Hefner North, then broke it with a 274 (-7) at Regionals. They earned the OSSAA Academic Achievement Certificate and several individual honors: Jackson M. ’26 placed 1st at Regionals, Trey B. ’25 3rd at Regionals and 13th at State - making him a top 3 senior in 4A and an All-State contender, and Jude S. ’26 placed 4th at Regionals. Senior Trey B. reflected, “It was a tough season full of ups and downs, but I’m still proud of how well we played together all the way to the end.” Coach Estrada complimented the team, saying, “The boys consistently displayed grit, focus, and unity on and off the course… though we recognize that we all miss the mark, our failures do not define us - we are children of the Most High God.”

POM

Pom had an outstanding season, finishing undefeated and with three state titles: OSSAA Small Pom Game Day State Champions, OSDTDA 2A Mix State Champions, and OSDTDA 2A Game Day State Champions. They also achieved Third Overall High Point in Game Day at OSDTDA State Competition (1A-6A). Individually, Lauren P. ’25 earned the Academic Scholarship Award, and Reese D. ’25 was awarded Senior Solo Finalist. Off the competition floor, the program continues to invest in younger students, teaching two mini spirit clinics to preschool through fourth graders.

GIRLS SOCCER

The Girls Soccer team had an incredible season, finishing with a 12-3 record and five wins by 10 or more goals. Grace M. ’27 led the offense with a school-record 31 goals, including six in a single game against Victory Christian. In the playoffs, Olivia T. ’28 recorded an impressive 23 saves in the 3A State Quarterfinal match. Kennedy C. ’25 and Ruby R. ’25 played at a high level throughout the season, earning All-State honors. The team’s unity and purpose were evident both on and off the field. As Ruby R. ’25 shared, “Our season was full of determination and love. We truly put our all into every practice, game, and moment as a team.”

BOYS SOCCER

The Boys Soccer team capped off a record-breaking season with a 13-4 finish, tying the school record for most wins and advancing to the OSSAA 3A State Semi-Finals. They earned back-to-back Regional Championships, and the senior class set a new program mark with 49 wins over four years. Kaden L. ’25 became the all-time leader in goals (86), assists (47), and hat tricks (15), while also tying the single-season record with 29 goals. Bennett B. ’25 and Charlie C. ’25 were the program’s first four-year starters, with Bennett recording a school-best 75 starts. Goalkeeper Benton M. ’25 led the defense with 47 starts and 19 clean slates. All-State honors went to seniors Kaden L. (Forward), Bennett B. (Defender), and Benton M. (Goalkeeper), with Honorable Mention for Charlie C. and Harry S., and Honorary All-State for Hayden H.

SOFTBALL

The Softball team wrapped up the 2024-25 season with a 14-16 record and a strong second-place finish at 3A Regionals. Emmy R. ’25 and Grace S. ’25 both set a school record with 33 singles, while Grace also led the team with 38 runs. The team focused on staying positive and moving forward, faithful to their motto, “The most important pitch is the next one!” Coach Staton encouraged the players to support each other, reminding them, “This game’s hard enough. Encourage one another, and we’ll do great things this season!”

SWIM

The inaugural Swim team made its debut at CCS this year with remarkable results. Despite being new to competition, several students placed in the 5A State Meet: Roxy P. ’26 placed 1st in the 500 Freestyle and 3rd in the 200 Freestyle; Jasper J. ’27 placed 3rd in the 50 Freestyle and the 100 Backstroke; Zach L. ’26 placed 1st in the 100 Backstroke and 3rd in the 200 Individual Medley; and Zoey P. ’28, Carleigh C. ’25, Roxy P. ‘26, and Jasper J. ‘27 placed 12th in the 200 Freestyle Relay and 9th in the 400 Freestyle Relay. The girls team placed 9th at State, and the boys team placed 18th, an impressive finish for a first-year program. Coach Van Slooten praised the team’s hard work, saying, “I have had the opportunity to coach many teams throughout my career. This team exceeds them all. They turned every obstacle into an opportunity.” With such a strong introduction, we are excited to see what CCS Swim has in store for the future.

GIRLS TENNIS

The Girls Tennis team had a strong season, finishing as Runner-Up at 4A Regionals and earning multiple podium finishes at the State Tournament. Freshman Macy H. impressed in her debut season, securing 3rd place at State in 1 Singles, while Chloe M. ’25 and Kate L. ’26 also brought home 3rd in 2 Doubles. Chloe M. also earned All-State honors. Competing under the team motto “Conquerors,” the girls demonstrated resilience, teamwork, and faith throughout the season. Senior Chloe M. summed up the team’s mindset best: “Our girls were more than conquerors because of whose we are and how He loves us.”

BOYS TENNIS

The Boys Tennis team had a historic season, capturing their third straight State Championship and ending Heritage Hall’s 43-year Regional Championship streak. The team swept the 5A State titles in 2 Singles (Graham L. ’28), 1 Doubles (JP D. ’26 and Sumner S. ’26), and 2 Doubles (Joel L. ’27 and Kellen H. ’28), while Ben V. ’25 placed 4th in 1 Singles. Ben V. ’25 also earned All-State honors and signed to continue playing tennis at Rockhurst University in the fall. Competing under the theme “Together,” the team emphasized unity and purpose beyond the court. Senior Ben V. shared, “We don’t play for ourselves, we play to give glory to Jesus. Because of that, we’ve already won.”

TRACK

The Track team wrapped up a great season with several qualifications for State across multiple events. Individually, students had several placements in Class 3A at State: after setting a new school long jump record at Regionals, Clara B. ’26 placed 10th; Grace S. ’27 placed 10th in the 100H; Zac R. ’26 placed 12th in the 3200m and 16th in the 1600m; Stacy H. ’26 placed 15th in the 800m; and together the boys placed 13th in the 4x100. Though they faced some setbacks due to an injury, the team finished the season with determination and excitement for the year to come.

VOLLEYBALL

The 2024-25 Volleyball season was both challenging and rewarding, finishing with a 15-14 record against one of the toughest schedules in the state. Despite the competition, the Lady Knights rose to the occasion, defeating five teams that went on to play in the State Tournament. Kate M. ’25 was named to the 4A Oklahoma Coaches Association All-State team, while Madison C. ’28 and Aubree J. ’26 earned 2nd Team All-Conference honors. More than stats and standings, this team grew in faith and unity. Players began each week by sharing a verse or quote at practice and praying together. They served others by packing care bags for children in need and grew closer through friendly “Volleysquad” competitions. Freshman Madison C. ’28 reflected, “2024 was a great yet challenging season. I think it really taught us the importance of playing as a team and having Christ-representing character even when things didn’t always go our way.”

WRESTLING

Despite a small roster, the 2024-25 Wrestling season was marked by perseverance and hard work. Konrad K. ’28 placed second at both the Jr. High Allstate Tournament and 3A West Regionals, while James G. ’27 placed fifth at Regionals - both advancing to the High School State Tournament. In addition, the team, even without a full lineup, placed 11th at the Morey Villareal Tournament at Will Rogers State. Beyond competition, the program focused on strengthening relationships within the team through an end-of-season banquet that included Little Knights, Middle School, and Upper School wrestlers.

“NOT TO US BUT TO YOUR NAME BE THE GLORY.”

ISAIAH 64:8

CELEBRATING 25 YEARS OF A LASTING LEGACY

One generation shall commend your works to another, and shall declare your mighty acts.
PSALM 145:4

2000
- FOUNDED WITH 39 PRESCHOOL STUDENTS

2002
- MOVED INTO BELLE ISLE COMMUNITY CHURCH, THE FORMER CROSSINGS COMMUNITY CHURCH (CCC) BUILDING, WITH 148 STUDENTS

2005
- MS ENROLLMENT OPENED WITH 12 SIXTH GRADE STUDENTS
- FINE ARTS CLASSES INTRODUCED

2006
- NORTH PORTLAND CAMPUS OPENED WITH 20 CLASSROOMS IN LS BUILDING
- FIRST ATHLETIC TEAMS INTRODUCED: BASKETBALL, TENNIS, AND GOLF

2007
- ACHIEVED ACCREDITATION THROUGH THE ASSOCIATION OF CHRISTIAN SCHOOL INTERNATIONAL (ACSI)

2008
- INTRODUCED US COURSES WITH 7 FRESHMEN
- MS AND US STUDENTS HOUSED IN CCC BUILDING

2010
- US BUILDING OPENED FOR ALL 6TH-12TH GRADE STUDENTS
- LS GYM OPENED AS THE PRIMARY COMPETITION GYM FOR CAMPUS UNTIL 2018

2011
- 675 STUDENTS ENROLLED
- INTRODUCED AP AND DUAL CREDIT CLASSES
- FIRST GRADUATE!

2012
- JOINED OKLAHOMA SECONDARY SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION (OSSAA)
- FIRST JUNIOR MUSICAL PERFORMANCE OF *ANNIE*, HELD IN LS GYM

2013

- FIRST STATE CHAMPIONSHIP: CLASS A GIRLS TRACK *(27 STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS TO DATE)*
- FIRST OSSAA HOME FOOTBALL GAME AT KNIGHTS STADIUM
- FIRST OKLAHOMA ACADEMIC SCHOLAR *(240 TO DATE)*
- FIRST ALL-STATE ATHLETE *(72 TO DATE)*

2014

- FIRST US PRESIDENTIAL SCHOLAR NOMINATION AND WINNER
- FIRST NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARS *(28 TO DATE)*
- NEW BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL STADIUM HOSTED FIRST HOME GAMES
- FIRST ACADEMIC ALL-STATE AWARD *(18 TO DATE)*

2015

- MS BUILDING OPENED
- FIRST FULL LENGTH MUSICAL: *THE SOUND OF MUSIC*
- ENROLLMENT TOPPED 1000, NAMED LARGEST PRIVATE SCHOOL IN OKC METRO

2017

- COMMONS, COMPETITION GYM, AND THE PERFORMING ARTS CENTER OPENED

2018

- FIRST FINE ARTS ALL-STATE AWARD

2020

- NORTH FIELD HOUSE, SOCCER FIELDS, AND TENNIS COURTS OPENED

2021

- LS ACTIVITY CENTER OPENED
- FIRST PERFECT ACT SCORE

2023

- ENROLLMENT REACHED CAPACITY AT 1200 STUDENTS

2024

- EARNED AP PLATINUM STATUS
- ACHIEVED EARLY CHILDHOOD ACCREDITATION THROUGH ACSI
- 9 STUDENTS NAMED NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARS

2025

- CELEBRATED 25 YEARS OF DEVELOPING CHRIST-CENTERED SERVANT LEADERS
- LARGEST GRADUATING CLASS TO DATE AT 81, MAKING THE TOTAL OF CCS ALUMNI 688
- ACQUIRED 54 ACRES AT 150TH AND PORTLAND, REMAINING COMMITTED TO THE CONTINUING THE MISSION

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REACHING MILESTONES

ACSI Accreditation for Preschool and Pre-Kindergarten

CROSSINGS CHRISTIAN SCHOOL is proud to announce that our Preschool and Pre-Kindergarten programs have officially received accreditation from the Association of Christian Schools International, ACSI. Though CCS K-12 has been accredited through ACSI since 2008, we started a year-long process toward accreditation in 2023 for Preschool and Pre-Kindergarten, with faculty and administrators working diligently to meet ACSI's rigorous standards. By October 2024, we had fulfilled all requirements and officially earned accreditation.

For 25 years, our teachers have focused on nurturing the whole child—physically, emotionally, cognitively, spiritually, and socially. Accreditation allowed us to build on that strong foundation by documenting our intentional approach more clearly. We also expanded professional development and ensured every teacher and assistant became CPR and First Aid certified.

Accreditation is more than just a certification—it is a seal of excellence that benefits both students and families. Here's why it matters:

QUALITY ASSURANCE
Accreditation verifies that CCS meets high academic and spiritual education standards. Families can trust that their children are receiving an exceptional education.

COLLEGE & CAREER READINESS
Students graduating from accredited Christian schools qualify for admission to most colleges and universities.

STATE FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES
A key benefit of seeking accreditation was ensuring our Pre-K families could benefit from the new Oklahoma Tax Credit (OTC). With accreditation, families may now take advantage of this exciting school choice initiative.

We are incredibly grateful for the dedication of our staff and the support of our school community. Congratulations to our Preschool and Pre-K team on this well-earned achievement.

BY THE NUMBERS

100%
OF OUR PS/PREK TEACHERS ARE CERTIFIED EDUCATORS THROUGH ACSI AND/OR THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA.

100%
OF OUR PS/PREK TEACHERS AND TEACHER ASSISTANTS ARE CERTIFIED IN CPR & FIRST AID THROUGH THE RED CROSS.

100%
OF OUR PS/PREK TEACHERS AND TEACHER ASSISTANTS HAVE BEEN FINGERPRINTED AND BACKGROUND-CHECKED.

100%
OF OUR PS/PREK FACULTY MEMBERS ARE HIGHLY QUALIFIED WITH A COMBINED TOTAL OF 271 YEARS OF TEACHING EXPERIENCE, AVERAGING 16 YEARS PER TEACHER.

100%
OF OUR PS/PREK FACULTY MEMBERS HAVE A LONG-TERM COMMITMENT TO CCS, AVERAGING 14 YEARS PER TEACHER AT CCS.

BRINGING THE BIBLE TO LIFE

4TH GRADE CHAPEL SKITS

Fourth-grade students brought Bible stories to life in a powerful and memorable way during Lower School Chapel through student-led skits each week of April. With guidance from their teachers, students took full ownership of the process - writing scripts, assigning roles, and even building sets. Each class portrayed different stories: Mrs. Occhipinti's class acted out *David and Goliath* and *Zacchaeus*, Mrs. McElroy's students performed *Jesus Walks on Water* and *Jesus Heals a Blind Man*, and Mrs. Bacon's class presented a moving depiction of *Jesus' Crucifixion and Resurrection*. As Mrs. Occhippinti shared, "The students take a Bible story we've been learning in class, study it, and prepare a skit using biblical text, all with minimal help. It's a wonderful way for them to grow as leaders and take ownership of their learning." Along the way, they practiced important life skills like planning, teamwork, and communication. "The camaraderie and social skills developed during this project really stay with them," added Mrs. Bacon.

The students themselves shared how meaningful the experience was. Camille E. said, "I like being able to work together and writing all the lines. It is also fun to perform in front of everyone!" while Boden B. added, "It means more seeing it acted out than just reading the words on the page." From creating props to acting on stage, the project gave students a deeper connection to Scripture and to each other. Bradford I. appreciated "working as a group," and West W. reflected, "It's a good learning experience. We get to act out what we've learned for many years." Whether it was learning more about Jesus' miracles, understanding the meaning of resurrection, or simply watching their classmates bring the stories to life, these skits gave students a chance to connect their faith to action in a creative and lasting way.

MAKING A JOYFUL NOISE TO THE LORD WITH

Joymakers! Children's Choir

Joymakers is Crossings Christian School's third and fourth-grade choir, where students develop both musical and personal skills in a fun, faith-filled environment. Led by Amanda Winters, the choir meets twice a week in the early mornings, growing to a record 66 members this year.

Through Joymakers, students refine their vocal technique, learn harmonies, master complex rhythms, and even sing in foreign languages—this year tackling pieces in Latin and Japanese. Beyond music, they gain confidence, perseverance, and teamwork, all while using their talents to honor God. Joymakers also gives students a chance to experience performing in different venues as they showcase their growth in a spring performance each April in the Performing Arts Center.

"I love having the opportunity to introduce complex musical concepts and seeing how eager they are to learn and apply them… My goal is to foster a spirit of joy and empower them to use their gifts to honor God," says Mrs. Winters. These students truly do bring joy through their heart for worship and lifted voices!

Scholars in the Spotlight

CROSSINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL SCHOLASTIC TEAM

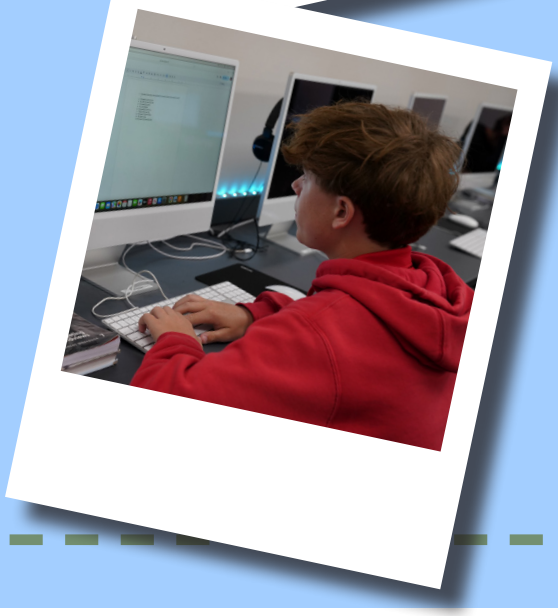
The CCS Middle School Scholastic Team gives 6th-8th grade students the opportunity to compete academically while using their God-given gifts. Throughout the year, students attend four qualifying meets - two online, one away, and one hosted at Crossings. At each meet, they take timed, multiple-choice tests in six subjects: Math, Science, Social Studies, Current Events, Humanities, and Language Arts. Top performers (first – third place) in each subject qualify for the Oklahoma Association for Academic Competition's Tournament of Champions. Those who place in three core subjects are eligible for the Top Scholar test. Crossings students have consistently stood out at the state level since the team began in 2010. This year, 8th grader Sophie H. earned her third Top Scholar title - an outstanding accomplishment among more than 550 students statewide!

Beyond academic development, being part of the Scholastic Team fosters leadership, confidence, and community. Through hosting a large Middle School Scholastic Meet with 14 schools participating, students have the opportunity to serve as ambassadors for Christ while developing leadership skills. In addition, Upper School students who once competed on the Middle School team often return to help mentor younger teammates and volunteer at the meet hosted by Crossings

Being on the scholastic team not only prepares students for future testing, like the ACT and SAT, but also provides recognition and encouragement that builds lasting confidence. Most importantly, it allows students to glorify God through their academic pursuits and by encouraging one another along the way. "I've had the joy of working with academic and scholastic programs at Crossings since 2007," shared Coach Mrs. Szymanski. "It's such a blessing to watch these students grow spiritually, academically, and as leaders. They bless others with their gifts, and they bless me, year after year."

BUILDING A FOUNDATION OF FAITH

IN 7TH GRADE BIBLE CLASS



In a seventh-grade Bible class, students aren't just learning about faith, they're learning to think deeply and critically about what they believe and why. Through the use of daily digital journals, students engage with key scriptures that highlight the foundational truths of Christianity. They are asked to reflect on these verses in their own words, working through big questions such as, "Why do you believe in God?" and must respond using logic and reason in conjunction with scripture. Students also explore the writings of early church fathers like Martin Luther, Irenaeus, and St. Augustine, drawing connections between ancient Christian wisdom and their own modern-day faith. Later in the year, the class examines quotes from the worlds of business and sports, seeking out the biblical truths hidden within them. These exercises help students grow in discernment, ownership of their beliefs, and the ability to articulate their worldview with clarity and conviction.

The first semester concludes with a five-paragraph essay on sin and salvation. Students define sin and salvation using scripture, then explain in their own words how sin affected mankind and how it changed our relationship with God. They also explore the meaning of salvation, how it is received, and why God's plan for redemption through Jesus is both necessary and effective. This essay challenges students to wrestle with the heart of the Gospel and express these eternal truths clearly and personally. By the end of the course, students are not only more knowledgeable - they're more confident in their beliefs and better equipped to live them out.

ROLL KNIGHTS ROLL

9TH GRADE ORIENTATION

This year, the Upper School launched a brand-new tradition—Roll Knights Roll Day—to give our incoming 9th graders a warm and exciting welcome to Upper School.

Greeted by Upperclassmen leaders, along with teachers and staff, the day kicked off with a pep assembly featuring performances from the band, interactive games, and fun icebreakers designed to ease first-day jitters. Students also had the opportunity to worship together as a class, offering them a glimpse into the chapel experiences they will share each week. In small group sessions, our leadership team answered questions about high school and guided students through the campus, helping them get their bearings before the first official day of classes.

Beyond learning the layout of the school, freshmen were introduced to the many ways they can get involved—whether through fine arts, athletics, or student-led clubs. More importantly, they discovered what makes our school culture unique and how they can contribute to its shaping.

This new approach to freshman orientation placed a greater emphasis on connection and community-building than ever before. “One of the most powerful moments of the day was watching the freshmen worship together, creating a sense of unity from the start, as well as seeing our Upperclassmen leaders step up to mentor and encourage the new students,” said Lauren Wheat, the Spiritual and Student Life Coordinator. As these students embark on their Upper School journey, our hope is that they walk away from Roll Knights Roll Day feeling confident, connected, and excited about the road ahead. More than just a class, they are now part of a community that will cheer them on every step of the way.

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SHAPING THOUGHTFUL LEADERS THROUGH LAW AND ETHICS

Upper School students in the Introduction to Law and Constitutional Law courses don't just memorize legal principles, they engage in thoughtful discussions, wrestle with complex issues, and learn how to apply a biblical worldview and ethical reasoning in real-world scenarios. The courses are taught by Kyle Taylor, who not only teaches in the Upper School, but is also the Executive Director of Site and Security at Crossings Community Church. Mr. Taylor brings a diverse professional background, enriching the learning experience, guiding students through lessons that challenge their perspectives and prepare them for life beyond the classroom.

One of the most valuable lessons students take away from these courses is the ability to analyze issues from multiple viewpoints. Drawing from his experiences in private law, federal diplomatic security, and corporate protection, Mr. Taylor encourages students to think critically and consider various angles before forming arguments. Through real-life legal case studies, students gain insight into challenging legal and ethical questions, sparking discussions that push them to refine their reasoning and communication skills.

Students view cases through both a legal framework and a Christian perspective. As they explore constitutional rights, business ethics, and legal precedents, they incorporate biblical principles to evaluate decisions based on moral and ethical reasoning. This balance helps students develop empathy and recognize the deeper implications of legal cases in everyday life. Even if students don't pursue careers in law, these courses provide them with skills essential for success in any profession - critical thinking, ethical decision-making, and the ability to construct well-reasoned arguments. In addition to the recent accreditation of Constitutional Law as an honors and dual-credit course with Colorado Christian University, the emphasis on collegiate-level coursework and deep discussions ensures students leave the class better equipped to analyze complex problems, debate solutions, and approach challenges with both wisdom and integrity.

With small class sizes, students benefit from a conversational learning atmosphere where open discussions thrive. Mr. Taylor fosters an engaging setting where ideas are challenged, perspectives broadened, and meaningful debates take place. At CCS, these courses are about more than just legal education. They are about shaping thoughtful, Christian leaders who will leave with the ability to evaluate issues critically, argue with conviction, and approach the world's challenges with empathy, wisdom, and faith.

COLLIN ANDERSON, CLASS OF 2025

EXCELLENCE IN ACADEMICS AND THE ARTS

Collin Anderson, Class of 2025, earned the prestigious title of US Presidential Scholar Nominee. This recognition places Collin among the top high school students in the country, reflecting not only his academic excellence but also his dedication, character, and contributions to CCS and the community.

"I felt accomplished and rewarded for my hard work, and appreciated for being recognized," Collin shared. Interestingly, he almost missed the notification, but discovered he was nominated after finding an email tucked away in his spam folder. Each year, the Presidential Scholar Program identifies around 4,000 high-achieving students based on standardized test scores, with only 161 ultimately selected nationwide. Applications are by invitation only, and nominees are evaluated by a committee on academics, leadership, character, service, and essays. For a student to even be considered is a rare and exceptional achievement.

Collin's journey at CCS began in second grade, when he became a standout student and musician, even before joining the school Orchestra in middle school. "I have played the violin since I was 4 years old, and music has always been an integral part of my life. I greatly appreciate the opportunity to be a part of the CCS Orchestra and Mrs. Bounds for allowing me to play music every day," he said. Collin was also recently named First Place Musician in the National Alliance of Christian Schools, one of his many musical achievements during his time at CCS.

His passion for both academics and music will continue this fall at Baylor University, where he will pursue a double major in Violin Performance and Physics. Reflecting on his years at CCS, Collin shared that "Over the years, CCS has consistently pushed me to be the best student, musician, and person that I can be, and I would not be where I am without it."

With only 12 classes of graduating seniors, representing just over 700 students, Collin is the third Presidential Nominee at Crossings Christian School. CCS Alumni Shelby Wilkinson, Class of 2014, was not only nominated but was also awarded the title of Presidential Scholar in 2014, and Delaney Barghols was nominated for her academic efforts and achievements in 2020.

CROSSINGS CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Celebrating the Class of 2025

4 NATIONAL MERIT FINALISTS
26 OKLAHOMA ACADEMIC SCHOLARS
25 AVERAGE ACT | 3.54 AVERAGE GPA | 43 LIFERS

COLLIN ANDERSON
Baylor University

OWEN ANDERSON
University of Oklahoma

BRAYDEN AYALA
Oklahoma State University

ANDERSON BAILEY
Michigan Technological University

BENNETT BAKER
Auburn University

ADDISON BARNHILL
Oklahoma Baptist University

CARSON BAUGH
Oklahoma State University

MAISY BEATY
Oklahoma State University

BENNETT BELL
University of Arkansas

ISABELLA BENNETT
Oklahoma State University

WILLIAM BISHOP III
Centenary College of Louisiana

WILLIAM BROOKS
University of Oklahoma

ADDISON BROWN
University of Arkansas

MARGARET BROWN
Oklahoma State University

PARKER BRYAN
University of Oklahoma

KIERRA CABARCAS
Oklahoma State University

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University of Oklahoma

KENNEDY CARDOZA
Oklahoma State University

BARRON CLARK
Oklahoma State University

ELINOR CLARK
University of Tulsa

KAITLYN COIT
Oklahoma State University

CHARLES COOK III
University of Oklahoma

ELOISE COULTER
Oklahoma State University

KATIE COX
University of Oklahoma

CARLEIGH CURTIS
Oklahoma State University

DALWIN DE LEÓN-BARRIOS
Southern Nazarene University

LANDON DUBBELL
Oklahoma State University

ADDISON FEATHERSTONE
Fordham University

ALEXANDER FORAKER
Oklahoma Christian University

MOLLIE FOWLER
Oklahoma Baptist University

CAL FURNISH
Oral Roberts University

RYAN GRACE
University of Oklahoma

WILLIAM GRAHAM
Oklahoma State University

SAMUEL HALL
University of Oklahoma

HALEY HENDERSON
Oklahoma State University

HAYDEN HOXIE
Mid-America Christian University

JAYDEN KAKISH
Oklahoma Wesleyan University

OLIVIA KEMPEN
Mid-America Christian University

SHELBY KINUTHIA
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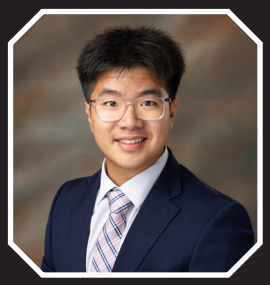

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Southern Methodist University

MURPHY LINK
University of Arkansas

KATHERINE LINKOUS
Oklahoma State University

CARLIE LITTLE
Kansas State University

DARIUS MAREE
University of Oklahoma

TAYLOR MARSHALL
Brigham Young University

GARRETT MARTIN
University of Georgia

KATE MATHENA
University of Arkansas

NOLAN MATHEWS
University of Oklahoma

GAVIN MCELROY
University of Oklahoma

CORINNE MCGRATH
St. Mary's College of California

BENTON MCKIM
University of Tulsa

PIPER MCWILLIAMS
University of Oklahoma

HARRISON MILLS
Western Welding Academy

CHLOE MINIHAN
Oklahoma State University

MAXWELL MOSER
Villanova University

JONAH NEHER
University of Oklahoma

SOPHIA ORTIZ
Undecided

CAMERON PARKER
University of Central Oklahoma

LAUREN PATINO
Oklahoma State University

HOPE RICKEY
University of Arkansas

COLEMAN RIDLEY
University of Mississippi

AUBREY ROBBINS
University of Central Oklahoma

FISCHER ROBY
University of Oklahoma

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University of Mississippi

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Oklahoma State University

AVA YANDA
University of Oklahoma

CLASS OF 2025 VERSE

Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is - His good, pleasing and perfect will.

ROMANS 12:2

WELCOMING OUR NEWEST ALUMNI

On Thursday, May 22, 2025, Crossings Christian School welcomed 81 new alumni. Congratulations to the Class of 2025.

2011

Sierra (Albertson) Occhipinti has been a fourth-grade teacher at CCS since 2017. She and her husband, Everett, have welcomed two baby boys to their family: Noah Oliver, born in September 2021, and Andy Meso, born in August 2023. Noah will start preschool at Crossings in the fall.

2016

Julia (Sauer) Johnson completed her undergraduate degree in pre-veterinary animal science at OSU, making the President's Honor Roll each semester with her 4.0 GPA. After earning her Doctor of Veterinary Medicine Degree at OSU in 2023, she now practices at Britton Road Vet in Oklahoma City. She and husband Chase Johnson '18 welcomed twins, Colt and Barrett, on February 16, 2025.

Brooke (Malherbe) McKenny married her husband, David McKenny, on July 29th, 2023, in Crested Butte, CO. She is the Surgical Coordinator/Office Manager at Retina Consultants of Oklahoma. She spends her time helping her mom take care of their horses, chickens, and mini donkeys at their farm, loving on their three dogs (Gypsy, Tango, and Sturgill), and spending a ton of time at Lake Eufaula!

Abrie Richison lives in Charleston, SC, and married her husband, McLean, in 2022. Together, they had Banks (4 years old), Rome (1.5 years old), and will be welcoming their third baby in July of 2025. After CCS, Abrie earned her undergraduate degree in English and International Studies from the College of Charleston and her Master of Science in International Affairs from Georgia Tech. She currently works for a nonprofit that specializes in sharing literature, poetry, and art that discusses geopolitical violence and the impact that such violence has on individuals and communities. Abrie and her family love to travel - together they have been to 30 countries around the world!

2017

Reagan (Proctor) Perry married Colton Perry on November 16, 2024, at The Bower in Edmond, Oklahoma. Reagan is a pre- and post-op nurse at the Oklahoma Spine Hospital, and her husband is a Physician's Assistant at McBride Orthopedic Hospital.

ALUMNI, DO YOU HAVE NEWS TO SHARE?

EMAIL UPDATES TO
ALUMNI@CROSSINGSSCHOOL.ORG

2018

Brittany Rubin is in her second year of teaching ninth and tenth-grade English at Guthrie High School. She got engaged to Kevin Glover in August 2024 and is getting married in December of 2025.

Ross Lovelace graduated from the University of Oklahoma in May 2023 with a degree in PR and Communications. Ross married his wife, Addison, in August of 2023, and recently lived in New Orleans working for the Super Bowl LIX Host Committee as the marketing and volunteer coordinator. Ross is now living in Boston and working for the Boston Red Sox as a Premium Client Services Communications Associate.

2019

Caroline Archer returned to CCS as a sixth-grade math teacher in 2024 after having received her Bachelor of Science in Mathematics degree from the University of Oklahoma. She loves getting to know students and having the opportunity to pour into them. She loves to tutor students of all ages, read, go on walks, and travel with her family.

2020

Jacob and Sawyer (Turner) Snyder were married on June 15, 2024, in Bentonville, Arkansas. They both graduated from the University of Arkansas in December 2024. Jacob graduated with a Bachelor's Degree in Business Management, and Sawyer with a Bachelor's Degree in Public Health. After graduation, they purchased a home in the Deer Creek area, and Jacob is working for Capitol Lift Truck as Territory Manager and Marketing Director.

Jenna Curry is in her second semester of graduate school at the University of Tulsa. She will graduate with a Master's in Speech Pathology in May 2026. Jenna started a photography business, Jenna Curry Photography, in the fall of 2023. She rescued her cat, Juniper, in August of last year.

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Devin Mayberry joined the technology department at CCS in 2024 after graduating from Oklahoma State University. He enjoys contributing back to the school and community that made him who he is today. He collects vinyl and CDs and loves baseball and drawing.

2021

Faith Gregory graduated from Southwestern Oklahoma State University in December 2024 with a Bachelor's degree in Parks and Wildlife Law Enforcement and a minor in business. She is engaged to Corbin Gordon and is working as the Shelter and Housing Coordinator for The Point at Pivot, a homeless shelter for youth.

Leaving a Legacy

CRYSTAL HARDBERGER

Early Childhood, Preschool

Retiring after Years of Service: 2005-2025

ANDREA BREWSTER

Lower School, Kindergarten

Retiring after Years of Service: 2018-2025

25 CROSSINGS
CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

25th Anniversary TAILGATE

This year, Crossings Christian School joyfully celebrated its 25th Anniversary - a milestone marked by gratitude, community, and God's enduring faithfulness. The celebration kicked off with a tailgate that brought our CCS Family together for a memorable evening of food trucks, live music, inflatables, photo booths, and an unforgettable drone show lighting up the night sky. Throughout the year, we shared photos and memories on social media, looking back at the people and moments that have shaped our school. More than just a celebration, this year served as a time to thank God for His provision and to look ahead with gratitude and hope for the legacy He continues to build at CCS for generations to come.

COMMITTED TO CONTINUING THE MISSION

As we celebrate 25 years of God's faithfulness, we reflect with gratitude on all God has done. What began with just 39 pre-school students in the basement of the original church in Belle Isle has grown into a thriving school serving more than 1,200 students and a community of 688 alumni. God's hand has been evident every step of the way.

Today, the need for Christ-centered education continues to rise. Our growing waitlists in every division, the success of Christian schools locally and nationally, and new opportunities including the Parental Choice Tax Credit all underscore the increasing need.

Throughout our history, our school has prayed fervently seeking God's guidance for our future. In December 2024, He answered in a way beyond what we could have ever asked or imagined, blessing us with 54 acres directly across NW 150th Street, most of which was generously gifted.

As we prepare for the next chapter, we remain unwavering in our commitment to our mission. We will continue to provide a Christ-centered education marked by small class sizes, academic excellence, vibrant arts and athletics, a strong community, and intentional spiritual formation.

God has repeatedly shown His faithfulness throughout our history, and we are in awe of the opportunities He has in store for our CCS Family and community as we remain **COMMITTED** to Continuing the Mission.

MORE INFORMATION COMING FALL 2025!

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