



# AA WEEKLY



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## Desires of the Heart

Due to Mr Overstreet being out of town at meetings this week, we found a story online to print in the spirit of the upcoming Valentine's Day. Enjoy!

Psalm 37:4 *"Delight yourself in the LORD and he will give you the desires of your heart.."* (NIV Bible)

"I remember when I was a new Christian, my greatest fear was that God was going to make me do something that I desperately didn't want to do. Maybe He would send me to a far away country where I had no desire to go to. Maybe He would make me marry someone that I wasn't attracted to? My basic understanding of the Christian life revolved around the idea that true service to God required a sacrifice that would make me do things that were opposite to my heart's desires.

In this scripture passage, God is saying that if we simply delight in Him and enjoy His friendship, that He will give us the desires of our heart. I believe that the desires that God is referring to are not necessarily our momentary impulses, but rather the deep-seeded longings in our heart that stand the test of time.

I know as a father, there is nothing more that brings joy to my heart than seeing my children receive the desires of their hearts. I want the absolute best for them and I believe

that is the heart of our Heavenly Father for us as well.

Through the years, God has dismantled many of my misconceptions about His true nature. As it turns out, I didn't marry someone I wasn't attracted to, but ended up marrying a wonderful woman who has completely surpassed my hopes for a wife. And God didn't send me to a far off country that I hated, but has placed me in a ministry that has far exceeded all my expectations. God does love us and wants to give us the desires of our hearts. So delight in Him and watch what happens."

### PRAYER

Father, I want to take the time to delight in You today. You are a wonderful Father and I love You with all my heart! Thank You for making me the way I am, and for promising to give me the secret desires of my heart. I trust in Your timing and I commit all my dreams and plans into Your tender care. In the name of Your beloved Son Jesus I pray, AMEN.

[Excerpt: Father Heart Communications—[fathersloveletter.com](http://fathersloveletter.com)]

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### Up-coming Events

- 2/10 SA Talent Nite
- 2/11-15 Health Education Week
- 2/18 No School—President's Day
- 2/21-25 Silhouette and Orchestra Tour
- 2/27-3/2 AU Music Festival

## AA TALENT NIGHT

Andrews Academy is having their annual Talent Night on February 10<sup>th</sup> at 6pm located at the school. Admission will be \$3 at the door. We have a lot of talent at AA and we invite everyone to come and support.



## ANDREWS UNIVERSITY MUSIC

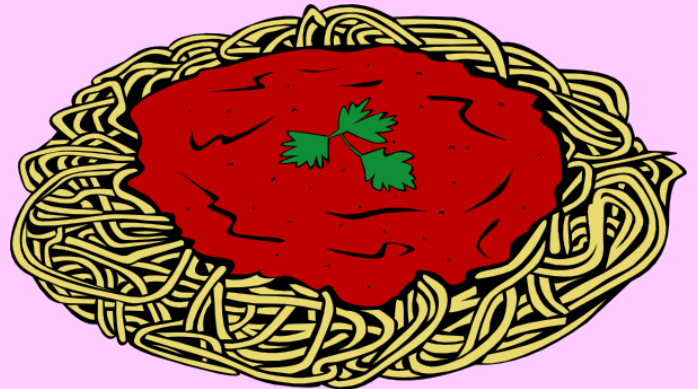
### DEPARTMENT

6th International Music Competition Strings:

Violin, Viola, Cello, and String Bass. Students between the ages of 15-30 can apply by February 15, 2013. Prize money will be offered for those who place between 1st to 5th up to \$1000. For more information contact the AU Music Department. 269-471-3555

## JUNIOR CLASS ITALIAN DINNER

There will be an Italian Dinner on Sunday, February 17<sup>th</sup> from 4:30pm to 7:30pm at the AA Commons. Attire for the evening is casual. Entry for the dinner is \$8 per person. If there are any questions please contact a class officer or sponsor.



## AA BLOOD DRIVE

Andrews Academy is having a Blood Drive on Thursday, February 21<sup>st</sup>. It will be located in the school chapel from 8am to 1pm. "Be somebody who saves lives."

## FRONT ENTRANCE/AFTER SCHOOL

### DISMISSAL

Students please remember to use your ID cards to enter the front entrance of the school. Remember that at 4pm you will be dismissed from the school building. Take all your belongings with you at this time. Make sure your parents make arrangements to pick you up from the school at 4pm (M-Th/3pm Fridays.) Thank you!

# GROW GROUP

## *Captivating*

A Grow Group is a group of 15-20 people who meet together once a week to focus on a subject that interests the leader and it's participants. The purpose is to learn something new, grow deeper with Jesus, make new friends, and create a sense of community.

Starting Wednesday evening February 13<sup>th</sup> from 7:30-8:45pm we will be meeting at the home of

Tracy Humphries/ Leader Susi Thompson  
9119-2 Sunset Drive  
Berrien Springs, MI

*Captivating* by John and Stasi Eldredge is a short book we will discuss.

“It’s about discovering who you are, as a woman. A woman who at her core was made for romance, made to play an irreplaceable role in a shared adventure, and who really does possess a beauty all her own to unveil. The woman God had in mind when he made EVE....and when he made **you**. Glorious, powerful, captivating.”

If you are a female I urge you to join our group. You can use the sign up sheet, in the front office, call me at 574-360-2070, email [susan.thompson4@sbcglobal.net](mailto:susan.thompson4@sbcglobal.net), or go to <http://www.pmchurch.org/growgroup> and register.

Books can be purchased from me, Barnes and Noble, ABC, Family Christian Bookstore, or Amazon.com

I look forward to getting together with you next Wednesday night.





The week of Feb. 9 - 13, 2009 was black history week at Andrews Academy. We were blessed this week with the presentations from classmates & speakers. Pastor Morant, Pastor Sydney, Pastor McNiel, Pastor King and Pastor Samuel all blessed us with their time and words, Raquel Carmona (Sr. at Andrews Academy) and a number of students organized the entire week with the help of Ms Rebecca Wright.

# BLACK HISTORY WEEK DEVOTIONS

# FRESHMEN FUNDRAISER

## Valentines Day Fundraiser

Do you have a special friend or a buddy show them how much you appreciate them with a simple gift. ☺

Bouquet (5 balloons): \$8.00 Qty. \_\_\_\_\_

Single Latex Balloon: \$1.50 Qty. \_\_\_\_\_ Pink White or Red (circle colors)

Single Mylar Balloon: \$4.00 Qty. \_\_\_\_\_

Optional Balloon Weight:

Standard : Free      Chocolate: \$4.00

Ghirardelli or Dove (circle one)

\$ Total \_\_\_\_\_

Special Note (optional)

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To: \_\_\_\_\_ From: \_\_\_\_\_ or  Anonymous

Any Questions? Speak to Jessica Grzybowski, Olivia Woodard, or Sharon Quartey

Order and Money due: February 11, 2013





The Alumni vs. School Basketball game was held Saturday Night (Feb.2, 2013). It was a fun evening for all who played and watched. The girls teams played first with the alumni teaming winning with a good lead. The guys game was a very close game, for awhile the school team was leading a little, with the alumni guys winning their game. A lot of great teamwork & sportsmanship was seen as they played their games.



# February Menu

## AA Menu February 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					<b>1</b> Bowtie Pasta w/sauce Bread Sticks Mix Broccoli Salad Diced Pears	<b>2</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> Red Beans & Rice Baked Riblets Corn Bread Fruit	<b>5</b> Grilled Cheese Tater Tots Green Salad Apples	<b>6</b> Chicken Patty/on Bun Let/Tomato/ Cheese Rice & Peas Pineapple Chunks	<b>7</b> Biscuit Pot-Pie Mix Spinach Salad Oranges	<b>8</b> Orange Chicken Jasmine Rice Carrots Apples	<b>9</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> Cheese Pizza Mix Green Salad Corn Fruit	<b>12</b> Fettucine Pasta /Creamy Sauce Breadsticks Broccoli Pears	<b>13</b> Hot Dogs/Bun Onion Rings Corn Applesauce	<b>14</b> Haystacks Chili/Rice/Chips/Cheese/ Lettuce/Tomato Oranges	<b>15</b> Dinner Steaks Rice/Gravy Green Beans Fruit	<b>16</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> <b>NO SCHOOL</b>	<b>19</b> Pasta w/sauce Wheat Bread Sticks Carrots Peaches	<b>20</b> Sliced Chicken/Bun Lettuce/Tomato/ Cheese Steak Fries Peas Applesauce	<b>21</b> Spinach/Cheese Quesadilla Spanish Rice/Peas Pineapples	<b>22</b> Baked Riblets Rice/Gravy Greens Beans Fruit	<b>23</b>
<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> Grillers/Bun Cheese/Tomato/Lettuce Tater Tots Mixed Fruit	<b>26</b> Mac and Cheese Corn Bread Green Beans Apples	<b>27</b> Hot Dogs/Bun French Fries Peas Oranges	<b>28</b> Haystacks Chili/Rice/Chips/Cheese/ Lettuce/Tomato Grapes		

### AA Front Office hours are:

Monday-Thursday 8am-4pm

Friday 8am-2pm

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2nd Semester Schedule Change \$5 fee is now in effect.

THERE IS FACULTY MEETING THIS WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13. SO THE FRONT OFFICE WILL BE CLOSING





# February Calander



## February 2013

February 2013							March 2013						
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10	11	12	13	14	15	16	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28			24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Jan 27	28	29	30	31	Feb 1	2	7:00pm 9:00pm Alumni vs School Basketball (AA Gym)
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	8:00am 1:00pm Concert Band-both services (Village Chu) 10:30am 12:30pm Silhouettes/String Orchestra (Stevensvil)
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	
24	25	26	27	28	Mar 1	2	

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Jan 27 - Feb 2							
Feb 3 - 9			10:15am 11:05am Assembly 3:30pm 5:00pm Rehearsal for Talent Nite (AA Chapel)	3:30pm 4:30pm Tech & Safety Committee (AA Conference Roo) 4:30pm 5:00pm Graduation Planning	3:30pm 5:00pm Rehearsal for Talent Nite (AA Chapel)	SAT Registration Dead	
Feb 10 - 16	6:00pm 8:00pm SA Talent Nite (AA Chapel)	3:30pm 4:30pm Recruitment/Retention Committee	9:20am 7:00pm Auto Show (Chicago) 10:15am 11:05am Assembly	3:30pm 5:00pm FACULTY MTG	5:30pm 8:00pm AA Board	8:55am 9:15am Advisor Devotions 9:15am 12:30pm Spiritual Life Commi 7:00pm 8:00pm SA Ves	
Feb 17 - 23		NO SCHOOL PRESIDENT'S DAY	10:15am 11:05am Assembly; Guidance 3:30pm 5:00pm Academic Affairs Committee	8:00am Review Senior Portfolios 3:30pm 4:30pm Student Affairs Com 3:30pm 4:30pm Student Council	7:30am	SILHOUETTE/ORCHESTRA TOUR	
Feb 24 - Mar 2	SILHOUETTE/ORCHESTRA TOUR 8:00pm		10:15am 11:05am Assembly 3:30pm 4:30pm Rehearsal for NHS Induction (AA Chapel)	3:30pm 5:00pm FACULTY MTG	AU Band Festival (AU)		