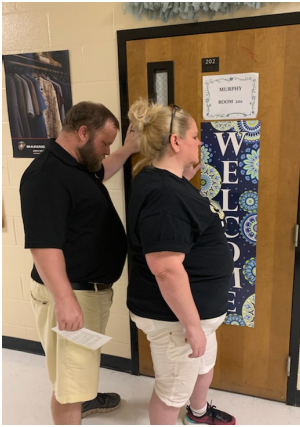


PRAYER WALKING OUR CAMPUSES



One of the best ways we can support our administrators, teachers, and students is through prayer! Consider asking your principal if you and volunteers from your church could prayer walk the school campus. Many principals welcome this, and let us know, "those prayers are felt" and make a great difference in the school year.

With recent school shootings, school administrators and staff are particularly concerned about school safety. There is no better time to pray over your local teachers and students!



Continue to pray throughout the year and let staff know you are praying for them. Some churches have prayer groups that pray weekly at church while others pray weekly around flagpoles. For more resources, see "Praying for Our Schools" at www.heart4schools.org.

WONDER WHAT TO PRAY?

- For God's hand of protection over all administration, faculty, staff, students, and volunteers.
- For protection from any who would want to do harm or from any form of evil or malice.
- For each student (and teacher) to experience God's peace as they walk into a new classroom. Ask God to take away any fear or anxiety.
- For students to thrive academically, socially, emotionally.
- For students to develop healthy relationships with teachers and with their peers.
- For students who need extra help to be identified and to receive needed support.
- For Christian students to be a reflection of God's love and have opportunities to share their faith.
- For teachers as they are learning students' names, personalities and needs. Ask that God help the teacher to see each student through His eyes.
- For teachers to have insight, patience, and wisdom in planning lessons, establishing rules and routines, managing classrooms, and responding to misbehaving students.
- For strength, stamina, and encouragement for teachers as they perform the many duties related to teaching.
- For the health of all students, faculty and staff, especially in regard to Covid-19.
- For the administration as they make difficult decisions each day.
- For bus drivers and safety on the roads as they transport children. For good student behavior and peace on their routes.
- For students and teachers who are beginning their first year at a new school. Pray they will feel welcomed and loved in a new place.



And this is the confidence that we have toward Him, that if we ask anything according to His will He hears us.

1 John 5: 14