

WALK BY FAITH 2023



THE MISSION STATEMENT

THE MISSION OF CURTIS BAPTIST SCHOOL IS TO INFUSE A BIBLICAL WORLD VIEW IN ALL AREAS OF ACADEMICS, FINE ARTS, AND ATHLETICS, DEVELOPING BOLD AND DEVOTED FOLLOWERS OF JESUS CHRIST.

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VOLLEYBALL

One of Curtis's many sports teams is our volleyball team. Both the middle and high school teams have done very well the past few seasons.

This year our middle school volleyball team is split in two, a and b, with floaters that can play on either team. According to two lady crusaders, they are excited for the new season. They went on to say that they enjoy the teamwork and encouragement that comes from being on the team. Having already seen them play both this year and in previous years, I am excited to see what they accomplish in the new season.

written by
Rebekah Cason

STUDENT OF THE MONTH

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Nata Kilroy

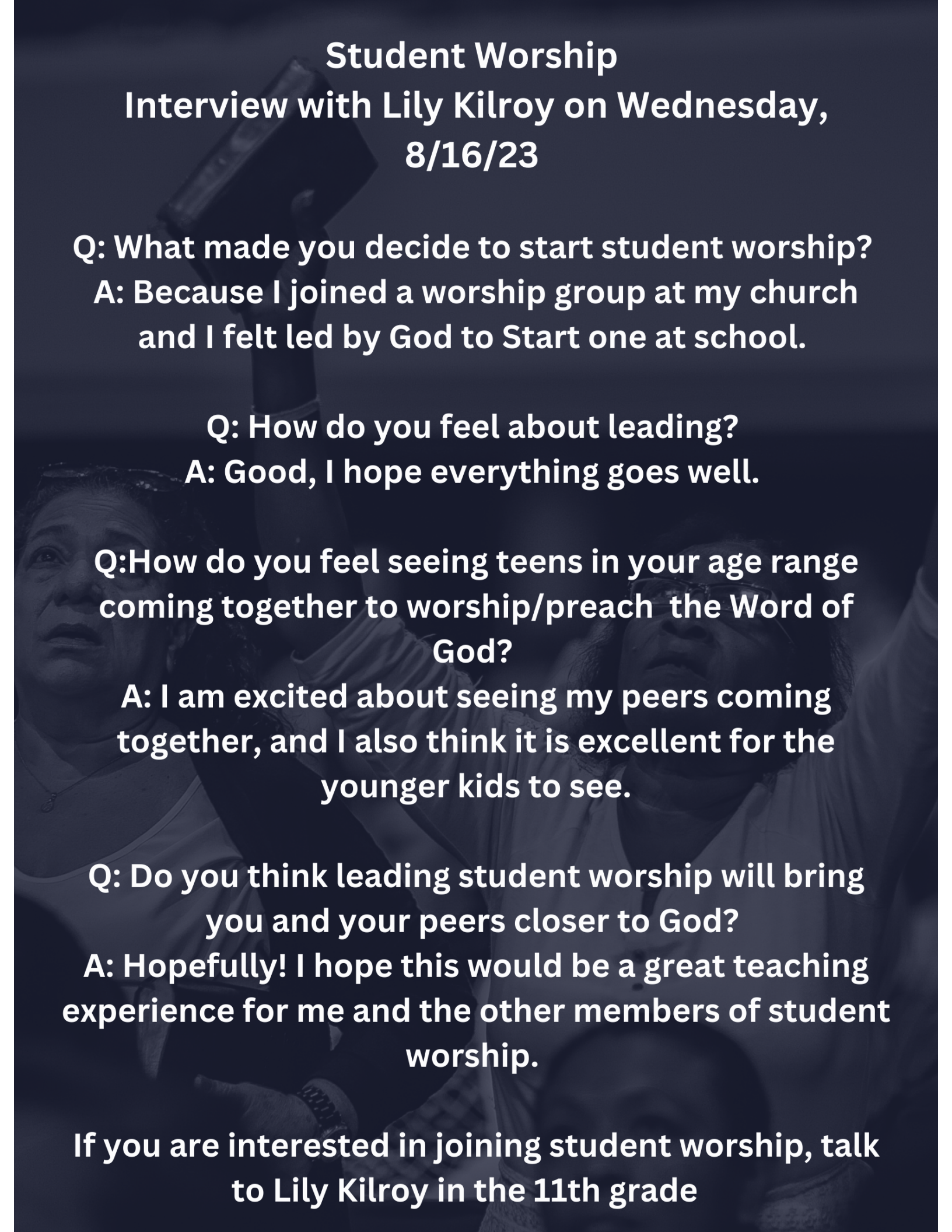
Nata's year at school is going well. Her favorite subject is Bible. She is a hard worker and wants to know and learn more about God and His creation. She was really nervous being student of the month, but she said it was very nice. Her favorite things to do at Curtis are learn and play basketball. She wants to be friends with everybody in the school. She hopes to have a great year if her classmates don't get in trouble.

Lily Kilroy

Lily says that she has enjoyed her time at Curtis so far. She has met a lot of people and made a lot of friends. She says she's glad she got picked for student of the month. She wants to help Curtis become better and make even more friends.

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Student Worship

Interview with Lily Kilroy on Wednesday, 8/16/23

Q: What made you decide to start student worship?

A: Because I joined a worship group at my church and I felt led by God to Start one at school.

Q: How do you feel about leading?

A: Good, I hope everything goes well.

Q: How do you feel seeing teens in your age range coming together to worship/preach the Word of God?

A: I am excited about seeing my peers coming together, and I also think it is excellent for the younger kids to see.

Q: Do you think leading student worship will bring you and your peers closer to God?

A: Hopefully! I hope this would be a great teaching experience for me and the other members of student worship.

If you are interested in joining student worship, talk to Lily Kilroy in the 11th grade

GIRLS BIBLE STUDY

Hello, my name is Katherine Ivey, and I interviewed Susin Bailey and Sadie Ramp about the middle and high school girls' Bible study.

We talked about why they both wanted to be a part of the girls' Bible study. They said they both wanted to do more in their community. Each time they meet, they read and discuss a verse from the Bible.

If you are a middle school or high school girl, would you like to be involved in the girls' Bible Study? They meet every other Tuesday from 7:15-7:45am in Cafe180. By Katherine Ivey, 12th grade

Word Search

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MEET THE STAFF

REBEKAH CASON: REBEKAH CASON IS IN THE 9TH GRADE. SHE ENJOYS READING, COOKING, AND SLEEPING. THIS IS HER 4TH YEAR ATTENDING CURTIS BAPTIST.

KATHERINE IVEY: KATHERINE IS 18 YEARS OLD. SHE IS A SENIOR HERE AT CURTIS BAPTIST SCHOOL. FOR FUN SHE ENJOYS SPENDING TIME WITH HER FAMILY.

MORGAN MASON: MORGAN MASON IS IN THE 9TH GRADE. HE ENJOYS SLEEPING, PLAYING GAMES, MATH, AND YEARBOOK IN SCHOOL.

ELLA NEWSOME: ELLA IS A SOPHOMORE HERE AT CURTIS. SHE LOVES TO HANGOUT WITH HER MOM BECAUSE HER MOM MAKES HER LAUGH. SHE ALSO LIKES HANGING OUT WITH HER BOYFRIEND AND HIS FAMILY BECAUSE THEY MAKE HER HAPPY. HER FAVORITE CLASS IS 5TH PERIOD.

COOPER PETERSON: COOPER PETERSON IS A FRESHMAN HERE AT CURTIS BAPTIST. HE IS PROUD AND GRATEFUL TO BE ON THE YEARBOOK AND NEWSPAPER STAFF. HE IS REALLY EXCITED TO SEE THE YEARBOOK AND NEWSPAPER COME OUT.

GERALD WILSON, JR.: GERALD IS A CURRENT STUDENT AT CURTIS BAPTIST SCHOOL. HE IS IN THE 9TH GRADE AND HE ENJOYS GAMING AND GOING TO THE POOL. HE IS 13 YEARS OLD AND HAS 3 SISTERS. HE HOPES TO HAVE A BRIGHT FUTURE FOR THE NEXT UPCOMING YEARS.

LAKIYA WILSON: LAKIYA IS A 9TH GRADE STUDENT THAT ATTENDS CURTIS BAPTIST SCHOOL. SHE HAS BEEN AT CBS FOR 4 YEARS. SHE ENJOYS SCIENCE AND YEARBOOK IN SCHOOL.

ADMINISTRATION UPDATES

MR. PHILLIPS: HEAD OF SCHOOL AND SECONDARY SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

We are off to a great start of the school year. God has blessed us in so many ways this year. We have a fantastic faculty and staff, a large number of new families, and decisions being made by students to follow Christ!

We have many activities on the horizon that I hope you all will get involved in: Currently we have our fundraiser that is being sponsored by the Crusader Club, our Annual Fund will begin soon, and our Fall Festival is scheduled for November 4th.

I'm so encouraged and excited of what God is going to do in this school the rest of the year. Thank you for partnering with Curtis Baptist School. Matthew 15:5 says "May the God of endurance and encouragement grant you to live in such harmony with one another, in accord with Christ Jesus,"

MRS. BELSER: ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL

Curtis's Elementary School is off to a great start. Students are excited to learn and have done really well on their first couple of quizzes and tests. As we begin this year with much excitement, I ask that you be mindful of a few elementary announcements. Chapel is every Tuesday at 8:15 a.m. We give Student of the Month awards (starting in September) and AR awards the last Tuesday of each month. Each Tuesday we recognize classes and students who have done really well on Class Dojo and/or Moby Max. We have also implemented some great activities this year. Students have signed up to lead as servant patrollers, chapel assistants, class representatives, reporters, and so much more.

We have monthly themes for our elementary chapel. August was our kindness month and September we will talk about being helpful like Johnny Appleseed. The entire CBS elementary school has adopted Class Dojo as one of our classroom management systems. By now you should have received a login on how to participate in Class Dojo and should log on so that you can see how your children are doing daily with their behavior. If you need more information about Class Dojo, please contact your child's teacher if you have not received this information. Kindergarten through 5th grade have access to Moby Max. This is a program that helps students to practice their skills anywhere when they need extra practice with a skill in math or language arts/reading. Students should have received their log in from their teacher. For more information about this academic practice for students, please contact your child's teacher. 1st through 5th grade participate in our Accelerated Reading program. Students read books at home and have their parents sign that they have read these books. They take quizzes in class monitored by their teacher. Students cannot take AR quizzes at home. They are only to be taken at school.

We are off to a great start and "Walking by Faith" (2 Corinthians 5:7) God bless you as you journey through another school year and I am excited to see how much your children will grow in the Lord and academically in our 2023-2024 school year.

MRS. NIEVES: PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR

Preschool pre-assessments will be going out to parents this week/month. We will have our ACSI Accreditation process on the 25th of September.

MISS REED: GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

Senior Meeting- September 12th at 6 PM in Cafe 180. Enter in through Gym Door
Progress Reports Emailed out September 13th
CSRA College Night- September 14th from 5-8:30 PM at the James Brown Arena
Senior Ordering Date for Caps and Gowns- September 18th at 10 AM

COACH JOHNSON: ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

The volleyball season has begun! Our program is growing so much that we have 3 teams this year! Chelsea Dewitt is coaching both the Middle School A and B teams. Tim Johnson and Assistant Carley Hasty are coaching the Varsity Girls. All 3 teams have been playing a lot of volleyball and competing well. Recently, the Varsity Girls played against 4 other schools in a weekend tournament. All 4 schools were larger, classified at 3A or 4A. The VG finished the tournament tied for 2nd place! Our middle school co-ed cross country program is also growing at a dynamic pace. We have 13 runners! Julie Atkinson and assistants Alexa Harper and Becca Kilroy are coaching the MS co-ed cross country team.