



## BETHEL BAPTIST SCHOOL

# WEEKLY WARRIOR

FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 1, 2025



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The Character Trait for Decembers is **SELF-CONTROL**:

*"Rejecting my own desires and doing what is right."*  
(Galatians 5:24,25)

### Activities & Events:

#### ALL-SCHOOL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM & CELEBRATION:

The entire school from kindergarten through grade 12 will participate in our annual **Christmas Program & Celebration** on **Tuesday, December 16, from 7:00-8:30 PM**. The evening will include musical presentations, handbells, depiction of the Nativity, interactive family activities, and delicious Christmas goodies. Families, relatives, and friends are all invited.

**ALL-SCHOOL "PEP"PERMINT RALLY, DECEMBER 17:** All students will join for our third annual "Pep"permint Rally at 2:00 PM on **Wednesday afternoon, December 17**. Students will enjoy fun games and peppy activities in celebration of the season of joy.

#### CHRISTMAS GIVING – TOYS FOR TOTS & SHOEBOXES:

Bethel families have two opportunities for spreading Christmas cheer this season: **1) You may donate unwrapped gifts** suitable for all children. Place the gifts in the [Toys for Tots](#) box in the lobby by December 8. **2) You may pick up an [Operation Christmas Child](#) shoebox**, fill it up with gifts and toys from the included suggestion list, and bring it to the office by Wednesday, December 17, to be dropped off at the Fullerton facility.

#### MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL CHRISTMAS FAIR & LIGHTS:

Middle & high school students can attend the [Holiday on Main Street](#) Yorba Linda Street Fair this **Saturday, December 6**, to enjoy a unique Christmas shopping experience and to watch our own **Mr. Lenard** perform live Christmas music. Following will be a tour of the beautifully decorated homes in the city of Brea. The van **will leave Bethel at 4:30 PM and return around 8:00 PM**. Make sure to pick up your permission slip for this activity in the office. The event is free, but we suggest bringing \$25 for spending money and snacks.

*The **first Thanksgiving** took place in the state of Massachusetts in 1621.*

*How did **President Franklin D. Roosevelt** describe the attack on **Pearl Harbor** in his famous speech?*

#### HIGH SCHOOL BLOCK SCHEDULES, DECEMBER 1-5:

12/1 (Mon) A      12/2 (Tue) B      12/3 (Wed) C  
12/4 (Thu) B      12/5 (Fri) C

#### CHOSEN GENERATION CHRISTMAS PARTY, DECEMBER

**10:** The Bethel Baptist Church Youth Ministry will enjoy a Christmas party on Wednesday, **December 10, from 6:00-8:00 PM**. The event will happen on the Bethel campus, and will include food, fun, and festivities. All Bethel Baptist School students grades 7 and above are invited to attend. See Mr. Zabala or the office for more information or to pick up a permission slip.

#### Birthdays This Week:

12/6      Jordana Shamsuddin  
**HAPPY BIRTHDAY MRS. SHAM!**

**DID YOU KNOW THAT...** *a sailor never gets lost? He just goes off course strategically.*

#### Non-School Days:

- Dec. 19 (Fri): ½ Day, all school dismissed by noon
- Dec. 22-Jan. 2 (2 weeks): Christmas Break
- Jan. 19 (Mon): Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- Feb. 16 & 17 (Mon & Tue): President's Day Weekend

#### Bethel Sports Calendar      [Online Calendar](#)

##### Basketball

Dec. 1-3 (Mon-Wed)    3:30 – 5:30 Practice @ OA  
**Dec. 4 (Thu)    3:00-4:30 Varsity Tournament @ Webb**  
**Dec. 5 (Fri)    3:00-7:30 Varsity Tournament @ Webb**  
**Dec. 6 (Sat)    1:00-7:00 Varsity Tournament @ Webb**

*\*NOTE: Some events may not be included. Check with the coach for updates.*

Key: SH=Senior High      VR=Varsity Team      B=Boys, G=Girls  
VB=Volleyball      BB=Basketball      SC=Soccer  
HOME games: Orangewood Academy Gym: 13732 Clinton St, GG, 92843  
**Bolded**=Away game days      **Bold, Underlined, Italics**=HOME games

#### Looking Ahead...

- Dec. 5 (Fri): Operation Christmas Child #1, 1-5 PM
- Dec. 7 (Sun): Chosen Generation meets, 10 AM
- Dec. 8 (Mon): Operation Christmas Child #2, 1-5 PM
- Dec. 12 (Fri): Friday Fun Frappuccinos (Starbucks)
- Dec. 18 & 19 (Thu & Fri): High School Final Exams
- Dec. 19 (Fri): Middle School Waffle Party, 8 AM
- Dec. 19 (Fri): Senior Christmas Lunch, 12 Noon
- Dec. 19, 20, & 21: "An Acoustic Christmas Concert"
- Jan. 16 (Fri): All-School to California Science Center