



2011-2012 Schedule

October 8: Local Quiz #1
Fellowship Chapel
Hebrews 1-5 (81 vs.)
LL: Hebrews 10 (39 vs.)

November 5: Local Quiz #2
Cornerstone Presbyterian Church
Hebrews 6-9 (89 vs.)
LL: Hebrews 11 (40 vs.)

**November 19: Great Lakes Regional
Cornerstone Presbyterian Church
Hebrews 1-10 (209 vs.; 39 new)
LL: Hebrews 10-12 (108 vs.; 29 new)**

**December 10: Local Quiz #3
Macomb Christian School
Hebrews 1-10 (209 vs.; 39 new)
LL: Hebrews 10-12 (108 vs.; 29 new)**

January 14: Local Quiz #4
Living Word Lutheran Church
Hebrews 11-12 (69 vs.)
LL: I Peter 1-2 (50 vs.)

February 11: Local Quiz #5
Heritage Church of Christ
Hebrews 13-I Peter 2 (75 vs.)
LL: I Peter 3-4 (41 vs.)

March 10: Local Quiz #6
Day of Champions Tournament
Fellowship Chapel
Hebrews 1-I Peter 2 (353 vs.)
LL: Heb. 10-12, I P. 1-5 (213 vs.; 14 new)

March 18
All Chicago Team Practice
location tba, 2-4pm

March 23-25
WBQA Chicago Tournament
full review (353 vs.)
LL: full review (213 vs.)

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Classified Ad—Position Available OK, it's not really a position, but if a quizzer, coach, official or supporter is interested in sharing a devotional before a quiz competition, please talk to one of the steering committee members or drop an email to the editor.

Quizzing Tip of the Month—The Contest

Rule 3.6 of the Rulebook covers the important topic of Contests in some depth, but it does not tell how to do a good contest. So here are some thoughts on contesting.

The most frequent contest involves the information provided (or not provided) by the quizzer; in other words, the content of the answer is in issue. It is important here to think through whether there is an error that actually matters in light of the question asked. A good approach is to cover three things: (1) identify what the quizzer said, (2) identify what the scripture passage says, and (3) give a reason why the difference between the two matters (or does not matter, if you're defending).

A good contest will also include how you want the quizmaster to rule. The options here are to count the answer correct, call an error, or throw out the question. The last option is available when something in the question itself or how it was asked or other action relating to the question contributes to inaccurate quizzing.

Plan now for Chicago In March, Detroit Bible Quizzing puts together teams of qualified quizzers to compete at the WBQA Chicago Tournament. To qualify, a quizzer must meet two requirements. The first requirement is to have a 20-point average as a veteran or a 10-point average as a rookie. Veteran Jared Elmers and rookies Mike Dempster and Rachel Howell have already scored enough points to guarantee themselves the required average. The second requirement is to have a strong attendance record, meaning that you miss no more than one day of quizzing between October and February. You need to be at the March competition, since that has an extended format of six quizzes rather than the usual three. Plan now, and we'll see you in Chicago. 🌟



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Varsity Individual - November 2011

Rnk	First Name	Last Name	Team Name	Pts	Avg.	Err	Nov P & Err
1	Julia	Elmers	Nearsighted and Blind	390	65.00	5	170 4
2	Gabrielle	Baut	CEPC Lasting Possessions	390	65.00	6	160 5
3	Allie	Greff	The Superiors	340	56.67	6	140 3
4	Rachel	Dober	Heart Cannot Be Shaken	320	53.33	6	200 1
5	Michael	Pappas	Heart Radiance	280	46.67	12	160 5
6	Mike	Dempster*	LP The New	270	67.50	1	70 0
7	Jessica	Matthews	Heart Cannot Be Shaken	250	41.67	5	100 4
8	Rachel	Weidner	LP The Old	250	41.67	11	140 4
9	Anna	Foster	CEPC Lasting Possessions	220	36.67	5	70 2
10	Danielle	Leidy	CMC Certain	210	35.00	5	60 4
11	Joshua	Farrand	The Superiors	200	33.33	7	120 4
12	Genna	Galura	HH All In	170	28.33	0	0 0
13	Jordan	Hatfield	Heart Cannot Be Shaken	160	26.67	1	100 0
14	Abby	Foster	CEPC Perfection	160	26.67	5	40 2
15	Cassandra	Leidy	CMC Certain	160	53.33	6	160 6
16	Rachael	Elmers	Nearsighted and Blind	150	25.00	5	150 2
17	Morgan	Miller	Heart Faithful Unicorns	100	16.67	3	60 1
18	Hailey	Trossen	HH All In	80	13.33	3	20 1
19	Sarah	Farrand	Nearsighted and Blind	60	10.00	1	0 1
20	Rachel	Olah*	CEPC Perfection	60	10.00	2	40 0
21	Gloria	Mayer*	LP The New	50	8.33	3	30 1
22	Meagan	Verheyen	Heart Faithful Unicorns	30	10.00	1	0 0
23	Joe	Greff	The Superiors	30	5.00	2	0 2
24	Chad	Walters*	LP The Old	20	6.67	1	20 1
25	Gabriella	Perry	HH All In	20	3.33	2	20 2
26	Keira	Fenzel*	CEPC Perfection	20	6.67	3	20 3
27	Anthony	Jensen*	Heart Radiance	0	0.00	3	0 0
28	Caleb	Samuel*	LP The New	0	0.00	1	0 0
29	Zach	Sybert*	CEPC Lasting Possessions	0	0.00	1	0 1
30	Molly	Gibson	Heart Cannot Be Shaken	0	0.00	1	0 0
31	Alyssa	McMurray	CMC Certain	0	0.00	0	0 0
32	David	Gibson*	LP The Old	0	0.00	0	0 0
33	Erika	Matis	Heart Faithful Unicorns	0	0.00	0	0 0
34	Paulina	Pappas	Heart Faithful Unicorns	0	0.00	0	0 0

Varsity Team Standings November 2011

Ptc	Team Name	Pts	Record
1	Heart Cannot Be Shaken	68	6-0-0
2	The Superiors	48	3-3-0
3	Nearsighted and Blind	42	2-4-0
4	CMC Certain	40	2-4-0
5	CEPC Lasting Possessions	38	3-1-2
6	LP The Old	28	2-1-3
7	HH All In	24	1-2-3
8	LP The New	23	1-2-3
9	Heart Radiance	19	1-1-4
10	CEPC Perfection	18	0-3-3
11	Heart Faithful Unicorns	10	0-1-5



Rachel Weidner graciously provided a devotional on very short notice before the November quiz.



LL Individual - Nov. 2011

Rnk	First Name	Last Name	Team Name	Pts	Avg.	Err	Nov P & Err
1	Jared	Elmers	Faithful Brothers	500	83.33	6	240 2
2	Lydia	Hatfield	The 3 Quizateers	370	61.67	7	270 1
3	Rachel	Howell*	CEPC By Faith	350	58.33	2	140 1
4	Ian	Bacheldor	CEPC Consuming Fire	320	53.33	10	130 6
5	Micah	Farrand	Fearless Brothers	290	48.33	11	130 7
6	Blake	Matthews	Fearless Brothers	180	60.00	1	0 0
7	Hunter	Ditchfield	CEPC Consuming Fire	180	30.00	11	140 3
8	Kellen	Burrows	Faithful Brothers	170	28.33	6	60 5
9	Haley	Sargent*	Heritage Exiles	130	21.67	5	70 1
10	Owen	Parker	Heritage Exiles	60	10.00	1	60 0
11	Paul	Johnecheck	CEPC Punishers	50	16.67	1	0 0
12	Sophia	Johnecheck	CEPC By Faith	40	6.67	1	40 0
13	Tim	Patawam*	CEPC Punishers	20	20.00	0	0 0
14	Gavin	Burrows	Faithful Brothers	20	3.33	0	20 0
15	Grace	Adair*	The 3 Quizateers	20	3.33	2	20 2
16	Sam	Hatfield	The 3 Quizateers	0	0.00	8	0 4
17	Rebekah	Sargent*	Heritage Exiles	0	0.00	1	0 0
18	Hans	Wiesinger*	CEPC Punishers	0	0.00	1	0 0
19	Grace	Curtin	CEPC By Faith	0	0.00	1	0 1

Little League Team Standings November 2011

Ptc	Team Name	Pts	Record
1	Faithful Brothers	63	6-0-0
2	CEPC Consuming Fire	41	3-2-1
3	Fearless Brothers	34	3-0-3
4	CEPC By Faith	26	0-5-1
5	The 3 Quizateers	23	0-4-2
6	Heritage Exiles	15	1-0-5
7	CEPC Punishers	11	0-2-1

Tidbits

Honorable Mention. Three frozen chairs without error in a day of quizzing equals 210 points. When quizzers get that many points or more and yet don't make Quizzer of the Month, they deserve some recognition. In November, the following quizzers met that criterion: Little League
 Jared Elmers 210
 Congrats for some great quizzing.

Rookie Watch. A great part of quizzing is to see which rookies start off strong and which are able to catch on later and make a run for the top spot. In Little League, **Rachel Howell** continued her strong showing with 140 points, while **Grace Adair** got her first points. In Varsity, **Mike Dempster** scored 70 points in one quiz before needing to leave, while **Keira Fenzel** and **Chad Walters** got their first points. Make a point to encourage the rookies.

Tournament hungry? Each year, some quizzers find the time to go to quizzing tournaments in addition to those on the DBQ schedule. A list of tournaments is maintained by the WBQA on its web site at www.wbqa.org. For participation in such tournaments, it is totally up to quizzers, coaches and parents to organize teams, register and make travel arrangements. Since DBQ is not sponsoring teams in those tournaments, it is requested that teams not use "DBQ" in their name.

Haiku of the Month

God does not desire
 sacrifice and offering,
 We should do his will.

inspired by Hebrews 10:5-7

STEERING COMMITTEE

The DBQ Steering Committee will be meeting on January 8, 2012, at 2:00 p.m. at Fellowship Chapel. Participating churches are welcome to send a representative.

CONTRIBUTIONS

If you have news to share about a quizzer or quiz-related subject, please E-mail the editor at pdpaternoster@sbcglobal.net

Varsity Quiz Highlights

CMC Certain—40, CEPC Perfection—20, The Superiors—100

Josh Farrand put The Superiors on the scoreboard first. Christian Missionary's **Cassie Leidy** scored two in a row to take the lead. The Superiors came right back to tie it up with a jump by **Allie Greff**. Josh and Allie got consecutive jumps on questions 11 and 12 to double their score and take a 40-point lead. Josh froze his chair on question 14 to put away the win for The Superiors. **Abby Foster** closed out the quiz, finally getting Cornerstone on the board on question 15.



The Superiors

CEPC Lasting Possessions—40, The Superiors—60, Heart Cannot Be Shaken—120

This quiz was closer than the final score suggests. **Rachel Dober** put Heart on the board first. **Gabrielle Baut** quickly responded with 20 points for Cornerstone. **Jordan Hatfield** put Heart back in the lead. The Superiors' **Allie Greff** and **Joshua Farrand** answered two in a row to grab a share of the lead. Heart got a team bonus for a 30-point lead as **Jessica Matthews** answered question 8. The next three went to Allie, then Rachel, then Allie again to freeze and pull The Superiors within 10 points. **Anna Foster** scored a freebie for CEPC. Rachel nailed question 13 to freeze without error and push Heart's lead out to 40. When Gabrielle got question 14 for CEPC, Heart had a lock on the win. But wait ... Heart jumped on 15 and erred, dropping its lead to 30 and giving The Superiors a chance to tie with a team bonus. **Joe Greff** made the effort to get the bonus but came up short. CEPC sat out the freebie to try for a 20-pointer and a share of second place. On question 16, CEPC got the jump but failed to catch The Superiors, who then failed to put away second place on the toss-up, but Jessica wrapped up the quiz with a freebie.



Heart Cannot Be Shaken

Heart Cannot Be Shaken—190, LP The New—20, HH All In—40

Heart's **Rachel Dober** froze without error, **Jessica Matthews** froze without error, and **Jordan Hatfield** scored twice to race to a 190-0-0 lead. With that teamwork, it's no wonder that Heart remains undefeated. **Gabriella Perry** got Huron Hills started on question 12. Lake Pointe's rookie **Gloria Mayer** answered question 14 to tie for second. **Hailey Trossen** answered 15 to move HH back into second place and end the quiz. ☆

Varsity Quiz Scores

LP The New	70	Heart Cannot Be Shaken	190	The Superiors	70
Nearsighted and Blind	90	LP The New	20	LP The Old	60
Heart Faithful Unicorns	40	HH All In	40	LP The New	10
LP The Old	50	CMC Certain	40	CEPC Perfection	40
Heart Radiance	20	CEPC Perfection	20	Heart Faithful Unicorns	0
CMC Certain	40	The Superiors	100	CEPC Lasting Possessions	120
Heart Radiance	80	Nearsighted and Blind	140	HH All In	0
HH All In	0	CEPC Lasting Possessions	60	CMC Certain	120
CEPC Perfection	30	LP The Old	40	Nearsighted and Blind	80
CEPC Lasting Possessions	40	Heart Faithful Unicorns	20		
The Superiors	60	Heart Cannot Be Shaken	100		
Heart Cannot Be Shaken	120	Heart Radiance	60		

Little League Quiz Scores

Fearless Brothers	60	CEPC Consuming Fire	60
CEPC By Faith	80	Fearless Brothers	10
Heritage Exiles	90	Faithful Brothers	90
The 3 Quizteers	90	CEPC By Faith	50
CEPC Consuming Fire	110	Heritage Exiles	30
CEPC By Faith	50	CEPC Consuming Fire	90
Heritage Exiles	10	Faithful Brothers	120
Faithful Brothers	100	The 3 Quizteers	100
The 3 Quizteers	90	Fearless Brothers	50

Fill in the blanks

For the _____ of God is living and _____. Sharper than any double-edged _____, it penetrates _____ to dividing soul and _____, _____ and marrow; it judges the thoughts and _____ of the _____.

Hebrews ____ : ____

And so after _____ patiently, _____ received what was _____.

Hebrews ____ : ____

And let us _____ how we may _____ one another on toward _____ and good _____.

Hebrews ____ : ____

Little League Quiz Highlights

Fearless Brothers–60, CEPC By Faith–80, Heritage Exiles–90

Fearless Brother **Micah Farrand** made a go of it quizzing alone, scoring first on question 1. Heritage then took the lead as rookie **Haley Sargent** scored a freebie and added 20 more on questions 4 and 5. Micah scored again on question 8 to retake the lead. Heritage came right back as **Owen Parker** answered question 9. Rookie **Rachel Howell** put Cornerstone on the board on question 10. Micah froze on 11 to give Fearless its third lead of the quiz, but there were no more Brothers to jump. Owen scored again on 12 to put Heritage back in the lead for good. Rachel got both 13 and 14 to freeze and put CEPC in a tie with Fearless. Haley scored on 15 to wrap up the win for Heritage. **Sophia Johnecheck** won the tie breaker to take 2nd for CEPC.



Heritage Exiles

Heritage Exiles–10, Faithful Brothers–100, The 3 Quizateers–90

Jared Elmers started the scoring for Faithful on question 2. **Lydia Hatfield** answered questions 3 and 4 and also 8 to freeze and give the Quizateers a 40-point lead. Jared narrowed the gap on question 9, but Quizateer rookie **Grace Adair** put it back to 40 on question 10. Jared answered question 11 to freeze, but Lydia got a toss-up on question 12A to again restore a 40-point lead. Faithful's **Kellen Burrows** answered question 13. Heritage rookie **Haley Sargent** got the Exiles on the scoreboard with a freebie on question 14B. On question 15, Faithful's **Gavin Burrows** was a threat to win it with a third-person team bonus. **Sam Hatfield** got the jump but could not come up with the answer. Jared took the toss-up question on 15A for Faithful's come-from-behind win.

Faithful Brothers–120, The 3 Quizateers–100, Fearless Brothers–60

Quizateer **Lydia Hatfield** took the first 3 questions to freeze without error. **Jared Elmers** got Faithful on the board on question 4. Lydia took a toss-up on 6. Jared's answers on 7 and 8 to freeze without error and **Kellen Burrows'** 20 points on 9 pulled Faithful into a tie for the lead. Jared got a toss-up on 11 to finally take the lead for Faithful. Fearless' **Micah Farrand** then got 3 in a row on 12-14 to freeze. On question 15, Faithful didn't sit on their 20-point lead but jumped and erred. Fearless erred on the toss-up, holding Lydia to a freebie on 15B which ended regulation with a tie. On the first tiebreaker, Kellen erred out but Lydia failed to convert the freebie. On the second tiebreaker, **Gavin Burrows** got the win for Faithful. ⚡

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from the east—exit at Hoover (exit 24), turn right (north) on Hoover, proceed one half mile to Martin Road, turn left (west) and proceed one half mile to Lorraine, turn right (north) and you will find the school near the end of the street

