



# Congratulations, Graduates!

On June 13th, our nine eighth-grade students graduated and moved on to their next stage—high school. Thank you for the part that you have played in their lives at HPCA through financial gifts, prayers, and volunteering. Please continue to keep them in your prayers as they transition from HPCA.



**AARON**

Aaron has been at HPCA since pre-kindergarten and will attend Northeast High School Magnet Program. He will miss the family-like atmosphere at HPCA and how all the students and staff know each other. He is thankful for the well-rounded education. He has learned that God is omniscient, omnipotent, omnipresent, and that He loves him and wants a relationship with him. Aaron would like to become a teacher.



**ABIGAIL**

Abigail has been at HPCA since pre-kindergarten and will attend Bodine High School for International Affairs. She will miss the fun times she had in photography class and math. She has learned to always seek and trust God. She has also learned to not doubt God's presence and is assured that He is with her. She would like to pursue a career as a neonatal nurse or as an immigration lawyer.



**CAMILA**

Camila has been at HPCA since pre-kindergarten and will attend Liguori Academy. She will miss the kindness of the students and staff at HPCA. She appreciates that HPCA teaches more than academics and has learned discipline and responsibility. She has grown in her faith by learning about Jesus' sacrifice. She would like a career in the medical field or real estate.



**ETHAN**

Ethan came to HPCA in 7th grade and will attend Franklin Towne Charter High School. He will miss playing soccer at HPCA and the fun memories of hanging out with the team. He feels that HPCA has prepared him to be independent, to serve others, and to excel in all he does. He has learned that God is with him at all times, even in times of doubt and struggles. He would like to become a lawyer.



**FRANCHESCA**

Franchesca has been at HPCA since pre-kindergarten and will attend Northeast High School Magnet Program. She will miss the small, family-like environment and the interactive Bible lessons that brought Scripture to life. She learned to persevere when going through hard times. She has grown in Christ by learning of God's great plan, executed through Jesus, and the significance of what Christ did for her. She would like to pursue a career in medicine.



**JORGE**

Jorge has been at HPCA since pre-kindergarten and he will attend Community Academy of Philadelphia. He will miss the fun special events at HPCA, like the class Christmas party and getting to hang out with friends. He feels HPCA has prepared him for the future by pointing him toward the Lord and by teaching him the steps to speak directly with God. He learned that God is always there. He would like to pursue a career in engineering.



**JOVON**

Jovon came to HPCA in the 6th grade and will attend Thomas A. Edison High School. He will miss the good friends he made at HPCA and the fun trips they went on together. He is thankful that HPCA has helped guide his walk with the Lord. In his time at HPCA, he grew from simply knowing about God to having a relationship with Him. He will focus on maintaining good grades and playing sports in high school.



**KRISTINA**

Kristina has been at HPCA since pre-kindergarten and will attend Franklin Towne Charter High School. She will miss all her close friends and staff. She is thankful that HPCA was academically challenging, preparing her for higher-level learning. She learned that God is always present and will forgive her. She learned to listen to and apply Scripture. She would like to go to college and gain leadership and communication skills to apply to a future career.



**RUBEN**

Ruben has been at HPCA since pre-kindergarten and will attend Northeast High School Magnet Program. He will miss the supportive family at HPCA and the fun memories, including winning the soccer championship. HPCA has shown him how to live in the world as a Christian, as well as prepared him academically. His relationship with Christ has become more intimate and he has grown in his trust of Jesus. He would like to learn more about AI and engineering and return to HPCA to teach or coach.



**BECAUSE OF THE LORD'S GREAT LOVE WE ARE NOT CONSUMED,  
FOR HIS COMPASSIONS NEVER FAIL. THEY ARE NEW EVERY MORNING;  
GREAT IS YOUR FAITHFULNESS.  
- LAMENTATIONS 3:22-23**