

Week 8: The Heart

Name: _____

Unit Verse:

I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made; your works are wonderful, I know that full well. Psalm 139:14

Concepts Taught:

- The heart is a muscle.
- The heart is about as big as a fist. Its job is to pump blood throughout your body.
- The heart has four "rooms": the right atrium, left atrium, right ventricle, and left ventricle.
- The heart has two sides, left and right. Oxygen-poor blood comes into the right side of the heart. From there it is pumped to the lungs, where it picks up oxygen and returns to the heart's left side and is pumped out to the body.

Vocabulary:

The cardiovascular system: is your heart and all the vessels that carry blood throughout your body.

artery: a blood vessel that carries blood away from your heart to the rest of your body.

vein: a blood vessel that carries blood from your body back to your heart.

One thing I learned this week: