

# ROYAL REDEEMER LUTHERAN SCHOOL COUNTDOWN



Dear Royal Redeemer Lutheran School Families,  
Greetings to you and yours on this beautiful Friday!  
This has been an eventful week filled with reinforcing our NED goals learned last week in our program, we gained many students recognized for demonstrating the Fruit of the Spirit, peace, we completed our collection of our Operation Christmas Child boxes with a grand total of around 90 boxes! Our Rockets have shown every day how RRLS is a place to learn for life and live for Christ. We continue to be thankful for all of the ways we get to learn and grow together; thanks be to God and may He bless you especially in this Thanksgiving week ahead!

Kindly in Christ, Mrs, Heidi Malone, Principal



## 8. Travel Reminder

As some families begin to make travel plans near the holidays, please note, states that are identified as having a high incidence of positive cases (15%+) for COVID-19 during your stay, or for any travel out of the country (per the CDC), would require a 14-day quarantine following your visit. Please help us to continue to be safe, let us know of travel plans, and let us know if you must be at home. The Ohio Department of Health has created a Travel Advisory map for travel between states, linked here: [COVID Travel Advisory](#).

*RRLS exists to equip each student to achieve educational excellence, inspire a lifelong love of learning, and grow Christian leaders.*



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## 10. Faith First

Thank you Mr. Bruick for sharing a fitting message on gratitude. Our next chapel will be December 2 led by Pastor Zahrte. Please join us online for Chapel linked here: [December 2, at 9:05](#). \*Please see Pastor Zahrte's letter below for other opportunities to worship virtually in the coming weeks, too!



## 9. NED SHOW REMINDERS

We practicing our NED show goals, to "never give-up", "encourage others", and to "do your best"; life skills God has blessed us with to be courageous, treat others the way we want to be treated, and to honor Him. It was fun passing out the "YO's" that helped us remember these skills we learned from last Friday. You can still purchase yours via the main office until November 24th.



## 7. Wellness Reminders

If your child has been ill or has a fever (100.4 degrees +) within the past 24 hours they must stay at home. If you believe your student could have been within 6' for 10-15 minutes with someone who is COVID positive, they must quarantine for 14-days. This is critical to our continued safety. For more details regarding quarantine/isolation, please view this CDC link: [When to Quarantine/Isolate](#). Please notify the school office of the absence by 9:30AM. Call 440-237-7988, ext. 298 (K-8) or ext. 297(preschool) or email [school@royred.org](mailto:school@royred.org). Thank you!

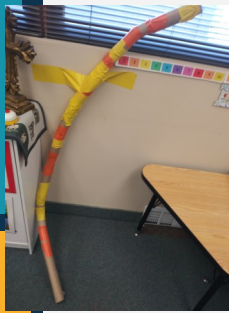
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## 6. RRLS Rocket Athletics:

GOOD LUCK Varsity Boys Basketball at the Preseason Tournament. The games will be livestreamed from Bethany. [Linked here](#). Games times are 9:00 AM, 1:30 PM, and 3:00 PM.

## 4. 30-Day Gratitude Challenge

Let's finish November strong in our thanks to Him! This week we'll commit to memory our theme verse for the year, **Joshua 1:9: Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged. For the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go!**



## 3. REDEEMER KIDS AT HOME

"Home Sweet Home" Advent activity boxes (as seen on page 1) are coming home with your children in the days ahead, one per family. Click [here](#) to sign up to participate with Redeemer Kids each week.



Thank you for sharing your little one with us this week, and I pray you all have a blessed weekend,

**Avery Zacharias**  
Early Education and  
Preschool Director



## 1. LUNCH MENU

\*Grilled Cheese is an alternate main option daily.  
\*Milk is a charged a la cart menu item.

Monday 23	Tuesday 24
<b>Chili Cheese Potato Wedges with Sour Cream</b> Mini Corn Bread Fruit Milk	<b>Turkey and Cheese Sandwich</b> Tomatoes Fruit Milk

## 2. Important Dates

- ⇒ Nov 23-24 - Preschool Feast Days
- ⇒ Nov 25-27 - Thanksgiving Break
- ⇒ Nov 26 - Care & Share, Thanksgiving Day
- ⇒ Nov 28 - Scholastic Book Orders are Due
- ⇒ Nov 29- Advent Begins

No School

Thanksgiving - No School

No School

Monday 30	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Cheese Ravioli</b> Green Beans Roll with Butter Fruit Milk	<b>*December Menu Coming soon.</b>	<b>*December Menu Coming soon.</b>	<b>*December Menu Coming soon.</b>	<b>*December Menu Coming soon.</b>







# Royal Redeemer

LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL

November 19, 2020

Dear Royal Redeemer Family:

First, I need to share some important news. We are temporarily moving to **ONLINE WORSHIP ONLY, effective immediately**, through 2020. This is in response to the appeal from the Cuyahoga County Board of Health for all organizations to help stem the rise of COVID-19 infections. Out of an abundance of care and concern for our church family, the leadership team feels we need to take this necessary precaution. We will continue to monitor the situation, and after Christmas, will do a re-evaluation based on the information we have at that time.

Traditional worship will be livestreamed at 8:30 AM; contemporary worship at 10:00 AM. Both will be recorded and available for later viewing. We sincerely appreciate your understanding and patience as we navigate this ever-changing situation. Let's hope and pray everyone will do their part to slow the spread of the virus, especially as we head into the holiday season. Please remain vigilant, especially with **Thanksgiving Day** coming up next Thursday. I pray that you and your family find safe and creative ways to celebrate this holiday and take time to praise our gracious God for His abundant blessings!

Attention all Redeemer Kids' families – **"Home Sweet Home"** Advent activity boxes are being sent home with RRLS families before Thanksgiving break. There will also be a link on our website so that all families can reserve a box for pick-up at the church, just outside of the Central Entrance.

## *A love worth demonstrating*

As a reminder, Advent Generosity is underway. Details for all these opportunities to give can be found on the homepage of our website. ([Advent Generosity link](#)) There are a number of ways you can bless others this Christmas season:

- **Adopt-a-Child** attending North Royalton City Schools or RRLS by purchasing a \$25 gift card to ONLY Marc's, Target, or Walmart stores (mail gift cards to church)
- Virtually sponsor a child with a parent(s) in prison through the **Project Angel Tree** program
- Donate new pairs of underwear in all sizes and styles for people of all ages, as well as men's long underwear for **St. Herman's Men's Shelter** and **Laura's Home Women's Crisis Center** (leave in the basket outside of the Central Entrance)
- Help us meet our **General Ministry Fund** needs (mail donation to church)

## *A message worth sharing*

This weekend, we will wrap up our three-week Refocus series with, **"Refocused Affluence,"** based on 2 Corinthians 9:7. As we experience and celebrate God's love for us in Christ, we seek to live with a sense of purpose and wisely manage the resources He has placed in our care.



### *A truth worth holding*

"Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver" (**2 Corinthians 9:7**). As Christians, it matters to God that giving always be voluntary, thoughtful, and done with an eager heart. The opportunity to give to the glory of God and to help meet the needs of others should always bring us joy. When it does, the Lord shares in our joy and honors our faithfulness.

One last thing...please take note that we have **implemented a NEW, secure online giving portal through Realm, our new, secure integrated database**. If you follow the online giving link on our website, the page will look different. Additionally, we have a new text-to-give number (73256) and key word (royred). That option will also direct you to the new online giving platform. Recurring givers, you'll be receiving a letter in the next few days with additional directions. Thank you for helping us through this transition!

Please continue to check your email, Facebook, and our website for updates. May God watch over you and your loved ones and keep you in His protection and in good health.

In the love of Christ,  
Pastor John Zahrte

### *A journey worth walking*

**All services are temporarily ONLINE ONLY; available via livestream and recorded for later viewing.**

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| <b>Sunday, Nov. 22</b>    | 8:30 (Traditional)<br>10:00 AM (Contemporary)  |
| <b>Wednesday, Nov. 25</b> | 7:00 PM, Thanksgiving Eve service<br>Mark Rein shares a message titled, " <b>Thankful that He is Good</b> "<br>Based on Ezra 3:11-12 |
| <b>Sunday, Dec. 6</b>     | <b>Drive-up Communion, 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM</b>   |
| <b>Wednesday, Dec. 9</b>  | <b>Drive-up Communion, 4:30 PM – 6:00 PM</b>   |