Learning for Life, Leading for Christ

Royal Redeemer Lutheran School exists to equip each student to achieve educational excellence, inspire a lifelong love of learning, and grow Christian leaders.

Fun Run:

We are only 3 weeks away from the kick off of our 7th annual Rocket Fun Run. Opportunities to cheer on your Rocket runner are on page 3. Thank you for your support.

#### Yearbook:

The 2021-2022 school yearbooks are now available to order online. Follow the link here: RRLS yearbook orders. Capture the many special moments and memories from our school year, order your yearbook today!

### **RRLS PTO:**

We would like to shower our teachers with gift cards in honor of Teacher Appreciation Week. Please consider donating cash, \$10 Target or \$10 Amazon gift cards to the PTO to distribute during Teacher Appreciation Week. You can send in with your child in an envelope addressed to the PTO. Thank you so much for your support.

#### Pancake Breakfast:

Please join us on Palm Sunday, April 10, around our Sunday worship services, when our 7th & 8th graders will be serving pancakes, bacon, sausage, coffee and juice to bless their class trip to Washington D.C. Come hungry!

#### **Reminders:**

The last day to order from <u>Sarris Candies</u> is April 10. \*Group ID #21-3994

No school on Good Friday, April 15 through Easter Break, Classes will resume April 25.

## **Upcoming Events & Opportunities**

## <u>April</u>

4/10 Palm Sunday pancake breakfast

4/12 PTO meeting at 3:45, room 110

4/13 3rd quarter academic awards during chapel

4/15-4/22 Easter Break

4/25 Fun Run Pep Rally and Kick-off

#### May

5/6 Rocket Fun Run

5/9-5/13 Scholastic BOGO bookfair

5/16 & 17 Preschool Graduation

5/19 NEW Spring Concert Date\*

\* all 5-8th students (and all band students) have a part in this required event.

## **Chapel News**

Thank you Third grade for leading chapel last week. Next week we will have a special baptism remembrance chapel, K-8 will be lead by Mrs. Malone and preschool will be lead by Mrs. LeBaube. Please join us virtually at 9:50 –RRLS chapel April 13, 2022.

#### **Mission of the Month:**

This month our donations will go towards supporting the LCMS World Relief and Human Care mission. Collection boxes will be going home to all students this week.

# Next week's lunch menu:

# MONDAYTUESDAYDutch WaffleCheeseburgerSausageLettuce & TomatoTater TotsTater totsFruitFruitMilkMilk

## WEDNESDAY

Chef Salad (4th-8th)
Dinner roll, gogurt
fruit, milk

## RoyRed Luchable (K-3rd) Ham/cheese/tomato, fish cracker, fruit, milk

## **THURSDAY**

Chicken Tenders
Broccoli with cheese
sauce
Fruit

FRIDAY

No School









Milk



Dear Royal Redeemer Families,

What a blessed school year we have navigated together thus far. The tremendous growth of each student has been astounding. Witnessing these children thrive is a remarkable experience, and we are blessed to partner with you in the process. We are writing to extend a warm invitation to consider a next step in this school year, of Holy Baptism. If you have had your child baptized since our last time of registration, please contact us so we can update our notes and celebrate together with you!

Have you considered or know someone who has considered taking this next step? Have you wondered why it is so special, or what it means to be baptized? As we seek to turn to God's Word for direction for our lives, and as we look to Jesus, our Lord and Savior to be our example, we are reminded that Jesus himself was baptized by John in the Jordan River. Matthew 3:16-17 reads: As soon as Jesus was baptized, He went up out of the water. Suddenly the heavens were opened, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and resting on Him. And a voice from heaven said, "This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased!" With the water and God's Word, the gift of the Holy Spirit is received, and we get to become children of God.

Royal Redeemer Lutheran Church offers instruction and training for taking this next step in Baptism and would love to connect with you. To sign up, please contact Kim Faust at 440.237.7958, ext. 119, or call the school office. Some families choose to be baptized in a worship service, private service, or even as a part of Chapel. We would love to assist in deciding what is right for you, answer questions, or pray with you and yours. We look forward to hearing from you! God bless you in your prayerful consideration.

Kindly and Sincerely in Christ,

Heidi A. Malone School Principal Avery Zacharias
Preschool Director



Rocket Fun Run!!

This year our school will be participating in our seventh annual Rocket Fun Run on Friday, May 6<sup>th</sup>. Our theme is 
"In All Things" from Colossians 1:15-20, and throughout the school year, our students and staff have been taking these words to heart while seeing His work in our lives truly in all things. We are celebrating a fantastic school year, with the help of our amazing God, and we would love for you to be a part of the festivities!

In partnership with Booster, all preschool through grade 8 students will engage in a Christ-like character education program, grow in their school spirit, and participate in the culminating event called **The Rocket Fun Run**. Our partners at Booster will provide tracks for every student to safely run, dance, jog, skip and/or jump laps in support of RRLS.

We would like to cover our campus with signs showing our support for our Rockets! We also invite you to come and cheer our students on! Signs will be displayed during and even after our event. If you would be interested in being a Fun Run Sponsor, your business/family name will appear on a sign as a Rocket Fun Run supporter. Cost for the sign is only \$50.00.

Please complete the form below and return to the school office with your payment. Checks should be made payable to Royal Redeemer Lutheran School or RRLS.

Questions? Call or email Monica Fralick: 440-237.7988 ext. 166 or school@royred.org.

Royal Redeemer Lutheran School is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization.

I would love to support Royal Redeemer Lutheran School and the Rocket Fun Run on May 6<sup>th</sup>!

Name as it is to appear on the sign: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number (only if we have guestions):

Order(s) due by April 27th, 2022.

Thank you!



## **PASTOR ZAHRTE'S WEEKLY UPDATE**

**APRIL 7, 2022** 

a message worth sharing...

When Jesus rode into Jerusalem on that first Palm Sunday, He was received as a hero. However, when Jesus didn't meet the expectations of the Jewish people looking for a political Messiah, they cried out for His crucifixion. The good news is that, in the face of such pressure, Jesus remained focused on His purpose and, through His death and resurrection, now brings us true freedom by God's grace. As we continue in this series, "Who is Jesus?", we celebrate and give thanks for our Lord and **His Unwavering Agenda!** 

# truth worth holding...

#### John 12:12-13

"The next day the great crowd that had come for the festival heard that Jesus was on his way to Jerusalem. They took palm branches and went out to meet him, shouting, 'Hosanna!' 'Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!' 'Blessed is the king of Israel!'" People who were in Jerusalem for the Passover joyfully welcomed Jesus as the Messiah, but they misunderstood the true nature of his role. He came as a spiritual leader, not a military leader.

## fun for the kiddos...

Join us **this Saturday**, April 9 for our **Easter Egg Hunt** from 2:00 – 3:30pm. Bounce house, cookie decorating, outdoor egg hunts (weather permitting), and more! We're still in need of volunteers -- <u>sign-up here</u>. No registration required to attend.

# palm sunday & pancakes...

Our RRLS 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders are hosting another delicious **pancake breakfast** this Sunday. They are serving between 9:00-noon in the Gathering Room. Freewill offerings will be graciously accepted to bless their trip to Washington D.C. on May 25-27.

# upcoming events...

These events are on the What's Going on at Royal Redeemer page and/or Realm. Sign-up online!

- <u>Easter Egg Hunt To-Go Fundraiser</u>; proceeds support our youth trip to the LCMS National Youth Gathering in Houston
- <u>Laser Tag</u>, Sunday, April 10 at 3pm for 6<sup>th</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> graders
- Vacation Bible School, June 13 17, go offroad for a "Monumental" VBS adventure!

## service opportunities...

- Servant Saturday, May 7
- Redeemer Kids needs lead teachers and classroom helpers, Sundays from 9:15-10:45 (<a href="mailto:lwaldron@royred.org">lwaldron@royred.org</a>)
- Paid nursery staff positions are available;
   9:15-noon on Sundays
   (llebaube@royred.org)
- Vacation Bible School, June 13-17, LOTS of volunteers needed to bless this event

a word from pastor zahrte...

Who are you inviting to church on Easter? To allow for additional guests, please consider attending the 8:30 or 11:00 service. You may want to park in the back lot, as well. Thank you!

