



ROYAL REDEEMER LUTHERAN SCHOOL COUNTDOWN

*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.

Singing in Worship:

All EE - 8th Graders, are singing in worship on January 22! Similar to last year: students with last names A-L will arrive in the music room at 8:50 and sing in the 8:30 & 9:30 services; Last names M-Z will arrive in the music room at 10:20 and sing in the 10:00 & 11:00 services. Families, plan to attend one of our services! See the flier on page 4 for more details. Please feel free to email Mrs. Torreson (TTorreson@royred.org) with questions.

Preschool Vision and Hearing Screening:

Preschool vision and hearing screening will be this coming Monday and Tuesday 1/9 & 1/10. If you wish to opt out, contact the school office at 440-237-7988 or email jorzel@royred.org.

Athletic Update:

We have a busy weekend with Varsity home games tonight 6PM (girls) and 7:15 (boys) and at Bethany tomorrow at 1PM (girls) & 2:15 (boys). Our JV Rocket Basketball and Cheer Teams kick off their season tomorrow morning at RRLS at 9AM (girls) and 10AM (boys & cheer). Go Rockets!

Upcoming Events & Opportunities

January

- 1/9 Congregation and Alumni registration begins
- 1/9-1/10 Preschool Hearing & Vision Screening
- 1/9-1/20 K-8 winter ELA & Math screenings
- 1/11 PTO meeting, 6:00 pm in room 110
- 1/16 **No School**, Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- 1/17 Community Registration begins
- 1/22 Singing in Worship, Open House, Art show & Spaghetti Dinner
- 1/22-1/28 National Lutheran's School Week

Chapel News

Thank you Mrs. Malone for leading us this past week talking about the Messiah and the Magi for Epiphany. Next Chapel will be Jan. 11th, at 9:10 led by our 4th graders!

Mission of the Month:

January's offerings will be for the Cleveland Pregnancy Center with donations of onesies, wipes, ointment and diaper bags. We will be gathering loose change as well, in our bottle banks in each classroom.

Next week's lunch menu:

MONDAY

Hot Dog on a bun
Salad
Sun Chips
Fruit
Milk

TUESDAY

Sloppy Joe Sandwich
Green Beans
Applesauce
Milk

WEDNESDAY

Walking Taco
Doritos, Salsa,
cheese, sour cream
Corn
Fruit & Milk

THURSDAY

Mac & Cheese
Carrots & Dip
Yogurt
Fruit
Milk

FRIDAY

Meatball sub
Peas & Carrots
Banana
Milk

**** No grilled cheese option this week— students can choose a coldcut sandwich if they don't prefer the main entrée.**

Stay connected with us!



January 6, 2022

PASTOR Zahrte's Weekly Update

January 5, 2023



a message worth sharing...

CULTIVATE—Building Christian Character

It's a timeless question: How do I become more like Christ and a better reflection of Him? What can I do to cultivate authentic Christian character? What needs to happen so that I truly care about people and love them as God does?

Join us this Sunday as we begin a new series called "Cultivate". I'll explore how the Holy Spirit can help cultivate Christ-like character within you, changing you from the inside out...a new year, a new you!

YTD AMOUNT GIVEN		YTD AMOUNT SPENT	
Budget	Actual	Budget	Actual
\$823,586	\$826,249	\$832,689	\$786,485

(Does not include school finances)

opportunities to serve & connect...

- **Life with God:** Pathway to membership at RRLC; 10-week class begins Jan. 15 or Jan. 17.
 - Sunday session
 - Tuesday session
- **R.E.A.L. Women's Ministry Bible study:** "Seamless" begins Monday, Jan. 16. In the Gathering Rm. Registration link
- **Confirmation White Out Winter Retreat:** Bless a confirmand with a partial or full "scholarship" donation. Cost is \$175/child; however, any amount is appreciated! Make check payable to RRLC; write "retreat scholarship" in memo line. Place in offering plate or give to a member of the Family Ministry team.
- **Night to Shine:** Friday, Feb. 10, 2023. Still need **LOTS of buddies**.
 - Sponsor an attendee link
 - Buddy volunteer link
 - Volunteer team link

For additional details: ROYRED.ORG/UPCOMING

SAVE THE DATE
VBS | JUNE 19-23

mark your calendars...

JANUARY

- 8 Redeemer Kids 2023 kick-off, 9:30 service
Cle. Pregnancy Ctr. baby bottle drive begins
NO HS Youth Group
- 13-15 Confirmation retreat, Beulah Beach
- 15 Life with God, Sunday class begins
NO HS Youth Group
- 16 R.E.A.L. Women's Ministry Bible study begins, fellowship at 6:45; study at 7:00-8:30
- 17 Life with God, Tuesday class begins
- 22 RRLS Open House & spaghetti dinner
HS Youth Group resumes
- 25 5th & 6th Summit Night, 7:00pm
- 29 Baby bottles due back at church

FEBRUARY

- 10 Night to Shine
- 11 "Understanding Poverty" class, 9am
- 22 Ash Wednesday

IMPORTANT: Due to the frigid temperature on Christmas, some of the pipes burst in our kitchen and the Gathering Room, causing a significant amount of water damage. While we work with our insurance company and construction crews to make repairs, **donuts and coffee are suspended until further notice**. We appreciate your patience.

cleveland pregnancy center...

How can you bless the **Cleveland Pregnancy Center** throughout January?

- Fill a baby bottle with change, bills, or a check. Bottles will be available for pick up on Jan. 8. Please return all bottles by Jan. 29.
- Donate these items and place them in the bins/baskets located in the Commons or Narthex:
 - Baby wipes • Ointment
 - NEW onesies • NEW diaper bags
- The "Helping Hand" box will be out on Jan. 8 for monetary gifts. You can also give by texting "GIVE" to (216) 208-6839.

Contact Karla with questions - pz4jc@aol.com.



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SPAGHETTI FUNDRAISER

SUNDAY, JAN. 22, 2023

3PM-TO-GO ONLY

4-6PM DINE IN

.....
SPAGHETTI, SALAD, BREADSTICKS,
DESSERT, AND BEVERAGES
.....

**EVENT SPONSORED BY
ROYAL REDEEMER PTO**
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To Order your To-Go meal or Reserve your
Dine-In seat, go to this QR code

or

<https://forms.gle/sqvGf5ZoPeDmqF9M9>



Contact PTO@ROYRED.ORG
with any questions



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2023-2024 Registration Guidelines

REGISTRATION DATES

Starting January 3: All currently enrolled & returning Royal Redeemer Lutheran School families

Starting January 9: Royal Redeemer Lutheran Church families & RRLS alumni families

Starting January 17: Open registration for all new families in our community

RRLS TOURS

Private tours can be scheduled by contacting the school office at (440) 237-7988 or by emailing us at school@royred.org.

REGISTRATION FEES

Early Education (EE) classes: \$125.00 | Kindergarten-8th grade: \$200.00

Checks should be made payable to RRLS (Royal Redeemer Lutheran School).

Registration fees are due at the time of registration and are *non-refundable*.

HOW TO REGISTER

Our fillable **registration** document is online at www.rrls.org. Hard copy registration forms are also available. Return completed forms to the school office along with registration fees. New this year, upon confirmation of your child's class and schedule, you will then set up an online portal to provide and/or update family information to complete the **enrollment** process.

Required documents due before August 1st

1. Copy of the student's birth certificate or passport (if not already on file).
2. Completed medical form (found on the "resources" page at www.rrls.org).
3. Where applicable: custodial papers, IEP/504, health care plan and/or administration of medication forms.

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All students, **EE thru 8th Grade**, are singing in worship on **January 22!**

We will follow the same schedule that we used last year, but please note that we have switched the groups! Last names A-L will arrive at 8:50; Last names M-Z will arrive at 10:20.

Some background basics:

- The Music Room is located near the gym in the "Commons".
- After the first alphabetical group sings, there will be Redeemer Kids (Sunday school) for EE - 4th. We encourage all to attend! Registration will be right outside the music room; students participating will be given a nametag. Parents will receive a pick-up code as well.
- Service times at RRLC (* = livestreamed service):
 - Traditional worship - 8:30* & 10am (Sanctuary)
 - Contemporary worship - 9:30* & 11am (Christian Activity Center)

To plan for spacing, families will be given one of two times to sing:

GROUP 1 (last names starting with A-L)

- 8:50am** Arrive to get nametags for Redeemer Kids (Sunday school applies to EE-4th grade students).
- 9:00** Drop students off in the music room to warm-up with the teachers.
*Parents, please settle into one of the two services to avoid a potential disruption of the service – no need to travel between the two.
- Approx. 9:15** Students sing at the end of the traditional service (which begins at 8:30).
- Approx. 9:40** Students sing in the contemporary service (which begins at 9:30).
*Next, students with nametags will be taken to Redeemer Kids. If your child is not attending Redeemer Kids, please send one parent to the music room for pick up.

GROUP 2 (last names starting with M-Z)

- 10:20am** Arrive to get nametags for Redeemer Kids (Sunday school applies to EE-4th grade students).
- 10:30** Drop students off in the music room to warm-up with the teachers.
*Parents, please settle into one of the two services to avoid a potential disruption of the service – no need to travel between the two.
- Approx. 10:45** Students sing at the end of the traditional service (which begins at 10:00).
- Approx. 11:10** Students will sing in the contemporary service (which begins at 11:00).

Questions: contact the school office at school@royred.org or Mrs. Torreson TTorreson@royred.org

To God be the glory!