



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.

Yearbook: Capture the memories forever! Don't miss out on the 2023-2024 Yearbook Sale—only \$21.00! Order yours now and relive the moments that made this school year unforgettable. [CLICK HERE](#) to purchase. Orders are due by March 11th. You will need our school's code: ybroyred24.

Read Across America: Next week we will be celebrating Read Across America. See the attachment for the daily dress and activities. We will also be starting our March Madness Book Tournament. We will be reading the books *Make Way for Ducklings* and *Finding Winnie*!

Varsity Girls Basketball will travel to Napoleon, Ohio for the All Ohio Tournament. Their first game will be played at 1pm on Saturday. Watch LIVE <https://www.youtube.com/@stpaulgym>

Preschool - 8th Grade Art Show: Our students have been working hard on their projects, & it's time to show off their amazing talents. Join them March 14 - doors open at 5:30pm

Grandparents Day: Preschool Grandparents Days are Tuesday March 12th & Wednesday March 13th. K-8 Grandparents Day is Friday March 15th. Note forms must be completed and returned today for Preschool and March 8 for K-8.

Upcoming Events & Opportunities

March

- March 1-3: All Ohio Basketball Tournament
- March 2 & 10: Soccer Skills Camp 1st—6th graders
- March 7: Future Kindergarten Scooter Night 5pm
- March 12: Open House 9:30-1:30
- March 12: Lego Club 6-7:30
- March 12-13: EE Grandparents Day
- March 14: Art Show 5:30-7pm
- March 15: Grandparents Day (K-8)
- March 17: Pancake Breakfast
- March 22: No School; Teacher In Service Day
- March 23: Easter Egg Hunt
- March 24: Palm Sunday
- March 24: RRLS 7/8 Pancake Breakfast
- March 28: Maundy Thursday
- March 29: NO School—Good Friday

April

- April 8: No School Solar Eclipse

Chapel News

This past Wednesday, the sixth grade class reminded us that everything is about Jesus. They made us laugh, they made us think, and they made us sing. Thank you for your hard work! Next week in chapel, Pastor Zahrtz will bring the message at 9:10. As always, please join us if you are able!. Don't forget to check in with the office before joining us at Chapel.

Mission of the Month

This month, we will give to the Royal Redeemer Missions through our offerings and we will also collect unsealed greeting cards (homemade or purchased) you've prayed over and/or written blessings or Scripture verses in for encouragement, to those serving on our teams.

Next week's lunch menu:

MONDAY

Cheeseburger
Veggie
Fruit
Milk

TUESDAY

Chili Mac
Veggie
Fruit
Milk

WEDNESDAY

Waffle Sandwich
Sausage Patty, Egg
Hashbrown
Fruit
Milk

THURSDAY

1/2 Ham Sandwich
Potato Soup
Veggie
Fruit
Milk

FRIDAY

Pizza Lasagna
Salad
Veggie
Fruit
Milk

Stay connected with us!



March 1, 2024

YOUR FUTURE IS BRIGHT...
JOIN US FOR
ROYAL REDEEMER KINDERGARTEN NIGHTS

Scooter Night

MARCH 7

6:00-7:00pm



Parents & future kindergarteners:

Have fun “scooting” around our gym, play some fun games, and spend time with our teachers! You may bring your own scooter. We’ll also have some available. Please enter through the “Christian Activity Center” doors. Can’t wait to see you!



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• Click "Add to Cart" -----> **Add to Cart**

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• Enter **your student's** information and click "Confirm"-----> **Confirm**

• Check the info to be sure it's correct and click "Checkout"-----> **Checkout**

• Enter **YOUR** contact info and click "Proceed to Payment"--> **Proceed to Payment**

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Dear Royal Redeemer Family:

LENTEN, HOLY WEEK & EASTER NEWS

I encourage you to join us this Lenten season and then throughout **Holy Week**, beginning with **Palm Sunday**, as we celebrate the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem, as the crowds waved palms and shouted, "Hosanna!". On **Maundy Thursday**, we remember when Jesus told His disciples, "A new commandment I give to you: Love one another." We also commemorate the first Lord's Supper and the washing of the disciples' feet. **Good Friday** continues with the observance of Jesus' crucifixion, death, and burial. At the heart of this humbling service is the Gospel story of God's sacrifice for our redemption. **Easter Sunday** is the glorious day of the resurrection – a joyous celebration of God's victory over sin and death!



Palm Sunday, March 24

8:30 & 10:00 Traditional | 9:30 & 11:00 Contemporary

Maundy Thursday, March 28

12:00 & 6:30 Traditional | 7:00 Contemporary

Good Friday, March 29

12:00 & 6:30 Traditional | 7:00 Contemporary

Easter Sunday, March 31

8:30 & 10:00 Traditional | 9:30 & 11:00 Contemporary

Please watch for Easter invite cards with the worship times. They'll be available outside both worship areas. Use one and invite someone to join you so that, together, we can celebrate the powerful love of Christ our Savior!

Pastor John

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Sunday Worship Services

- 8:30** Traditional - Sanctuary ^
- 9:30** Contemporary - CAC ^
- 10:00** Traditional - Sanctuary
- 11:00** Contemporary - CAC

^ Livestream | * Registration required | + Volunteer

Calendar of Events

MARCH

- 3** R.E.A.L. Women's Worship Night, 6:30
Easter lilies go on sale (\$10 each)
High School Bible study, 7-8:30pm *
- 6** 5th & 6th grades Summit Night *
Volunteer for Easter Egg Hunt stuffing +
- 7** Young Adult (20s & 30s) Small Group, 6:30 *
- 10** Daylight Saving Time begins (spring ahead)
- 11** Monday Word resumes, 10:30am or 7pm
- 12** LEGO Club, 6:00-7:30 *
- 13** Volunteer for Easter Egg Hunt stuffing +
- 14** RRLS Art Show, 5:30-7:00pm
- 15** RRLS Grandparent's Day *
- 17** RRLS pancake breakfast; freewill offerings
High School Bible study, 7-8:30pm *
Last day to purchase Easter lilies
- 21** Young Adult (20s & 30s) Small Group, 6:30 *
RRLS girl's varsity team departs for National basketball tournament in Ft. Wayne, IN
- 22** Volunteer for Easter Egg Hunt set-up +
- 23** Easter Egg Hunt, 1-2:30pm + (rain or shine)
- 24** Palm Sunday
New member Sunday
- 28** Maundy Thursday
- 29** Good Friday
- 31** Easter Sunday (regular worship times)
(NO Redeemer Kids, nursery, HS youth group)

APRIL

- 1** VBS registration opens *
- 5** Royal Seniors "Think Spring" luncheon & bingo event, 12pm *
- 8** RRLS NO school: Solar eclipse day
- 20** R.E.A.L. Women's Ministry Spring Retreat, 8:45 check-in begins; 9am - 2pm *

Spring Cleaning?

save the date
17TH ANNUAL MISSIONS INDOOR GARAGE SALE
AUGUST 2-3, 2024
DONATION DROP OFF BEGINS
SUNDAY, JULY 28 at 2:00PM...
not a minute before!
watch for details in upcoming weekly updates & newsletters

save the good stuff

MISSION SPOTLIGHT: H.A.R.P. & LOCAL REPAIR

H.A.R.P. (Helping Appalachian Rural People) and Local Repair teams help Cleveland-area and Caldwell, Ohio, residents with one-day or weekend light construction projects. They assist seniors, widows, veterans, disabled adults, low-income families, and others in need. Visit harp.caldwell.org for more details. **How can you support the mission?**

- Join us and donate your time and talents. Don't have construction skills? No worries, we can teach you.
- Contribute to mission work with a check made payable to RRLC; write "HARP/Local Repair" on the memo line.
- Pray for our teams and those we help.

Interested in serving on this team? Contact Pastor Mark at mrein@royred.org.



DID YOU KNOW?



We have an active widow's ministry? They gather monthly for fellowship and more. Email info@royred.org.

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

This month the Food Pantry is in need of the following to help restock the shelves:

- Crackers
- Tuna
- Canned chicken
- Spaghetti sauce
- Hamburger Helper
- Peanut butter & jelly
- Potatoes (instant, boxed or canned)
- Paper products (toilet paper, paper towels, Kleenex)

There are always collection bins located outside of the Central Entrance for you to place these items. Thank you!

FAMILY MINISTRY UPDATES

VBS registration opens on April 1; watch for sign-up links. We'll need LOTS of volunteers!



Join us rain or shine on March 23! See the calendar on the front side for VOLUNTEER dates.

Let Royal Redeemer and our youth make Easter a little easier! Order an Easter Egg Hunt To-Go, Large or Medium Prize Egg!



Sign-ups & details can be found on REALM or online at royred.org/upcoming. Email familyministry@royred.org.

RRLS SPOTLIGHT

- **Chapel:** You're welcome to join us on Wednesdays in Lent: March 6, 15, 20, 27 at 9:10 in the Sanctuary.
- **Open House:** March 12 from 9-2 to tour, meet the teachers & more. Registration continues. For more information, visit rrls.org.
- **Go Rockets:** Both 6-8th grade teams compete at St. Paul Lutheran School in Napoleon, OH, March 1-3 in our **All-Ohio basketball tournament!** Lady Rockets head back to the **National LBAA Tournament** in Fort Wayne, IN, March 21-24! Keep watch on our RRLS FB & Instagram pages for updates.
- **Pancake Breakfast:** Join us March 17, anytime between 9:00-12:15pm for a delicious pancake breakfast. Freewill offerings will bless middle school class trips.
- **Rockets Art Show:** Stop by on Thursday, March 15, 5:30-7pm, to see our students' amazing works of art!

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PASTOR Zahrte's Weekly Update

FEBRUARY 29, 2024



a message worth sharing...

BREAKING SIN'S GRIP: ANGER

Uncontrolled and unresolved anger can cause us to do or say things we later regret, things that can end up being painful for us and those around us. As we continue in the series "Breaking Sin's Grip", we will look at how, through the power of the cross, Jesus not only sets us free from the grip of anger, but also empowers us to live a life of patience that honors God and blesses others.

See you on Sunday in worship!

YTD AMOUNT GIVEN		YTD AMOUNT SPENT	
Budget	Actual	Budget	Actual
\$1,105,843	\$1,162,327	\$1,093,018	\$1,097,499

(Does not include school finances)

opportunities to serve & connect...

- **Purchase Easter lilies:** On sale March 3, 10 & 17. Envelopes outside worship spaces. \$10 each.
- **Women's Spring Retreat:** Details for our April 20 retreat can be found using this link: [Register here](#)
- **Easter Egg Fundraiser:** Support our youth and get a jump on Easter gifts! [Purchase here](#)
- **Easter Egg Hunt Volunteers:** Consider helping us prepare for and run this year's Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, March 23 from 1:00-2:30pm. Volunteer days/times vary. [Volunteer here](#)
- **LEGO Club:** Geared for kinders - 4th graders on March 12. One parent must accompany his/her child(ren). [Register here](#)
- **5th & 6th grade Summit Night:** Join us March 6 as we dive into our Bibles together and play some games! [Register here](#)
- **HS Bible Study:** 9th - 12th graders meet on the 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays, 7-8:30pm. [Register here](#)

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Nut-free candy donations needed to stuff the eggs for the Easter Egg Hunt. Leave donations in the Commons at Redeemer Kids check-in.

mark your calendars...

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