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THE REDEEMER ROAR! SEPT/OCT 2018

"This is love: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins. Dear friends, since God so loved us, we also ought to love one another." 1 John 4:10-11 -

GRANDPARENTS DAY - FRIDAY, SEPT 14, 2018



What a fabulous turnout for our 15th annual Grandparents Day celebration! We had a full house in the sanctuary. We hope your grandparents (and other special persons) enjoyed the day as much as we did! Thank you to all of the parents who provided treats. Thank you Mrs. Madigan for coordinating. A link to view pictures was sent out via Jupiter Grades in the 9/21 Friday weekly email. ©





This school year, we adopted a new, school-wide discipline philosophy based on the principles of Love and Logic. As students experience disappointments, frustrations, or difficulties, we will do our best to help them learn from and cope with these challenges. Scripture teaches that we ought to be joyful when we face trials (James 1:2-12). Hardships provide opportunities to learn, grow, and develop a mature relationship with Christ.

As we journey through this school year, working together at school and home to raise believers in Christ who are kind, resilient, honest, hardworking, and respectful, I encourage us all to keep in mind the thoughts conveyed in the following poem:

Children Learn What They Live Dorothy Law Nolte

If a child lives with criticism,

he learns to condemn.

If a child lives with hostility,

he learns to fight.

If a child lives with fear,

he learns to be apprehensive.

If a child lives with pity,

he learn to feel sorry for himself.

If a child lives with ridicule,

he learns to be shy.

If a child lives with jealousy,

he learn what envy is.

If a child lives with shame,

he learns to feel guilty.

If a child lives with encouragement,

he learns to be confident.

If a child lives with tolerance,

he learns to be patient.

If a child lives with praise,

he learns to be appreciative.

If a child lives with acceptance,

he learns to love.

If a child lives with approval,

he learns to like himself.

If a child lives with recognition,

he learns that it is good to have a goal.

If a child lives with sharing,

he learns about generosity.

If a child lives with honesty and fairness,

he learns what truth and justice are.

If a child loves with security,

he learns to have faith in himself and in those about him.

If a child lives with friendliness,

he learns that the world is a nice place in which to live.

If you live with serenity,

your child will live with peace of mind.

SCHOOL PICTURES

School pictures will be taken on Thursday, October 4, in Fellowship Hall. We will begin at 8:30am with the little kids and work our way up through the grades. Regular school uniforms are required.

Order forms are in the September 21 Friday Folders. Bring your completed order form and payment to your teacher on or before picture day. You may also order online at www.LMSEP.com. Please note that a service charge will be added to online orders.

ITBS TESTING - Iowa Test of Basic Skills

Redeemer administers the ITBS each Fall to students in grades 2-8. Testing dates for 2018-2019 are October 16-26, 2018. Testing will take place each morning from 8:30-10:30am. Please be sure your child arrives at school on time and well fed! Please avoid non-urgent appointments and absences during these dates. Thank you!

Chapel will be held at 2:15pm on Testing Fridays.

SCHOOL SWEATSHIRTS & FRIDAY SHIRTS

Thank you for your patience while we create our new sweatshirts, Friday shirts, and spirit wear. We are looking forward to some awesome LIONS roaming the campus! We are planning to have an online store up and running soon where you can purchase student and adult clothing items. In the meantime, students may wear sweatshirts and fleece of their choice when needed.



The ONLY Friday shirts that may be worn to school are:

- Regular uniform polos
- red 14-15 "be kind"
- red 16-17 "60 years"
- red 17-18 "3 tree"

No Indian head shirts are allowed. No other RLS "event shirts" may be worn to school on Fridays (eg, Ocean Week, past musicals, Outdoor Ed, etc). Thanks for your cooperation!



Operation Christmas Child

A PROJECT of SAMARITAN'S PURSE

It's never too early to start thinking about Christmas!!

Redeemer will once again collect shoebox gifts for Operation Christmas Child. To find out more information about this very special opportunity to give, go to: https://www.samaritanspurse.org/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child/

We provide the shoebox; you provide the filling!! Shoeboxes will be available from Redeemer starting October 15. (Or use one of your own! Plastic shoeboxes with lids are always appreciated.) The donation deadline for filled boxes is Thursday, November 15.

Please consider assembling a shoebox or two for the youngest or oldest age groups as they are frequently underrepresented in the gift giving.



3-on-3 BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT Saturday, October 13th

A day full of smiles, basketball, food, competition, laughs and community. Our 2nd annual 3-on-3 basketball tournament will raise funds for our friends and partner, Street Life Ministries, who help people without homes. The fundraiser will continue into the night at Main and Elm in Redwood City. There will be live music, with a percentage of all revenue going to Street Life!

Register online by Saturday, September 29, at www.redeemerministries.org (sign up link is under Ministry Announcements)

UPCOMING EVENTS:

SEPTEMBER 2018: 28, Fri2nd grade musical "O Chicken of Little Faith" 6:30pm in Fellowship Hall OCTOBER 2018: 2, Tue2nd grade field trip to the SF Zoo 3, Wed 1:45pm Dismissal, Weds Clubs 2-3pm 4, Thu School Picture Day 7. Sun Happy Birthday Mrs. Madigan (kindergarten) 8, Mon..... NO SCHOOL Columbus Day holiday 11, Tue 1st grade field trip to pumpkin patch 10, Wed 1:45pm Dismissal, Weds Clubs 2-3pm 12, Fri Middle School Dance 7-9pm 13, Sat Redwood City Live 3-on-3 Basketball 15-19ITBS Testing grades 2-8 (8:30-10:30am daily) 17, Wed 1:45pm Dismissal, Weds Clubs 2-3pm 18, Thu Great California Shakeout 10:18am 18, Thu Happy Birthday Mr. Adam (PE) 19, Fri Chapel, 5th grade leads (at 2:15pm due to morning testing schedule) 24, Wed 1:45pm Dismissal, Weds Clubs 2-3pm 25, Thu Special Wash DC Mac & Cheese Hot Lunch (advance order required) 26, Fri Chapel (time TBD based on testing) 30, Tue8th grade field trip to Hiller Aviation 31, Wed Halloween parade at 1:15pm on blacktop 31, Wed 1:45pm Dismissal, NO WEDS CLUBS A LOOK AHEAD to NOVEMBER: 2, Fri 1st grade Musical 6:30pm 12, Mon...... NO SCHOOL Veterans Day holiday 19-23NO SCHOOL

Happy Belated Birthdays!!

Sept 1 * Mrs. Graham, Asst Principal

Sept 10 * Ms Zimmer, Kindergarten & 5th grade Aide

Sept 25 * Mrs. Hutton, Middle School Math



^{*} Uniform closet is open each Tuesday at 3pm

^{*} Chapel is every Friday at 8:30am