

Raiders News

November 25, 2020



**Live in Grace,
Walk in Love**

*"Follow God's example, therefore, as dearly loved children
and walk in the way of love, just as Christ loved us and gave
himself up for us as a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God."*

Ephesians 5: 1-2

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Clicking on this [link](#) will bring you to Reformation's Distance Learning site. This link isn't being used much these days due to in-person learning; however, today a video was added as a Thanksgiving encouragement. There is also a PDF that shows the school's COVID-19 guidance plan (COVID Decision Tree) and when to keep kids home when they exhibit certain symptoms. Please watch this video in which the principal asks us all to keep doing what we are doing to keep the family of Reformation healthy. We are extremely thankful to our God for allowing us to be on campus for an entire trimester without any positive COVID cases! God's blessings and Happy Thanksgiving!



REFORMATION
— LUTHERAN SCHOOL —



Christmas Program Formal Dress

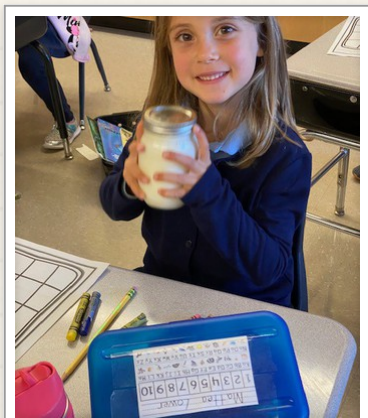
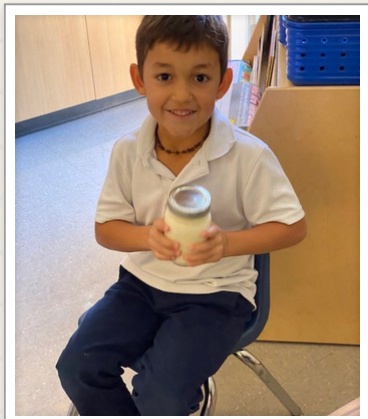
This year all students of Reformation will be presenting a virtual Christmas program called "Happy Birthday Jesus". Everyone has started working on the program and we are excited to share the story of Jesus' birth with everyone.

Each classroom will be recorded outside in early December as they sing and recite passages from the Bible. We are asking all students to dress up on the day that they are recorded. Girls can wear dressy pants and top or a dress. Boys can wear nice pants and a polo, button up shirt or sweater. We will be sharing more information after Thanksgiving break.

Update from Mrs. Homan's classroom

We have had fun learning so many things in kindergarten. During Bible time we have just finished up our Old Testament stories, and are beginning our New Testament stories. We have learned Bible passages that we can take with us throughout our lives. In this way we always have God's Word with us. We are now working on our Bible passages for our virtual Christmas Program. Even though it will look different than usual, we are excited to be able to share the good news of our Savior's birth.

Our Superkids friends are helping us learn to read. We have two more friends to meet before they start working together to help us read so many words. One skill we are working on in math is counting to 100 by 1s, 5s, and 10s. In Social Studies, we have compared the past and present. We made butter, wrote with a quill, and panned for gold. For science we started exploring plants.





Update on Ki's School Lunches

Many families responded to the survey we sent out to measure interest in Ki's School Lunches – thank you! Ki's is working out things on their end, but it looks likely that we resume service with Ki's in January. We would have ordering available for Wednesdays and Fridays. There are quite a few holidays and days with no school between now and the end of the calendar year, so it makes sense to start fresh at the start of 2021. Please keep an eye out for more information!

Christmas Break/Shepherd's Care

Winter Break is fast approaching and school will be closed December 21-25 and December 28-January 1. Our school calendar indicates that Shepherd's Care would be available December 21-23 and December 28-30. We are hoping to be able to offer childcare while school is closed, and your responses to this survey will be important for our planning.

We would be offering a Winter Camp childcare group (for students in grades K-8), separate from our current Shepherd's Care group (that is at its capacity of 14 children). The hours of childcare would be 8:00am-3:30pm on December 21-23 and December 28-30. The cost will be \$40 per day and you will be billed through FACTS. Please note that in order to make this winter group happen we need a minimum of 4 children per day. The maximum children we can have is 14. If you are interested please fill out the survey below.

If your children are currently on our roster for before/after school Shepherd's Care, please complete this form letting us know what days your child will be attending during break. Please know that your child still has their spot in Shepherd's Care with Zeyla available during the hours of 7:00 am - 5:00 pm during Dec 21-23 & Dec 28-30. (The Winter Break group is only being offered 8-3:30).

Please submit this survey by Friday, December 4th to assist with our planning. Thank you for your patience and understanding as we work within the childcare guidelines and restrictions that are currently in place. Thank you!

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSesn1JjY2TejKGHIAqaw3x5GvLDRikqGyQYLKl07HdTQpVzbA/viewform?usp=sf_link



Join the Reformation Team!

We are looking to add a Shepherd's Care staff member to our team. This position serves as an on-site supervisor in our before and after school K-8 child care program.

Primary Responsibilities:

Provide a Christ-centered, safe and loving environment for a small group of students in grades K-8. On a daily basis, this includes supervising homework, answering homework questions, supervising play and providing other appropriate activities.

Hours:

Monday through Friday, 7:00 am - 8:15 am AND 3:30 pm - 5:15 pm (Work days follow the Grade School calendar, available online. Shepherd's Care is open most days of the school year.)

The ideal candidate enjoys being around children. They should also be reliable, punctual, flexible, comfortable communicating with children and adults, and have a willingness to learn and grow. High school diploma is required.

If you or someone you know is interested in this position, please contact Brennan Butth at bailesb@refsd.org.



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Lost & Found Items

Along with current COVID-19 prevention efforts to reduce the number of additional people on campus comes a difficulty for parents trying to locate misplaced student belongings. We encourage all families to label all your student's items (sweatshirts/sweaters, lunch bags, water bottles, etc.) so they can be easily returned to your student when found on campus. If your student is missing an item, please contact his or her teacher for assistance in locating it.

Jewelry and other Items of substantial value will be in the office. Please check there as well. We have had odd items fall out of cars and backpacks in the morning. Thank you.

Wednesday Chapel available on YouTube

Parents and families are invited to join us for our weekly chapel worship service, Wednesday mornings at 8:30am, using videos through YouTube. Chapel services, along with Reformation's weekly worship services, are available on our YouTube channel at

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCM0y6DBdor8AryGfhd2cfYA>.



Wednesday chapel services are streamed live at 8:30am and also posted online for viewing at your convenience. Please join your Reformation family for these worship opportunities. For more details about weekend worship at Reformation Lutheran Church (Saturdays at 6pm and Sundays at 8am), go to <http://www.reformationsandiego.org/worship-services/>

Reformation Family Calendar

Wednesdays at 8:30am - Live-Streamed Chapel Service - everyone is welcome!

November 26 - Campus closed - No preschool, grade school or Shepherd's Care.

November 27 - Campus closed - No preschool, grade school or Shepherd's Care.

December 18 - 11:50 am Early Dismissal for Grade School

December 21 to January 1 - No Grade School - Christmas Break

December 24 - 25 - Campus closed - No preschool or Shepherd's Care.

December 31 - January 1 - Campus closed - No preschool or Shepherd's Care.



A monthly calendar is updated on our website, and a full school year calendar is available also. Click here to review these calendars. (<http://reformationschoolsd.org/calendar/>).

JOIN US FOR WORSHIP

ON SATURDAYS AT 3:00 PM & SUNDAYS AT 10:30 AM



About Us



The eternal truths of God's Word are the foundation of our school, its curriculum, and all its activities. Our goal in Christian education is to provide each child with the maximum development of God-given spiritual, physical, and mental abilities. We offer Christian education in our Preschool (ages 2.5-5) and Grade School (K-8).

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