

Raiders News

April 23, 2021

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL:

My Temper

I can sure tell when other people are losing their tempers. I hear the pitch of their voices rise. I note the sharpness of tone. I see the flashes in their eyes, the scrunch of their brows, the hard line of their mouths. They have stopped listening because they have so many *important* things to say. I can tell that their emotions are clouding their logic. So why can't I see those same things when I'm doing them?

In the midst of an argument, why do I feel so righteous? so defensive? so bitter? Has God done nothing for me? Have I not been spoiled rotten with blessings I don't deserve? Has he not called me to be a peacemaker, not a warmonger? When you see me going off like this, call a time-out and whisper this Scripture passage in my ear: "*A gentle answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger*" (Proverbs 15:1).

I function best as God's ambassador in a fallen world, not so much when I show everybody that I'm right but when I help to de-escalate a conflict and reconcile two enemies into being friends again. Here's what I'm going to work on this week: keep my voice soft, ask a lot of questions before pontificating, assume kind and good motives in others rather than assuming the worst, listen twice or three times before speaking, and double-check my agenda to make sure it's God's.

Say it with me: "Gentle."

by [Pastor Mark Jeske](#)

April 22, 2021

[Grace Moments: Life's Challenges](#)



Classroom Update from the TK Classroom

The children in the TK classroom have been learning long and short vowels, sounding out words, writing words, and spacing them out. In math, they are learning to subtract numbers. In science, the children were introduced to caterpillars which will turn into butterflies. They've become our class pets. They have also been learning about the life cycle of chicks.

During our Bible study time, the children have been learning the true meaning of Easter and the joy of Jesus's resurrection. We know that we are preparing for the day when we will be resurrected too to eternal life with Jesus.

We are so proud of the children for their hard work this year, especially with all of the changes in the world and classroom. They are all excited to be transitioning to kindergarten in the fall. Thank you, parents, for all of your support and trust. *"Blessed is the man that trusted in the Lord."* Jeremiah 17:17



Coming Soon! Reformation Summer Camp June 7-August 20.

Registration is now open online.

ABOUT US
Reformation Summer Camp is all about strengthening your faith in Jesus, building friendships, and making memories to last a lifetime.

June 7 - August 20
Open From 7:00 am - 5:00 pm

2nd child discount of \$50 per 4 weeks

\$210 per week 8am - 3pm
\$260 per week 7am - 5pm

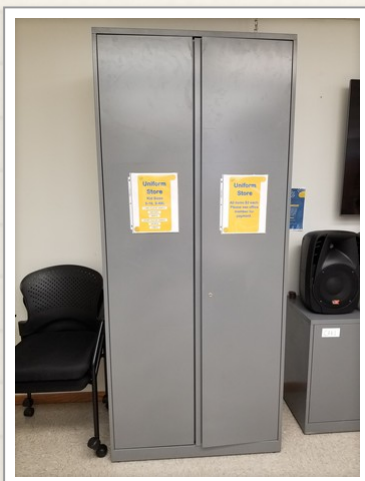
\$800 when signing up for any 4 weeks

Boys & Girls 1st - 7th Grade

ACTIVITIES
✓ Crafts & Science
✓ Water games and fun
✓ Games & Wilderness Survival
✓ Singing & Dancing
✓ Cooking

For Details:
summercamp@refsd.org

<http://reformationschoolsd.org/school-information/summer-camp-2021/>



Used Uniform Store

Have your kids experienced a growth spurt? We have a used uniform store! It is located in the library. We have shirts, shorts, pants, skirts, and dresses in all sizes. We also have preschool sizes. All items are \$2 each and will be billed through FACTS. Proceeds from the Uniform Store benefit 7th and 8th grade class trips.

PARENT BOOK CLUB UPDATE!

All parents are invited to join us for the book club

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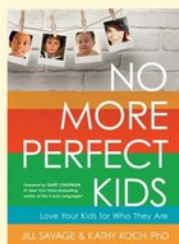
"NO MORE PERFECT KIDS"

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Read or listen (Audible) ahead of book club.

6:00 Monday, May 3 & May 17

We will meet in the courtyard at school. We will cover chapter 1-6 on May 3 and chapter 7-end of the book on May 17



One of the best gifts we as parents can give our children is to set them free to be all that God has created them to be—not forcing them to live out our dreams or comparing them to our friends' kid.

In *No More Perfect Kids*, Jill Savage and Kathy Koch equip us with the tools and perspective to:

- Identify and remove the Perfection Infection from our parenting.
- Really know each child so we can fully embrace their unique design.
- Release our children from unrealistic expectations.
- Answer the questions our kids are silently asking in a way that gives them the courage and freedom to be themselves.

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!



April

Wednesday, April 28 - Preschool closes at 3:00pm

May

Monday, May 3 at 6:30pm Parent Book Club

Monday, May 17 at 6:30pm Parent Book Club

Worship Service - Saturdays at 7:00pm

Worship Service - Sundays at 10:30am

Foundations 101 - Sundays starting January 24 at 9:00 am

Men's Bible Study - Saturdays starting April 11 at 9:00 am

Teenage Girl Life Group - Monday's starting February 8 at 3:30 pm

Women's Life Group - Tuesday's starting February 9 at 6:30 pm (On hiatus 3/30 & 4/6)

Parenting Book Club - May 3 & 17 at 6:00 pm

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/>).



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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