

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

September 3rd—Packer Day

September 4th-7th—No School/Labor Day

September 8th-21st—K-8th Grade MAP Testing

September 22nd—Picture Retake Day

September 23rd—Jog-A-Thon Wednesday Eaglets, 3K and 4K

September 24th—Jog-A-Thon Thursday Eaglets

September 25th—Jog-A-Thon K-8th Grade (During P.E. Class)

October 2nd—Staff Development/No School

**August 28, 2020** 

# Principal Corner

God is greater than the ups and the downs! What an appropriate theme to remember this year. It was an awesome week of ups and downs as we got into the school routine again. Thanks for all your patience as we work through new safety procedures for everyone. Your children are a joy and we are thankful to have the opportunity to teach them in person. We will continue to pray for the health and safety of all our families and ask that you continue to pray for our staff as well! Remember that nothing can separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus, our Lord (Romans 8:39)! Keep the faith!

Please continue to read through the newsletter to stay up to date on family news! We are a phone call or email away if you have any questions. WELCOME BACK!!

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Divine Redeemer has been blessed with the service of Joanne Webb as our Early Childhood Principal this past year. We regret to inform you that Joanne will no longer be with us for the 2020-2021 school year. She has been given a different opportunity to serve the Lord and felt called to follow that new direction at this time. God has given her many abilities and gifts and the Divine Redeemer family is grateful for her contributions. She has hired and trained wonderful people to care for your children, so we are confident we will continue to give the outstanding care expected of our programs. We will not be hiring a new principal but instead will plan to use the talented people, already in place to handle all the duties expected of that position.

If you have any concerns or questions, please do not hesitate to ask!

#### **BE A CHAMPION - PLAY THUNDER FOOTBALL**





Registration is currently underway for the Lake Country Lutheran Thunder tackle football program for all kids in grades 5-8 for the 2020-2021 school year. To register, go to www.weplayforhim.net

Thunder Football set the foundation of my high school success both on and off the field. Before we started to even dream about being a State Champion, we were taught how to be good teammates, competitors and Christian men." - Will Brazgel

"Thunder Football instilled in me the importance of teamwork and the closer you are with your teammates, the stronger the team will be. It also taught me how to play the correct way to prevent injuries and be an effective football player." - Andrew Schumacher

"Thunder taught me all the fundamentals in order to play the right way to be a successful football player." - Luke Haertle

Playing Thunder Football helped me learn how to be a good football player and also resulted: in lasting friendships. Those friendships contributed to our success and eventual State Championship." - Peter VandeZande









## 2020-2021 School Year Theme Song

Sing Wherever I Go Bv: We The Kingdom

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vmkVyBkDQME





#### NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

for assessment and ongoing therapy services for all ages in all areas of:

- Speech
- Hearing
- Language
- **Emergent Literacy**
- Communication deficit due to a
- stroke or other neurological disorders



#### CHILD LANGUAGE & LITERACY **CENTER PRESCHOOL PROGRAM**

3 & 4 year olds seeking enrichment in speech, language, and literacy, along with 3-4 year old typically developing peers. 9am-11:30am on Tuesdays and Thursdays

#### **FEEDING CLINIC**

DOES YOUR CHILD EXPERIENCE:

- Difficulty transitioning from bottle to cup
- Difficulty transitioning to solid foods or textures
- Sensory defensiveness
- Does not allow you to touch their face, brush teeth, accept foods of varied texture
- Extremely picky eaters
- Limited number of foods accepted



#### WE CAN HELP!

Also offering continuation of services if they started somewhere else and treatment has now ended.

Group or individual sessions available: A range of treatment methods, such as in-person and telehealth services, will be utilized as appropriate

Contact Dr. Angela Haendel, CCC-SLP at slh.clinic@cuw.edu or 262-243-2137

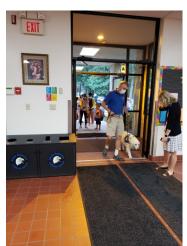
CUW.EDU/SLHCLINIC



## **COVID Birthday Treat Changes**

To help curb the spread of germs we are making a change to birthday treat distribution for the 2020-2021 school year. The "birthday boy/girl" can bring in treats, but he/she will only distribute them to their class. No more traveling to other classrooms to deliver treats. Please remember that all treats MUST be nut free. The approved snack list can be found under "links" in FastDirect.





Our hearts are full of joy being back in the hallways and seeing our students again! It was a great first week! God is GOOD!















# Physicals and Immunizations for the 2020-2021 School Year

Just a reminder that all incoming **Kindergarten**, **5th grade students and all new to DRLS students** need to have an updated physical turned in to the office by the beginning of this school year.

All incoming 6th grade students should have an updated tetanus booster on file in the office as well.

All forms are under the "links" section in FastDirect. The document is titled: Medical-Immunization-Emergency Information Forms 2020-2021



Don't forget to send your student with a refillable water bottle on a daily basis. It's important they stay hydrated!

## **Mask Update:**

If you preordered a Divine Redeemer mask and/or gaiter they were delivered to your oldest student this afternoon. Our provider was short 45 items. If you had an order and you don't have a bag or a complete order, don't worry they should be here by the end of next week.

DR masks and gaiters have been added to the spirit wear website so the deadline to order both masks and spirit wear is Sunday, September 13th.

https://www.kmsportsusa.com/ welcome-divine-redeemer/



Our new drop-off/pick-up procedures and map can be found under the "links" icon in Fast Direct. Please remember to reduce your speed in our parking lot and watch for our preschool families that are trying to walk their child into school.

We want to keep everyone safe!



### Hot Lunch Update:

By the end of September we are hoping to be able to provide our students with a hot lunch option a couple days a week. We are working on the "details" so more to come over the next few weeks. If you are interested in helping to serve hot lunch please let the office know as parent volunteers are a critical component to offering lunch to our students.

## Divine Redeemer Lutheran Church





For CONFIRMATION registration links, go to drlc.org and choose MINISTRIES, choose CONFIRMATION Grade 8 Confirmation <a href="https://drlc.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/21/responses/new">https://drlc.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/21/responses/new</a>
Pre-Confirmation Grade 6 <a href="https://drlc.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/20/responses/new">https://drlc.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/20/responses/new</a>

<u>For KIDS CONNECTION registration links</u>, go to drlc.org, choose MINISTRIES, choose KIDS CONNECTION <u>Preschool – Grade 5 https://drlc.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/24/responses/new</u>



You're cordially invited to join Divine Redeemer Lutheran Church for our outdoor worship service on Saturday, August 29th at 5pm in the Divine Redeemer Parking Lot. Please bring chairs for your family.