

THE DAY SCHOOL SCOOP

September 2020

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Dear Parents,

As I was reflecting upon the Day School this fall, two words come to mind: Prayer & Pivot! I think we can be great at both and will definitely practice these two as we navigate this new kind of school year.

I'm optimistic because I believe in the power of prayer. This is a school where teachers, children and parents don't hesitate to pray for one another. I bet many of you are praying for good health and a sense of peace. We are, too! God has given us many resources to help answer these prayers. Our health guidelines are stringent and well researched so we can stay on track. Our campus is vast so we can teach outside. Our cleaning schedule is thorough so we can feel confident in our classrooms. Our teachers are loving, dedicated to learning and diligent about keeping your children safe. There will not be a day when someone is not praying for this sweet school!

During this season, being able to pivot will be essential as well. Synonyms for pivot are rotate and turn. Even with our best laid plans, we learned this past spring and summer that being able to pivot and adjust led to creative solutions. Sure, these solutions were not our first choices, but we worked as a team. I don't doubt that as we enter into this preschool adventure, we will re-access a situation and pivot. With prayer, God will give us that ability to be flexible and creative.

Actually, there is a third word, LOVE! I hope you will see that expressed in all we do and say. Life is all about relationships and how we can love each other. We look forward to building these friendships and sharing life's precious moments with you. We can't wait to love on you and your child! Welcome to the Day School family!

Blessings!
Ellen Nietert



- ### UPCOMING EVENTS
- September 11**
1st Day of School with Car Line
1st Day of Super Science
 - September 15**
MMOII Meet the Teacher/Orientation (9am)
 - September 17**
Staff Meeting
 - September 24**
\$30 Flu Shots for Teachers & Parents (9-10am)
 - September 30**
Immunization Forms Due
School Fax 843.884.3705
 - October 8-16**
Original Works Sale
Details TBA
 - October 14-16**
Sarah Fisher Photography
Wed: All Fours Classes
Thurs: All 2 Day Classes
Fri: All 3 Day Classes



Please keep your child home if s/he is showing any of these symptoms. Seek medical care and COVID-19 testing, if needed. Signs of illness can include but are not limited to:

- Fever of 100.4
- Loss of taste and smell
- Severe headache
- Flushed cheeks
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Fatigue
- Congestion or runny nose
- New or worsening cough
- Diarrhea, nausea or vomiting
- Rash

If a child has a fever, that child must be fever free without medication for 72 hours before returning to school. Medical excuses will be required for seasonal allergies. Together, we can keep our school healthy!

Mother's Morning Out
Shout for joy to the Lord.
Psalm 98:4

Ms. Maria's Twos
A friend loves at all times.
Proverbs 17:17

Ms. Laurie's Twos
Be kind to each other.
Ephesians 4:32

Ms. Ashley's Threes
Be kind to each other.
Ephesians 4:32

Ms. Kelly's Threes
Be kind to one another.
Ephesians 4:32

Ms. Emily's 4 Day Fours
Encourage one another daily.
Hebrews 3:13

Ms. Kayla's 4 Day Fours
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Ms. Pat's 5 Day Fours
Blessed are the peacemakers.
Matthew 5:9



We need YOU! Be a Substitute Teacher at CCDS this school year. Have fun and earn \$30. Contact Ellen Nietert at enietert@christch.org.

THANKS FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION

Completing and submitting the Parent Volunteer Form is vital to the success of our school. We don't expect one person to do everything, but many hands make the tasks easier and so much more fun!

You're Invited

Mother's of Youth Children Class

Led by Deacon Joyce Harder

Thursday Nights • 7-8:30pm • Parish Hall

COVID got you down? Is your "mommy guilt" worse than ever? Do you go through cycles of inadequacy and despair? Do you crave the company of other moms who understand? Come be comforted by your sisters in Christ beginning September 17. All are welcome to attend and you do not need to be a parishioner to attend. Can't make them all? Drop in as you are able.

For more information and to register, visit ChristCh.org/momsclass.

SAFETY REMINDERS FOR SEPTEMBER

- Drive SLOWLY in car line.
- NO passing in car line.
- Don't let your child hang out of the car; buckle up. We want car line to be fun and safe!
- Notify us immediately if someone in your immediate family tests positive for COVID-19.
- Notify us if your child has fifth disease. This virus can harm and unborn baby.

LET'S GET BACK!

FAMILY SERVICE

SEPTEMBER 20 • 5:30PM • QUAD

(We will move it to the Parish Hall for rain)

**Do you have your notebooks? Pencils? Mask?
How about your Armor of God?**

Going back-to-school is an exciting and challenging time for kids. This year is more challenging than others. It's a time to make new friends, adjust to new teachers, and get back to a more structured lifestyle. Parents and kids are also finding it can be a time of testing for their faith. At our *Let's Get Back Family Service* we will sing and worship together and make sure we all have our Armor of God.

Christ Church Children's Ministry is planning a fun, family friendly experience with lots of interaction, singing and movement ending with a "sack dinner." Social distancing and mask will be required.

**Registration is required by
Thursday, September 17.**

**Register at
ChristCh.org/familyservice**

