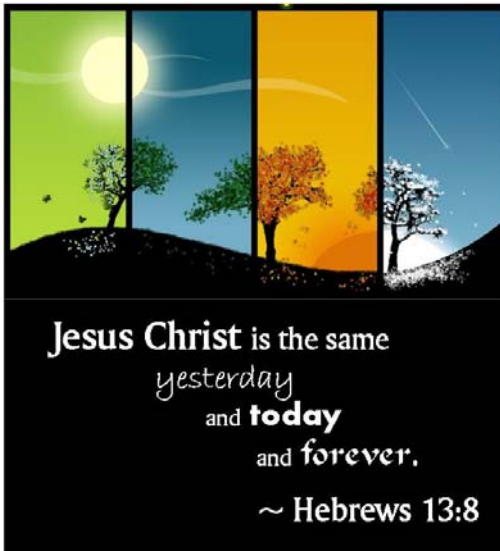


Prowling About

Our Redeemer Lutheran School

January 12, 2018

The *Prowling About*, the monthly calendar, and much more are on the ORLCS website (ordallas.org).



Happy New Year! It is so hard for me to believe that it is already 2018. Time flies by so fast - especially the older I get. It is so wonderful to experience the many blessings the Lord showers upon us as the days go by. Remember to thank Him for each and every one.

It was so exciting for me to be able to check the last families off the QFE participation list during those last days of school in December. We finally reached our goal of 100% family participation in the campaign and we all appreciate you very much. This percentage of participation demonstrates the fabulous support of our school families. I am also very happy and proud to announce that we exceeded our goal. We gratefully received \$112,857.65 in gifts and pledges! The wonderful members of Our Redeemer congregation provided over 72% of those gifts and pledges. This is yet another very visible demonstration of how strongly our school is supported by our congregation and we thank them for that.

It is now time to move on to the next great school and church event we are preparing for. The first weekend in March brings our school auction. The "save the date" has been in the *Prowler* for several weeks, and if you are a family who has been here for a while, you know how important this event is to our school. I hope you are preparing to assist with class baskets, helping the committee with various projects (invitations, decorations, set up, etc.), and most importantly, attending the event! It is lots of fun, and this years' *Lone Star Night* theme will make it even more fun.

The Members of
Our Redeemer
Lutheran Church
Invite you to attend
Sunday Morning Services
8 AM or 10:45 AM
Sunday School for All Ages
9:30-10:30
(Child care available)



In the event of bad weather, our school cancellation report will be posted on our school website and on TV-KXAS Channel 5. Also, if DISD is closed, we are closed!

LUNCH TIMES AND COST

11:30 AM	PK2—KDG	\$4.25
12:00 PM	1st—3rd Grade	\$4.75
12:30 PM	4th—6th Grade	\$4.95

Date/ Time

January 15
January 17, 8:30am
January 19
January 21, 10:45am

Event/Place

Martin Luther King Jr. Day -No School/No Kids' Klub
Chapel, Pastor Douthwaite, Sanctuary
Auction T-Shirt and Blue Jeans
All students sing at church





BASKETBALL
4th - 6th Grade
Boys and Girls
Practice

Jan. 16 Girls 3:30—5:00
Boys Game @ Zion 5:30

Jan. 18 Girls 3:30—4:15
Boys Game w/ Calvary 4:30

SCHOOL AUCTION!

Save the date
for the
School Auction:
March 3, 2018



ORLS FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITY - SCRIP

We will continue SCRIPS in 2018.
Look for information in the January 19th *Prowler*.

January 25 and 26

**PK and KDG - No School/No Kids' Klub
(Early Childhood Conference)**

Grades 1—6: Regular Schedule with Kids' Klub after school.



**CAPERS FOR KIDS
Drama Classes**

Capers for Kids will not be offered this semester at ORLS.

We will offer it again in Fall of 2018.

IT'S STILL ALL ABOUT JESUS

NATIONAL LUTHERAN SCHOOL WEEK: January 21-26

Theme Verse: "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever". ~ Hebrews 13:8

Date	Theme	Dress	Notes
Sunday, January 21	10:45am Church Service	Chapel Uniform	<u>All</u> students will sing
Monday, January 22	Jesus is the FOCUS	Pajama Dress	
Tuesday, January 23	Jesus is the MISSION	Superhero Dress	
Wednesday, January 24	Jesus is the TRUTH	Uniform and Crazy Socks	Must bring a new pair of socks for chapel to wear crazy socks
Thursday, January 25	Jesus is the HEART	Sport Attire	PK & KDG No School
Friday, January 26	Jesus is the MESSAGE	Christian T-Shirt (shares the message) and Jeans	PK & KDG No School

RE-ENROLLMENT HAS BEGUN!

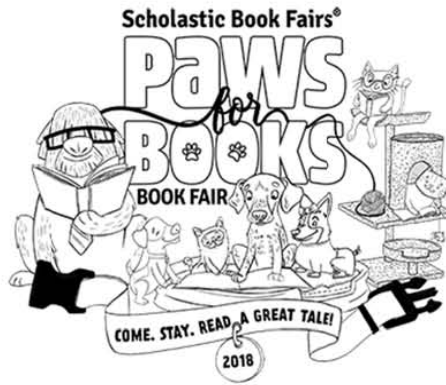
You should have received an e-mail from TADS to re-enroll. If you have not, please contact Sarah Schwarze at 214-368-1371 or sarahs@orlcs.com.

Financial Aid information will be available on TADS January 1, 2018.

February 1, 2018, all remaining classroom slots will be opened to new enrollees.

Also, beginning February 1, a \$50 late fell will be added to the comprehensive fee.

ON-LINE with TADS



Dear Parents and Families:

It's time again for the Scholastic Book Fair! We are excited to offer this event to help further our student's love of reading! You can foster a love of reading by reading with your children and keeping a collection of books in your home that align with their tastes and reading skill level.

Our Scholastic Book Fair is a reading event that brings the books kids want to read right into our school. It's a wonderful selection of engaging and affordable books for every reading level. Please make plans to visit our Book Fair and be involved in shaping your child's reading habits.

Book Fair dates: February 5-9, 2018

Shopping hours: 7:30-8:00 am & 3:30-4:15 pm (not open after school Friday!)

If you are unable to attend the Fair in person, we invite you to visit our online Book Fair at <http://www.scholastic.com/bf/ourredeemerlutherschool4> Our Online Fair is available from February 1, 2018 to February 16, 2018.

To ensure this event runs smoothly, we are asking for some parent volunteers. If you are able to offer your time, please fill out the form below, and return it to your child's teacher as soon as possible. You will be contacted via email regarding a volunteer schedule. Thank you!

We look forward to seeing you and your family at our Book Fair! Remember, all purchases benefit our school.

Sincerely,

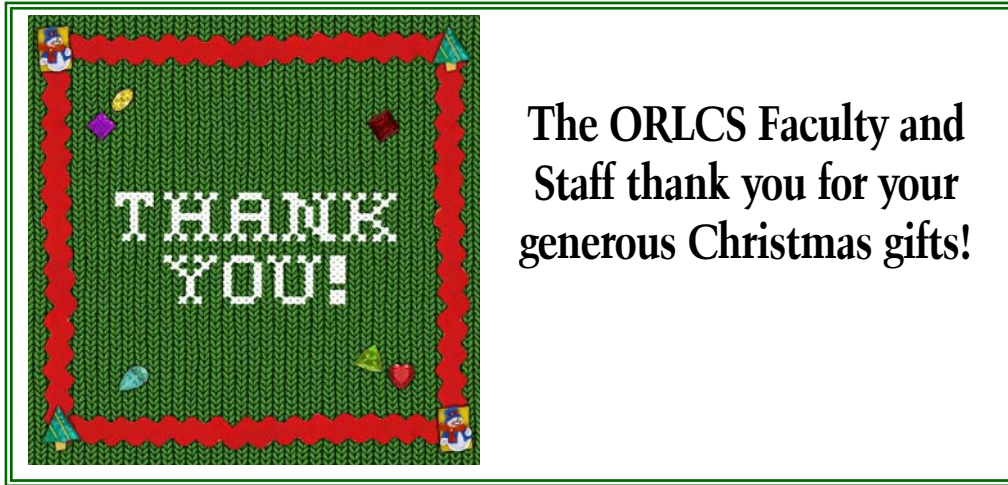
Abby Goerz, Librarian

Yes! I would like to help with the Scholastic Book Fair. I am available to help with (please circle) *morning* / *afternoon* checkout on *Monday* / *Tuesday* / *Wednesday* / *Thursday* / *Friday*.

Volunteer Name: _____

Student Name/Grade: _____

Email contact: _____



Chapel Offerings for NDSM list for 3rd quarter:

- January 10 money offerings
- January 17 Macaroni & Cheese
- January 24 New Socks (new pair of socks for chapel is your ticket to wear Crazy Socks with your uniform!)
- January 31 Peanut Butter (please no glass containers)
- February 7 Any canned meat
- February 14 Granola Bars
- February 21 Boxed Cereal
- February 28 Canned fruit or vegetable
- March 7 Canned Soup
- March 21 money offerings

Money offerings are welcome every week! See notes from NDSM website below.

Notes from the NDSM website:

How we use FOOD: There are some things we cannot obtain at a discount. Your donations of these items help us to stretch our budget and to provide more variety to our clients.

How we use MONEY: For \$ 1.00 we can buy what would cost \$ 11.62 at a grocery or warehouse store. Our buying power and special relationships allow us to stretch every dollar. In short, we really leverage your contributions.