



**Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it.**

*Proverbs 22:6*

As we tend to focus on those we love around Valentine's Day, we are thankful for God's abundant blessings. It is hard to comprehend the enormity of God's love. Just open your heart, call out and turn your life to Him. He provides for our needs in ways we never could have imagined.

**Day One Christian Academy dates to make note of:**

- **Registration** for **2017-2018 school year** is here!! The complete registration packet is attached for you to download and complete. Additional packets are available on the website at [www.dayonechristianacademy.org](http://www.dayonechristianacademy.org) on the Admissions page. Registration packets will be received starting Monday, **February 20**. If you have questions that pertain to your child's enrollment for the new school year, I encourage you to discuss your child's progress with his/her teachers and do not hesitate to ask questions from any of the Administrators during the enrollment process. Tuition now includes breakfast and lunch for children participating during those hours of the program. Day One will offer flexible scheduling options between the hours of 6:30 AM to 6:30 PM for the new school year.
- February **Book Orders** are due to Carol Krueger Wednesday, **February 15**.
- Please turn in your **Box Tops for Education** labels by **February 17**, it's time to submit them and receive a check.
- **Group Pictures** will be taken **February 20-24**. A schedule is attached and posted on the website for your convenience. Weather permitting, we are hoping to take the class pictures outdoors this year.
- Children have started their creations for the **Original Works Fundraiser**. Watch for art work displays in each classroom next week and then order a keepsake item(s). Completed orders with payment are due on or before Tuesday, March 7. Orders will arrive prior to April 1, in time for Easter and Mother's Day.
- **Ash Wednesday** is Wednesday, **March 1**. You are invited to attend Ash Wednesday Service at 11 AM. The children in Day One will be singing and receiving ashes during this Service. After the Service, parents are welcome to pick

up their children for a Soup Luncheon in the Life Center Auditorium. If you are not able to join us at this time there will also be a Soup Dinner at 6 PM followed by Ash Wednesday Service at 7 PM. What a blessing it is to eat and worship together as a family.

- There is an addition to the school calendar on Thursday, **March 9**. Ya'll are invited to join the PS-3 and PK students in a **Rodeo Program, "Home on the Range"** at 6:30 PM. The Children's Ministries Team will have a photo booth set up starting at 6 PM and again after the program for families to have some fun and share this moment together!

**Gloria Dei Lutheran Church dates to make note of:**

- **Essential New Member Class** is Saturday, **February 18** from 9-3. Child care is available. Register online at [www.gdlc.org](http://www.gdlc.org)
- Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, Methodist St. John Hospital and Interfaith Care Partners will present a **Caregiver Conference** on Saturday, **March 18** from 8-2 at Gloria Dei. This is an informative opportunity of workshops and exhibitors for families caring for a loved one.

As a reminder, Day One will not begin the new hours until the 2017-2018 school year. If you need to change your schedule on a regular basis, or need to stay after 6 PM on an occasional basis, please see Mrs. Money. If this has not be prearranged with Mrs. Money, there will be a one dollar (\$1) per minute, per child late fee assessed to any parent picking up their children after hours. Please be considerate of the pickup time and allow adequate time for arrival and to visit with the faculty prior to closing.

I pray that God continues to bless our partnership with you in the awesome task of helping your child become all that he/she is able to, through God's grace.

In His Name,

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