



Dear Day One Families,

The first few weeks of school have been full of excitement with the start of extra-curriculars, meeting new and old friends and getting settled into a routine. The children are settling in and doing great in their classrooms. Thank you from the entire staff for the special treat last week. It really made the teachers feel loved and was very uplifting.

September has arrived and we are looking forward to the start of Autumn! It's a fun time of year to see the different colors outside and the start of cooler weather.

Double Good Popcorn Sale

Day One will participate in the Double Good Popcorn Sale again this year! Information will be sent through your child's daily folder starting Monday, September 13. All orders and money will be due by October 6. Please direct any questions regarding the fundraiser to Kelly Money, kmoney@dayonechristianacademy.org.

LifeTouch Holiday and Individual Portraits

Lifetouch will be on campus Sept. 20-24. Schedules for your child's class will be posted by September 16th on the classroom door and website. Infants are asked to please provide a blanket to lay on for their photos. Families wanting sibling photos, please let one of the administrators know so we can plan their pictures accordingly. If you are interested in volunteering to help with any picture days, please email myself, or Jessica Walker jessica.leist@gmail.com, to get a day and time set up.

Grandparent Chapel

Wednesday, September 15 is Grandparent Chapel! Grandparents are invited to attend a special chapel with their grandchildren enrolled in the program with a lunch to follow. Grandparents that choose to eat lunch with their grandchild will be served in Kids Space while the rest of the class returns to have lunch in their classroom. Grandparents will need to return the child in their class after lunch.

Parent Chapel

Wednesday, September 22 is Parent Chapel! At this chapel, parents are encouraged to attend and worship with their child. Lunch will be provided similarly as Grandparent Chapel. Lunch will be served in Kids for children eating with their family, while the remainder of the class returns to their room for lunch.

Joy the Comfort Dog

Joy loves to visit Day One and we are so excited she can visit us this year! She will be visiting on September 15 and 16. The children will get to experience the calm comfort of being with her as well as learn about her ministry.

GDLC Shrimp Boil

Gloria Dei is hosting the annual Shrimp boil and silent auction. This event supports individuals in need. There are many ways you can get involved! You can help create a basket or goods that can be auctioned off, or you can attend and bid on some of the items provided! If you are interested in helping create a basket or something to be auctioned off, please let me know. For more information on the shrimp boil please visit <https://www.gdlc.org/event/2564203-2021-09-25-43rd-annual-shrimp-boil-and-benefit-auction/>.

Tuition Agreements

Mrs. Money is available in her office Tuesdays morning 6:30am-2:30pm and Wednesday-Friday 11:00am-close for families that need to sign their tuition agreement and pick up their child's new green school shirt. If you have not had the opportunity to complete the tuition agreement or shirt, please do so by September 22.

As children are playing and laughing in the classrooms, they are a great reminder of the joy God has placed in our lives. Through the children's growing faith, we are reminded to "believe in Him and rejoice with joy that is inexpressible and filled with glory" 1 Peter 1:8.

Joyfully,
Sarah Benson