

September 2025

Dear Parents,

We are looking forward to another great education year with your family. As a committee, we are very grateful for the teachers and helpers who willingly give of their time and talents! Please take note of the following information.

Our Sunday School Kickoff will be on September 7. During the service that day, we will hand out Bibles to the 4<sup>th</sup> graders. Right after the service, we will dismiss the children by classes (through 8<sup>th</sup> grade). All classes will meet their teachers and see where their classroom will be held. There will not be a Sunday School lesson on this day, the Fellowship squad is planning a church meal and activities for the kids.

Beginning September 14, Sunday School classes will begin at 11:05am and end at 11:45.

Singing precedes Sunday School for the students in 8<sup>th</sup> grade and lower. Children in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade and younger will meet in the church basement. Children 4<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grade will meet in the choir room. Both groups will meet at 10:50am and be dismissed to their Sunday School classes at 11:05am. The Sunday School offering will be taken at this time. The offering goes to pay for the class materials.

We encourage students in the 4<sup>th</sup> grade and up to bring their Student Bibles to class, both Sunday and Wednesday.

For the younger students, 3<sup>rd</sup> grade and below, a parent or close family member should pick up the child from their classroom. If someone else will be picking up your child on a regular basis, please give the teacher a written note so the teacher can feel comfortable releasing their child to a non-family member.

We will be starting our Wednesday night programs on September 10. ARK (1st-3<sup>rd</sup> grade), (4th-6<sup>th</sup> grade), and 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade will meet from 7pm to 8pm. NOTE: Wednesday night programs will be canceled if Boyden Hull has no school or lets out early that day. . Also there will be no programs when Boyden Hull students participate in district and state events.

Parents of ARK students, grades 1, 2, and 3: please pick up your child promptly at 8pm. No child will be allowed to leave the church unless accompanied by a family member or well known adult.

Regarding the 3-4 year old class, if your child is 3 years old by September 1, he/she can start Sunday School in September. If your child turns 3 years old between September 1 and December 31, he/she can start Sunday School in January.

We appreciate your support in our programs here at ARC. Together we can make this another great education year for all involved. If you have any questions or suggestions for us, please contact Todd Visscher (712-441-5663) or any of the Christian Ed committee members.

Thank You!