

Traffic Flow Information Faith Christian School

In an effort to minimize traffic jams and confusion we would like to inform all parents of the traffic patterns that have been established. Please follow the instructions below and use the map to help guide you in dropping off and picking up your children. Our goal is for all of our students to be safe and then to ensure efficiency. Thank you for your cooperation in this effort.

- 1. Please watch for children at all times! **Drive slowly and cautiously on school property**.
- 2. Follow the traffic signs placed at various spots along the driveway. **Come to a complete STOP** at all stop signs and look both ways before proceeding SLOWLY.
- 3. Do not leave your car unattended in a fire lane. If you have to go inside, please park and check in at the office. All fire lanes are marked with yellow paint.
- 4. Pull all the way up in the traffic circle so you do not block traffic.
- 5. Please be prompt when transporting your children to and from school.
- 6. Please be respectful of all designated parking spots. Do not park in the 15 minute parking space any longer than 15 minutes, and do not park in designated parking spots (admissions guest, auction winners, etc.)
- 7. We kindly ask that drivers <u>refrain from utilizing cell phones</u> in the drop off and pick up lines for the safety of all.

Drop off Instructions

JK – 5th Grade Students – Parents will drop off JK – 5th grade students at the lower entrance in the morning. Please pull up to the mailbox and someone will open the door for your child. Your child should be seated on the <u>passenger side</u> and be ready with backpack in hand to hop out. The driver should not get out of the car. If the circle is full, please go up the hill to the Upper School traffic circle and come back down to the main entrance to avoid congestion. Do not block the flow of traffic. Drop off time is 7:30 – 7:55 am.

<u>6th – 12th grade students</u> – Parents will drop off their 6th – 12^{th} grade students at the Upper School entrance. Students should exit the passenger side doors ONLY. Drop off for M/US is 7:30 – 7:55 am.

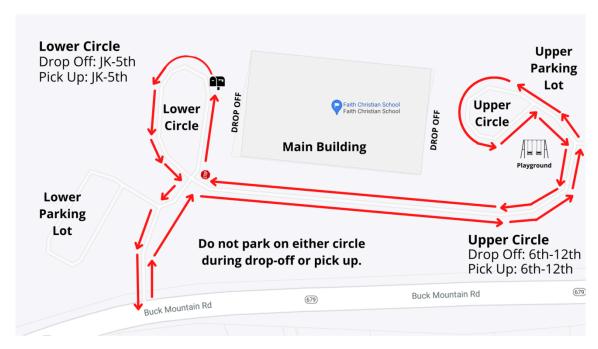
**Parents who have children in both divisions may drop off all their children in the lower circle, if preferred. Additionally, if parents have students in both divisions <u>and</u> their LS children's classrooms are upstairs ($3^{rd} - 5^{th}$), they may drop off all students in the upper circle. If using both drop off locations, please drop 6th – 12^{th} grade students first and then proceed to the lower entrance.

Pick-Up Instructions

JK – 5th grade students – Parents will pick up their JK – 5th grade students at the lower entrance. Please go up the hill to the Upper School turn around and come back down to the lower entrance. The gate will be opened 20 minutes before pick up time each day. (2:30 p.m on full days; 11:35 a.m. on half days). If you arrive on campus prior to 2:30 p.m., kindly park in the parking lot and wait for the gate to be opened to line up. Have your school issued family sign in the passenger side window of your car for the entirety of pick up. Pick up time is 2:50 – 3:15 pm. Any students remaining after 3:15 pm will be escorted to Faith Zone, our after-school care program. After school care fees will be incurred.

 $6^{th} - 12^{th}$ grade students – Parents will pick up their $6^{th} - 12^{th}$ grade students at the Upper School entrance. If you have a student in both M/US and LS divisions you may pick up your LS student in the lower circle and then pull around in the lower circle to the edge of the curb (not directly in front of the building) to wait for the M/US student to be dismissed. Please be sure to pull all the way around the circle and stop right before the dumpster. **Pick up time is 3:10 – 3:25.** Students not picked up by 3:25 will go to M/US Study Tables, which is available until 4:30 pm. There is a fee for any student remaining after 4 pm.

Traffic Flow Map



The above map shows the traffic flow. Please note the Drop Off and Pick Up directions above. Please abide by the directives in order to keep all children safe.