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- 1.) (5pts) Find parametric equations of the line through the point $P(5, 0, -2)$ that is parallel to the planes $x - 4y + 2z = 0$ and $2x + 3y - z + 1 = 0$.
 2.) (5pts) Identify and sketch the surface of equation $4x^2 + 4y^2 + z^2 + 8y - 4z = -4$.

1.) Let \vec{n}_1 and \vec{n}_2 normal vectors to the planes $x - 4y + 2z = 0$ and $2x + 3y - z + 1 = 0$.

$\vec{n}_1 \times \vec{n}_2$ is a vector that is parallel to both planes.

$$\vec{n}_1 \times \vec{n}_2 = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 1 & -4 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = \langle -2, 5, 11 \rangle.$$

Thus, the equation of the line is

$$\boxed{\frac{x-5}{-2} = \frac{y}{5} = \frac{z+2}{11}} \quad \text{Symmetric equations}$$

or

$$\left. \begin{cases} x = 5 - 2t \\ y = 5t \\ z = -2 + 11t \end{cases} \right\} \text{Parametric equations}$$

2.) $4x^2 + 4y^2 + z^2 + 8y - 4z = -4$
 $4x^2 + 4(y+1)^2 + (z-2)^2 = 4$
 $x^2 + (y+1)^2 + \frac{(z-2)^2}{4} = 1$

This is an ellipsoid.

