



THE KINGSMAN NEWSLETTER

Trinity Lutheran
School

Be Strong and Courageous. Joshua 1:9

October 14, 2020

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Oct. 15–16 No School
- Oct. 30 - ½ Half Dismissal 11:15am
1st Quarter ends
- Nov. 6 Report Cards sent Home
- Nov. 13 Popcorn Order Pickup
– Half Day Dismissal 11:15am
- Nov. 24 Picture Day Retakes

“How Do You Get Some R &R?”

“By the seventh day God had finished the work He had been doing; so on the seventh day He rested from all His work.”
Genesis 2:2

Was God tired after he created the world? Every year I ask my fourth grade religion class that question. Every year I usually get the same answer, “Yes, He created a lot of things. He would be tired.” Does God get tired, weary or worn out like us? I would say no. He may get weary of the way humans continue to sin and disobey Him, but God does not physically become tired.

We do. We need rest, relaxation and to be restored. On Thursday and Friday of this week your teachers will have the opportunity to reflect on the year so far. They will also have the opportunity to rest, relax and hopefully feel restored.

What do you do to regain your energy and refocus on your goals? We see in Jesus’ life that He withdrew from the crowds and got away; even from His own disciples. He took the time to have some one-on-one time with His Father in prayer. That is a great idea for all of us. I encourage you to take time in prayer with your heavenly Father. When you do, please remember to pray for your teachers and staff at Trinity. They appreciate your prayers and care.

Terry Bird

Reminder: **No School Thursday and Friday (October 15 & 16)** - Teachers have conferences and time to regroup.

Reminder for drop off and pick up: Please remember to pull all the way up on Pearl St. when unloading in the morning and picking up in the afternoon. This helps allow more students to be able to move in and out of their cars safely.
Thank you for your assistance!



SCHOOL NEWS

SMILE: Picture Day Orders Information

Order forms are available in the school office, but online ordering is strongly encouraged. You can order online at www.inter-state.com/order. Use order code: **51465PB**.



Picture Day Retakes: November 24, 2020

2019-2020 Yearbooks

We have a few yearbooks left! Get yours now for \$15.00 in the school office. Keep your memories forever!

Trinity Yard Signs

Have you picked up your free Trinity yard sign yet? We still have some. Come pick up yours today to show your Trinity pride from your yard!



Chapel News

October chapel funds will be sent to the LAMP Outreach Program. This program shares the word of Jesus to indigenous people in communities in remote northern Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and British Columbia through Christ-centered bible studies and other outreach programs. Each year over 5,000 children, youth, and adults are impacted by this program. The Chapel message is being sent virtually to all the students in their classrooms and until it is safe to return to Church. If you would like a copy of our Chapel's, please ask the school office.

Hot Lunch – FREE Lunches!

On August 31, 2020, the USDA extended free meals for kids through December or until the funds run out. Trinity's lunch program qualifies for this meaning that all of our students will be receiving free lunch through the USDA! If you currently have money in your lunch account, it will stay there until we have to charge for lunches again.

If your child orders just a milk to go with their cold lunch a \$0.40 charge will apply to your account.



Mom's in Prayer

"Mom's in Prayer" meets the second Friday of every month at 2:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. If you would like to join, please contact Shontel VanderLugt at shontelvlugt@yahoo.com. This year's Bible verse is Hosea 6:3.



KINGSMAN ATHLETICS

What's for Lunch?

Monday, Oct 19

Chicken tenders, potato wedges,
vegetable, fruit

Tuesday, Oct 20

Uncrustable, cheese stick, fruit, baby
carrots

Wednesday, Oct 21

Turkey Ham sub carrots w dip, fruit,
cheese, lettuce, tomato

Thursday, Oct. 22

Hot Ham sandwich, wheat bun,
french fries, vegetable, fruit

Friday, Oct. 23

Cheese pizza, tossed salad, fruit

Congratulations to the Girls Volleyball Team on a
great season!!



FUNDRAISING

The Popcorn Fundraiser is under way! Be sure to mark your calendars for popcorn pick day on November 13th!

Box Tops News

Thank you to those who have been collecting Box Tops for Education. Do you know that last year Trinity has raised **\$535.40** with the Box Tops that were turned into the office last school year? While there are some Box Tops to clip and turn in, the new way is to download the Box Top app and scan your receipt. Our school ID is 166967. Or you can turn your receipt into the school office and Jenna will scan it for you. Let's reach our goal of \$1000.00 for the 2020-2021 school year! **We have raised \$74.90 so far!! Thank you for supporting your school in a very easy way.**



ECC CONNECTION

PARKING LOT PROCEDURES:

Due to COVID we are using the whole parking lot for recess during the school day and after school as well. We have put cones out in the parking lot to protect the children and to separate them per COVID procedures. The entire parking lot by the green awnings will be blocked at all entrances starting at 9am when the first classes go outside for recess.

If you are coming to drop off your child and the cones are up **PLEASE DO NOT MOVE THEM.** Please park on Market Street and walk with your child to the awning doors. We are sorry for any inconvenience, but we need to be sure we are following our COVID guidelines and keeping your children safe. If you will be dropping off after 9am we encourage you to call the office at 269-983-0040 or your child's teacher when you arrive so we can meet you at the door.

We unblock the Market Street Entrance from 11am -11:20am for half day and Traditional preschool pick up and at 3pm at the end of the day. However, after 3pm we do still have some cones set up to protect our after school children and mark their area of play. Please do not pull past these cones when you come to pick up your children. We thank you for your patience and understanding as we work together for the safety of all our students and staff.

**We are still doing temperature checks and health screenings under the green awning each morning. As the weather gets colder we will be moving this further inside. Which means waiting your turn outside will be more difficult due to weather conditions. Once inside the building, please remember to keep social distancing and wearing a mask.

CHURCH NEWS

Worship information and upcoming church activities

Sundays: 8:00 a.m. Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
Or join us online on our Facebook page

We need your input to reestablish our Contemporary Worship service on Sundays at 9:15am. If you are interested in this service, please attend a meeting:

Sunday, October 18th at 9:15am in the gym.

We are seeking guidance and help for this re-start.

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The mission of Trinity Lutheran Church, School, and Early Childhood Center is to reach the world for Christ, making disciples by proclaiming the Gospel in Word and Sacrament through worship, Christian education, community outreach and contagious sharing of the faith in word and deed.

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