

THE KINGSMAN NEWSLETTER

REAL.PRESENT.GOD. Psalm 46:1

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The Kingsman Newsletter

Newsletter purpose

The Kingsman newsletter is a school publication printed weekly for parents, students, faculty and friends of Trinity Lutheran School. The newsletter serves as a communication vehicle for the school. Weekly editions are emailed to school families, and are available in the school and church offices, or at www.trinitystjoe.org. The article submission deadline is noon each Thursday, or noon on the next-to-last day of the school week.

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Trinity Lutheran School

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.

God is Real

NATIONAL LUTHERAN SCHOOLS WEEK (NLSW) is an occasion for joyful recognition and celebration. As The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, we celebrate the history and significance of Lutheran schools. Lutheran schools make an impact across the country and around the world. Tens of thousands of families enroll hundreds of thousands of children in Lutheran schools. However, what is most significant about Lutheran schools is that they worship, teach and share the Real. Present. God. The Real. Present. God. influences and empowers every day and every week in Lutheran schools. The Real. Present. God., who shares His presence with us in the person and atoning work of Jesus, is the very foundation of a Lutheran school.



Look throughout our newsletter today and help your family celebrate with the thousands across the country to celebrate Lutheran Schools. Check out the activities, different student dress, and worship opportunities that we can share the Real. Present. God. who is in our lives.

Mrs. Bird

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SCHOOL NEWS

School information to help you stay up-to-date



Daddy / Daughter Dance

The Daddy/ Daughter Dance is on February 22, 2019. We will be looking for Western themed props to loan. If you have any, please let the office know.

National Lutheran Schools Week

National Lutheran Schools Week will be January 28th-February 3rd. The theme this year is "Real. Present. God". Get ready to celebrate being a part of Trinity Lutheran School!!!

Monday, Jan. 28th

- **Pancakes with Pastor** 7-8:30am
 - Preschool-8 still starts at 8:00am.
- **COIN WAR** starts
- **Pajama Day**
 - Slippers only in the Classrooms
- **Y5-1 to the Whitcomb** 1-1:45pm
- **Dancing in the gym** 2:15pm

Tuesday, Jan. 29th

- **Science Fair** 6:30-7:30pm
- **Vacation Day**
 - Dress for your favorite vacation

Wednesday, Jan. 30th

- **Career Day/Community Helper Day**
 - Dress as a community helper or career
- **7th/8th to the Whitcomb** 2-2:45pm

Thursday, Jan. 31st

- **Past or Future Day**
 - Dress like the past or future
- **Hot chocolate w/ Chapel Families**

Friday, Feb. 1st

- **Coin WAR** ends
- **Chapel** 10:00am
- **Half day** of school, dismissed at 11:15am
- **Chapel Dress**



Lutheran Schools

87 High Schools	778 Elementary Schools
1,127 Early Childhood Centers	

Sharing the life-changing message of Jesus' love with more than **200,000** students, their families and the community

PROVIDING EXCELLENT ACADEMIC PREPARATION
DEVELOPING love for and excitement about learning
EXCELLING at reading, writing and effective communication
TRAINING minds for success at the next academic level
CREATING a strong work ethic, critical thinking skills and the ability to relate well with others

RAISING UP THE NEXT GENERATION OF FAITHFUL CHRISTIAN DISCIPLES
EXPERIENCING AND CELEBRATING God's lavish gifts of love, grace and mercy
SHARING those gifts with others
BEING TRANSFORMED by God's Word
CLINGING to the cross of Jesus

LEARN MORE: ☎888-THE LCMS (843-5267)
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THE LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSOURI SYNOD

Enrollment for 2019-2020 School Year Opens February 1st

Reserve your spot for the 2019-2020 school year between February 1st and March 15th. You may pay the total fee of \$250 or put down \$50 per student and pay the rest by June 1st or a late fee will be assessed. Otherwise enrollment fees are \$275 from March 16-June 1 and \$300 after June 1st. Scholarship applications for 2019-2020 are available in the school office and need to be turned in by May 1st for consideration for a scholarship. Scholarships do not cover enrollment fees.

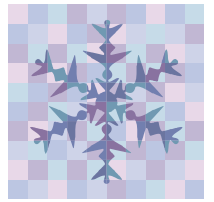


January Chapel

January Chapel funds will benefit MI Hearts for Jesus. This program offers district-wide programs that provide their own framework for Lutheran School chapel services. The Hearts for Jesus recipient for 2019 is Lutheran Association of Missionary Pilots (LAMP). LAMP outreach programs include: Leading Vacation Bible Schools and providing special events such as women's retreats in communities in remote northern Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and British Columbia. For more information you can visit their website at <https://www.lampministry.org/>.

Weather Closures

Trinity Day School and Traditional Preschool will close for weather conditions when the St. Joseph Public Schools close and will delay when St. Joseph Public Schools delay for weather. We will announce school closures through local television and radio announcements as well as Facebook and Fast Direct notifications. *If you would like to receive text or email alerts from Fast Direct when the notification is sent out please mark that in your parent information in Fast Direct or contact Jenna Wood.*



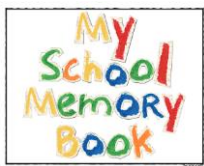
Cold-weather gear & NO snowballs

Please be sure your child has winter boots and cold-weather gear so they can stay warm and dry during their outside play time. Also, please help us ensure students' safety by reminding them of Trinity's no snowball rule.

We would like to welcome our new students 5th grader Lily and 3rd grader Parker!

Mom's in Prayer

"Mom's in Prayer" meets the last Thursday of every month at 2:00 p.m. in the downstairs Church Fellowship Hall. Childcare is provided and is free. Individual prayer requests may be turned into the School Office. Please join us in praying for our school, faculty, and students!



Get your Pictures in the Yearbook! The Yearbook Staff invites students and parents to submit photos for the yearbook. If you've got great photos of school and community events or you and your friends just having fun, we'd like to see them. Our photographers can't be everywhere. Help us get as many photos as possible to create a terrific book everyone will want to have.

Here is how you can submit photos online:

- Go to: <https://images.memoryebooks.com/login>
- If it does not automatically log you into the site, enter username: 411223672
- Browse to select the photo(s) you wish to upload.
- Enter information about the photo and provide contact information in case the staff needs additional information.
- Click "Save Details".

It's that easy! Submit your photos today!

The last day to submit photos is 06/10/2019.

KINGSMEN ATHLETICS

Athletic Events

Boys Basketball Club for 1st and 2nd Grade

The focus of this club is fundamentals and having fun learning about basketball. It will be Saturdays at 9:00am on January 26th. Contact Matt Koch at matthew6koch@gmail.com with any questions or to sign up.

Girls Basketball Schedule

Thursday, January 31

4:15pm 3rd-4th vs. LMC @ Trinity

5:15pm 5th-6th LMC @ Trinity

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FUNDRAISING

Opportunities to raise money for Trinity and its students



Box Tops, Aunt Millie's and Roger's: Remember to clip those Box Tops as you prepare holiday treats this season! Snip your bread and roll UPC codes from Aunt Millies, too! And while you're at it, save those Roger's Foodland receipts, too!



Spirit Wear for Sale

There are some left over shirts for sale: One black youth small long-sleeved for \$19 and two gray x-large t-shirts for \$16 each. Contact the school office if you would like to purchase one.



Superbooks are Here!

Stop in the church or school office today to purchase your Superbook Coupon Book. The cost for each book is \$40.00. They will also be available between church services in the Welcome Center on Sundays!

Silver Beach Pizza Give Back Night

The Silver Beach Pizza give back night earned our PTL \$348.39!!

ECC CONNECTION

Early Childhood information to help you stay up-to-date.

Construction Started!!

- With the start of construction, the southern hallway, aka the Pearl Street Hallway will be closed off for the most part. This means that we will not be able to use the Red Door into the Adventurers/Explorers area and will have to access that space through the cafeteria by the milk cooler - going through the Explorers end. The green doors into the cafeteria/art space will also be unavailable, as will the back "secret stairway" to the gym located on that same wall by the drinking fountains.
- Remember that the Infant Room has moved to the room next to the office, the SAC room has moved to the Children's Ministry Room and Y5/K after school care has moved to the Traditional Preschool Room on the main floor. If you have any questions please see Robyn in the office or your child's lead teacher.

Thank you for your patience and understanding as we move forward with our renovation plans.



Policy Reminder

Winter brings lots of fun times, but it also brings germs. Please be aware of any issues your student may be having. Help us stay healthy by keeping your child home if they are sick and do not return them to care too soon. They should be 24 hours fever, vomit and diarrhea free without medicine before returning to school. For illness that requires a doctor visit, a note from the doctor saying your child can return to care is needed. We have seen cases of croup, ear infections, pink eye and the flu to name just a few. Thank you in advance for your help in keeping everyone healthy for the holidays and beyond.

LUNCH MENU: Week of January 28

Milk provided with each hot lunch order

Mon: Split pea & ham soup, grilled cheese sandwich, mixed fruit, cookie
Tues: Beef taco, black beans, corn, apple, lettuce, tomato, cheese
Wed: Roasted chicken, mashed potatoes & gravy, broccoli, wheat roll, pears
Thur: Spaghetti with meat sauce, salad w/ cucumber, tomato & carrots, banana
Fri: No Lunch. Half Day

Check the lunch menu any time on the FastDirect website:
<https://ssl.fastdir.com/~fastdir/cgi/0138/Lunch.pl>

CALENDAR

Jan. 28-	National Lutheran Schools Week (NLSW)
Feb. 1	
Jan. 29	Science Festival – 6:30pm
Feb. 1	Chapel – ½ day 11:15 Dismissal
Feb. 1	Enrollment Begins
Feb. 3	NLSW Sunday – ECC – 8 Sing 10:30am
Feb. 5, 7	Parent-Teacher Conferences
Feb. 18	No School, President's Day
Feb 22	Daddy/Daughter Dance

CHURCH NEWS

Worship information and upcoming church activities

- Sundays** 8:00 a.m. Worship Service
 9:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service
 9:15 a.m. Bible Study and Salvation Station Sunday School
 10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Special Invitation For
 All who wish to learn more about the teachings of the Christian Church.

This class will also prepare people for membership in the Lutheran Church. But you are under no obligation to join the church.

It is also an excellent review for those who were confirmed years ago.

Adult Instruction Class
 Trinity Center for Ministry
 (Corner of Main & Pearl)
 619 Main Street, St. Joseph, MI 49085

Beginning Tuesday, January 8, 2019
 6:30-8:00 p.m.
 (10 week session)

Childcare will be provided.
All materials provided.

Please share this invitation with a friend.
 Better yet, bring your friend with you to this class.

If you have any questions,
 call Pastor Roth at 983-5000

Pancakes with the Pastor



Come and enjoy pancakes and sausage prepared and served by Pastor Roth and Vicar Andrzejewski, Deacon Scott Kizer and other staff members

From 7:00 – 8:30 am
Monday, January 28, 2019
In the Church Fellowship Hall

In honor of
National Lutheran Schools Week
January 28th – February 3rd

*This is for all our students and parents.
 The congregation and all alumni are invited as well.
 Free will donation to offset the cost is appreciated.*



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