



# Good News Trinity!



**2023 / 2024**

**February 9, 2024**

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Feb 10 5pm Annual Auction Fundraiser
- Feb 11 PreK & Kinder sing @ 10:45am service
- Feb 16 Pizza & Italian Soda Fundraiser
- Feb 19 No School - President's Day
- Feb 23 11:30am Early Release  
STEAM Fair
- Mar 1 Pizza & Italian Soda Fundraiser
- Mar 17-22 8th Trip to Washington DC
- Mar 22 11:30am Early Release
- Mar 25-Apr 1 Spring Break!

### The Mission of TLS:

Celebrating Real Hope for Real People in Jesus

### The Vision of TLS:

Responding to the grace of God in Jesus Christ, we partner with families in the nurture and education of their children for service to Christ on earth and for eternity.

### Our Values:

- Proclaim Jesus Christ
- Nurture Faith
- Achieve Academic Excellence
- Serve in Love
- Show Integrity
- Instill Lifelong Learning



Wednesday, February 14 is not only Valentine's Day, but it is also Ash Wednesday. What a perfect combination to celebrate Jesus' love for us and to be reminded of the tremendous sacrifice that was given for you and me.

Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of Lent. Lent is a 40 day period (excluding Sundays) and is a time of preparation for Easter marked by repentance and reflection that ultimately leads up to the celebration of Easter.

During chapel on Wednesday, we will acknowledge and celebrate Ash Wednesday by offering to place a cross on the forehead of the children and teachers. We give students the option to have the cross on their foreheads or on their hand.

The ashes are typically obtained by burning the palms from the previous year's Palm Sunday. The imposition of ashes is often accompanied by the words, "Remember that you are dust, and to dust you shall return."

Lent is a time for personal reflection and repentance. Often people talk about giving something up for the season of Lent. This tradition was started with fasting on select days during Lent. This has evolved to giving up something that is important to the individual. Maybe this would be desserts, chocolate, soda, or social media. In recognition of the sacrifice Jesus made for us, individuals make a personal sacrifice. In past years I have given up peanut butter, diet coke or chocolate.

Lent can also be a time to be more diligent about studying God's word and being in prayer. For me this year, instead of taking something away, I am going to add to my prayer time and to the reading of God's word.

How will you spend your 40 days leading up to the celebration of Easter?



## Chapel

February 14 (Ash Wednesday)	Pastor Brian
February 21	2nd Grade
February 28	Gideon

Chapel starts at 8:20am and parents, grandparents and family are always welcome!

In January and February our chapel offering will go to Lutheran World Relief.

## Families In Touch

This coming week we will be lifting up our 5th grade students, their families, Mr. Peiffer in prayer.

## SALT Opportunities

Each family (K-8th) is asked to serve 25 volunteer hours each year\*. This can also be donated to the school at a rate of \$20/hour. Here are some available options for serving:

- Pizza & Italian Soda fundraiser [SIGNUP](#)
- Hang artwork in the halls Friday afternoons
- Clean the school kitchen each Friday after 1pm: mop, wipe counters and cupboards
- Sign up for Snow Shoveling [HERE](#)
- Help in the library: Friday 10-noon and 12:30-3pm: read to kids, shelve books or work on library projects (call Joanna Wirth to schedule 406.253.7514)

*Parents are responsible for recording their SALT hours. Please use the new app or the notebook in the school office to record.*

## Quicklinks:

[Educate](#) - informational [video](#)  
(email the office for password resets)

[TADs Tuition Accounts](#)

[School Year Calendar](#)

[Middle School Website](#)

[Hot Lunch Website](#)



## [Right Now Media](#)

Have you tried Right Now Media lately? This is a series for ages 6-12 that your family may enjoy.

<https://app.rightnowmedia.org/join/TLSKallispell>

*The Creators* tells the story of a group of friends who join forces to create films that are “meaningful, virtuous, and good.” Both clever and creative, *The Creators* weaves biblical truths into engaging stories with humor and the right dose of seriousness. Enjoy this light-hearted children’s series that will make your kids laugh and leave them with important truths to consider.

[The Creators :: RightNow Media](#)

## [Save the Date](#)

We would like to honor and celebrate Mrs. MacGregor with an Open House Brunch on Saturday, May 18 at 9:00. Everyone is welcome to attend. Please share this with others who may have had Mrs. MacGregor for a teacher.

## [Hiring](#)

Trinity School is currently seeking names of qualified individuals interested in teaching pre-k beginning in August, 2024. Applicants should have a BA in elementary ed and / or early childhood education or an equivalent through experience. To inquire about this position, please contact Laura White at [LauraWhite@Trinityed.org](mailto:LauraWhite@Trinityed.org).

## [Alumni Scholarship](#)

Do you know a student graduating from high school who is also Trinity Alumni? Trinity offers a scholarship to high school graduates who are pursuing higher education. The scholarship application is available on our website under the “more” tab.



The 2024-25 ACE Scholarship is OPEN!  
The application is open Monday, February 5th thru April 15th! Have questions? Stop by the office!

**Here is the link to our state’s application: [Montana application](#)**

## [Missoula Children’s Theatre](#)



Mark you calendars! April 22-27!



## [Girls Basketball Schedule](#)

Girls basketball is in full swing! Come support our 5th-8th grade girls! Check [HERE](#) for their schedule!



## Auction Raffle Sales Final Numbers!!

**School Total Sales:**

**2410**

**Top Classes:**

**7th - 393**

**6th - 361**

**PreK - 238**

**8th - 202**

**Top Individual Sellers:**

**(not 7th & 8th - their \$ goes toward DC trip)**

**Annabelle Seltmann - 112**

**Harry Hudson - 80**

**Hobbs Thompson - 70**

**Jenna Morris - 68**



# TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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**Worship Schedule**

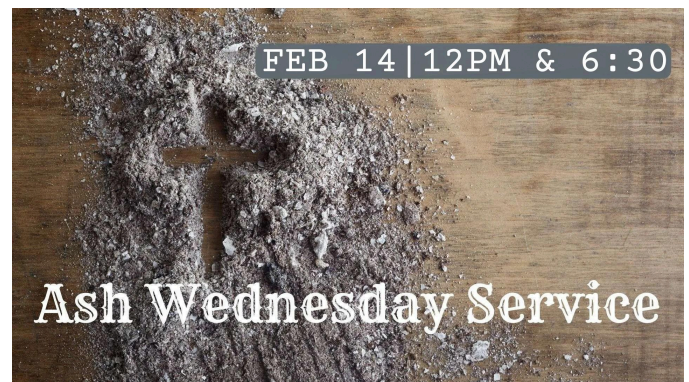
8:00 am - Traditional

9:30 am - Sunday School & Bible Studies

10:45 - Blended/Contemporary Worship

Watch sermons online [HERE](#)

**Current Sermon Series:**



**New Member Classes!**

**Join us Sunday afternoons  
on**

**March 3 & 10 ~ 2-4 pm in the**

## Fellowship Hall!

Questions? Call Pastor Brian at

406.909.0357

[Register Here](#)

**GRIEF SHARE®**  
Feb 4 - April 28

**Sundays from 1-3pm**

Register online at [GriefShare.org](http://GriefShare.org)  
Join the 13 week class at anytime  
No cost to register