



January 13, 2023

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Jan. 20	Steam Fair
	Early dismissal @ 11:30am
Jan 22	K-8th Grade Sing @ 10:45am
Jan 22-27	Lutheran Schools Week
Jan 23	1st Girls Basketball Games @
	Evergreen & TLS
Jan 27	Pizza & Italian Soda Fundraiser
Feb 7	Class Pictures & Girls Basketbal
Feb 12	PreK & Kinder Sing @ 10:45am

~ School Year Calendar ~

~ Hot Lunch website ~

The Mission of TLS:

Knowing Jesus Through Education

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



Principal's Corner

This past Sunday, Trinity church held a vision event. At this event, several big announcements were made.

- New vision, mission and values statements were revealed.
- Trinity Kalispell will be involved in a small group relational Bible study called Rooted.
- 3) In conjunction with the childcare, Trinity will be offering full-day Pre-K. (See details in a separate article)
- 4) Trinity will be offering a second 1st grade.

Mission Statement: Real Hope for Real People in Jesus.

Impact + Inspire + Share

Vision Statement: We are a church that seeks to make an impact within our community, to inspire growth with the truth of Jesus, as we share hope with all generations.

Values:

- Rooted in Biblical truth
- Focused on Jesus
- Joyful in Worship
- Community Minded
- Mercy for the Broken
- Everyone is Loved and Valued
- Intentional Hospitality

The Strategic planning committee used the surveys you and the congregation participated in to help formulate these statements.

All of us will now be working to put action into these statements.

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.

- Sell <u>Raffle Tickets</u> in the community on Saturdays in February
- Volunteer to <u>shovel</u> school sidewalks this winter
- Help with future Pizza & Italian Soda Fundraiser Days
- Help make <u>Lutheran Schools Week</u> AMAZING!!
- Ask your child's teacher how you can help

Parents are responsible for recording their SALT hours. The notebook for recording hours is in the school office.

Half of your SALT hours (12.5 hours = \$250) are due by January 31 or will be charged to your TADs account in February. Any unfinished second half of your SALT will be assessed in May and added to your TADs account in June.

	<u>Chapei</u>
January 18	Mr. Rehbein
January 25	Pastor Matt
February 1	4th grade
February 8	Mrs. White
February 15	Pastor Matt
February 22	2nd Grade

Offering for January and February will go to philsfriends.org. We have set a goal of making 200 cards for cancer patients.





Pre-K

Mr. Hollady, our childcare director and Mrs. White will be working closely together to be able to offer a seamless full-day of care for Pre-K students.

Please be assured that Mrs. MacGregor's high quality, age appropriate pre-k program will not change. Mrs. MacGregor has grown her program to be something that stands out in the community. Our goal is to have the childcare and pre-k programs compliment each other and work more closely together. One way you will see changes will be in the enrollment and billing process. We want to make this process easier for families.

You can look for new information coming out by enrollment time in March.

STEAM Fair

The STEAM Fair is Friday, January 20th from 8:30-11:30am or you can view after students sing at church on Sunday the 22nd.

View PK-8th grade science and art pieces, including the Middle School Science Fair Projects!

If you have a science background and would be interested in helping judge middle school projects on Friday the 20th, please email Mrs. Elliott at sarahelliott@trinityed.org.

Christmas Cards

Did you receive some beautiful Christmas cards that are now laying on the kitchen counter? Are you wondering what to do with them? We could use them for Adventures in Advent this next December. Just tear off the decorative cover and bring them to the school office.

Nation Lutheran Schools Week

Trinity's entire K-8 will be singing in worship at Trinity on Sunday, January 22nd at the 10:45 service to kick off National Lutheran Schools Week. Students do not need to arrive early, and may sit with families. They will be called up during the middle of the service to sing.

Thank you for helping these kids give back through song to a congregation that blesses our school both financially and spiritually!

A schedule of special events and dress up themes is attached with this email!

Sign up <u>HERE</u> to help make Lutheran Schools Week AMAZING!!

Music Department

Dear TLS Families.

I understand the surprise this letter might bring for many people who know me mostly as a music teacher. Moving from 4th grade to the music position three years ago was a giant blessing and opportunity for me. I can say with all sincerity it was a great change. I realize the gifts God has given me in education and music, and it's truly a blessing to have been given the chance to use them again. If I were to continue in education, I see no school other than Trinity to teach at.

With that said, next academic year I'll be taking a step away from education in order to pursue a life-long passion of entrepreneurship. Over the last five years, my reselling business has grown to a point I can't manage both it and the classroom workload. While teaching brings me great joy, I've made the decision to change my focus and make my business my full time work.

Trinity will continue to be our family's church and school home. Erika fully intends to continue in her call as the second grade teacher. I'd like to thank you for the honor and privilege of working with your children the past six years. Please feel free to reach out if there is any other clarification needed, or I can answer any questions.

Blessings, Tim Rehbein



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Current Sermon Series



Check it out <u>HERE</u> if you missed the in-person version Sunday!

Remember to <u>log your attendance</u> when you view any worship service online.



If you were unable to attend the 2023 Vision Event, here are some short clips with important information about Trinity Ministries!

Rooted Portion
Announcements Portion
Mission Vision Values Portion

Grief Share

Have you or someone you know lost a loved one in the last year or two? Trinity Lutheran Church will once again be offering a Grief Share support group starting February 12 th . They meet each Sunday from 2- 4 pm in the youth center. This is an open class and members can join anytime during the thirteen weeks. Registration is available online at www.griefshare.org. Find a Group, and by selecting Kalispell as the local area.



Are you wondering like many others "What is ROOTED?"

Rooted is a 10-week small-group discipleship journey that inspires questions, conversations, and experiences designed to connect people to God, the Church, and their purpose.

Rooted positions our discipleship ministry for success by building community around His Word and the rhythms Jesus desires for our life.

Join us in the Fellowship Hall from 9:30 – 10:30 am to find out more details about this small group discipleship experience Trinity will be offering. ROOTED LAUNCH will be January 22, 2023 at 6 PM for 10 weeks.

Online registration available at ROOTED Registration Form

Contact Shannon Ritter with questions in the church office or by email at sritter@trinitykalispell.org

TRINITY LUTHERAN CAMP

Hello from Camp!

Come join us for a weekend at camp! Take a break from homework, and bring your friends to camp! Good food, games, all of your favorite peeps will be there. :) Everyone is welcome!

High School retreat is March 3-5th Middle School Retreat is March 17-18th Shuttle available on Friday to camp.

Register online ASAP!

www.trinitylutherancamp.org

See ya at Camp!

Melanie Reiner

Auction Update



Event tickets are SOLD OUT!

Raffle Tickets sales roled out on Wednesday!
Did you see the envelope come home?
Here are the amazing prizes you can win:

o INDIVIDUAL GOALS:

- *Every 5 tickets sold = *Cool Toy* from the office AND parents earn 1 SALT hour! (You are responsible for logging the SALT hour(s) in the office)
- *50-99 tickets sold = \$50 Gift Card
- *100+ tickets sold = \$100 Gift Card
- *Top Individual seller = \$250 Gift Card

o CLASS GOALS:

*100+ = Duck Tape Mr. Peiffer to the Wall PreK only = Bring a Stuffy to School Day *200+ = Inflatable Bumper Ball Fun in the Gym PreK-1st = bus ride to ice cream

o WHOLE SCHOOL GOAL - 2,200+ sold:

*Pre-K - Bounce House Celebration

*K-4th - Movie at Theater w/ Kid's Snack Pack

*5th-8th - Movie at Theater w/Small Popcorn & Drink



Please Help our School Grow!

Accepting donations now in the school office.

Mon - Fri 8:30am - 3pm

Donation deadline: Feb 28, 2023

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Community News

