



# Good News Trinity!

...so others may see the light.



## Luke 11:33

October 28, 2022

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Oct 28 Early Release 11:30am - End of Qtr
- Oct 30 Trunk or Treat 2-3:30pm
- Nov 3 Early Release 11:30am  
BLAST Babysitters Class 12-4pm
- Nov 4 No School - Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Nov 7-11 Fall Book Fair
- Nov 11 Veteran's Day Celebration @ 11:00
- Nov 13 5th-8th Grade Sing @ 10:45am Service
- Nov 21-25 Thanksgiving Break
- Nov 29 Christmas Boutique
- Nov 30 Picture Retakes & Fall Sports Pictures

~ [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 coming Monday, October 31 is Halloween. There will come a time in the life of every parent when he or she will have to decide what to do with Halloween. Will we celebrate it in a safe and fun way with the family or will we choose to ignore it? There seems to be a risk of judgment from others no matter which road you choose. It is difficult to completely ignore this day when you enter Target, Walmart or Costco from early September until Halloween to find decorations galore. The retail world has made this a day that you cannot ignore.

Because Halloween is such a business, as Christian, we can take advantage of this and use it to turn on a light for God's word. Ephesians 5:16 encourages us to "make the most of every opportunity," Halloween is what you and your family make it out to be.

Here are a few ideas on how you can make your light shine on this Halloween.

- Carve a cross in your pumpkin and let your light shine on your front porch.
- Dress as a character from the Bible.
- Have neighborhood friends over for a meal and begin with prayer.
- Our kindergarten classes let their lights shine in the neighborhood by doing a reverse trick or treating. They take a message, a paper pumpkin and a treat to houses in the neighborhood.
- Pray for safety in our community as children and families are out trick or treating.

## Thank you

It was so nice to see all the children singing in church this past Sunday. Thank you for making this a priority. Their voices were truly a blessing to the congregation.

## 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.

- Sign up [HERE](#) to help with Trunk or Treat
- Sign up [HERE](#) to help with the Fall Book Fair
- Sign up [HERE](#) to help with future Pizza & Italian Soda Fundraiser Days
- Shredding
- Ask your child's teacher how you can help.
- Be an extra person in the lunchroom from 11:30 - 12:15. Can't be there everyday? What day would you like to volunteer?
- Class auction project helper.

*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.*

## Chapel

November 2	Pastor Brian
November 9	6th grade
November 16	Pastor Brian
November 30	Mrs. White

We raised **\$233.16** for the heart locker. Thank you for your cash donations and hygiene items that will go to help our community.

November and December we are supporting the Flathead Food Bank. Students can bring in non-perishable food items and / or cash.

## Boys Basketball Game Schedule

First Games Today!

Fri. Oct. 28th  
5/6th 4pm @ home vs. WF Christian  
7/8th 5pm @ home vs. WF Christian

Tues. Nov. 8th  
5/6th 4pm @ Somers  
7/8th 5pm @ Somers

## Individual Picture Orders

It's not too late to order your child's school pictures!  
You have thru Sunday night (10/30) to order online.

swanlakestudio.com  
Order Code:72102NA



Our 3rd Annual Trunk or Treat is here!

Date: October 30

Time: 2:00 - 3:30

Place: Trinity Gym Parking Lot

Sign up to join in the fun [HERE!](#)

Questions?? Email Jenn at [dare2love1@live.com](mailto:dare2love1@live.com)

## Parent / Teacher Conferences

Parent / Teacher conferences are scheduled for November 3 and 4. This individual time you have scheduled with your child's teacher is very important. As you prepare for your child's conference please keep these things in mind:

- Please be on time for your conference.
- Prepare a list of questions you may have ahead of time. This will keep your conversation focused.
- If you go over your allotted time, you may have to schedule a second time. This will give you time for all your questions and still be respectful of the person next in line.
- Come away from the conference with at least one goal for the second quarter.



## Veteran's Day Celebration

Trinity Lutheran School is excited to honor our Veterans, and all Veterans and friends are invited to our celebration! On Friday, November 11<sup>th</sup>, join us for breakfast at 9:30am in the Fellowship Hall served by our 8<sup>th</sup> graders, then stay for a special assembly in the Sanctuary at 11:00am, led by all our students. Thank you for serving our country and allowing us the opportunity to honor you!

\*\*If you have a photo of a special veteran in your life that you would like to have included in this year's slideshow, please email a photo along with the Veteran's name and branch of service to Sarah Elliott by Wednesday, November 9<sup>th</sup> ([sarahelliott@trinityed.org](mailto:sarahelliott@trinityed.org)). Please note that we still have photos submitted last year, so there is no need to resend; new submissions welcome!

## Kids Clinic being Offered

Montana Health & Safety Training is offering Babysitting Safety Class!

Sign up at:

<https://montanahealthandsafety.com/>

### **BLAST Babysitters Safety Class**

4 hours / \$50

Nov. 3rd @ Noon



#### **KIDS WILL HAVE A B.L.A.S.T.**

BABYSITTING LESSONS AND SAFETY TRAINING  
WWW.MONTANAHEALTHANDSAFETY.COM

Kids will learn babysitting basics including safety, CPR for Child, and Infant as well as beginning first aid. Includes book and certificate of completion. \$50 must pre-register online. Class will be held at Trinity Lutheran School in Kalispell, 406-314-7024



[www.montanahealthandsafety.com](http://www.montanahealthandsafety.com)

## Ball Girls at Last Weeks Volleyball Game!



## Glacier Football Players hangout w/ 5th Grade!



[www.trinitykalispell.org](http://www.trinitykalispell.org)

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## Current Sermon Series



Check it out [HERE](#) if you missed the in-person version Sunday!

Remember to [log your attendance](#) when you view any worship service online.

## It's time for Trinity Kalispell New Member Classes!



Join us this Sunday, October 30th from Noon - 2:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. Chili lunch will be provided!

Pastor Brian will also be scheduling meetings with individuals / families outside of the class. Contact the church office at [trinity@trinitykalispell.org](mailto:trinity@trinitykalispell.org)!



Our theme this year is "From Creation to Chaos." Sunday School is for ages 4 through High School and everyone is welcome! Call the church office @ 406.257.5683 if you need more details!

### **Intentional Parenting**

How would you define a "peaceful home"? Kids (and adults) are often in combat all day long. Kids are in battles with bullies, pressure, conformity, and body image. If kids know they can come home to a house that's safe, it helps them withstand some of the pressures, the stress, the comparisons, the put-downs, and the temptations. Romans 8:6, "Letting the Holy Spirit control your mind, leads to life and peace."

Doug Fields, Director of Homeward Center for Youth & Families defines a peaceful home as:

- Where there is DISCIPLINE, but not a lot of yelling.
- Where there are BOUNDARIES, but not a lot of rules.
- Where parents are WELCOMING to friends.
- Where parents are GENEROUS with encouraging words and affection.
- Where the marriage is HEALTHY.
- Where they're FREE from comparison with siblings.
- Where they can be THEMSELVES and don't have to pretend.

More helpful tips available at RightNow Media "Intentional Parenting" series.

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