



# Good News Trinity!



2023 / 2024

March 8, 2024

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Mar 17-22 8th Trip to Washington DC
- Mar 22 11:30am Early Release
- Mar 25-Apr 1 Spring Break!
- Apr 11 Talent Show 2pm
- Apr 12 NO SCHOOL - Conferences
- Apr 22-27 Missoula Children's Theatre
- Apr 30 6pm 5-8th Spring Concert
- Apr 30-May 2 Spring PaperPie Book Fair
- May 3 Field Day
- May 9 7/8th Band Festival
- May 14 2pm K-4th Spring Concert
- May 16 5/6th Band Festival
- May 18 9am Retirement Celebration for Mrs. MacGregor

### 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



When you work, do you like it completely quiet, or do you like some noise in the background? If you like noise, would this be quiet instrumental music, music with words or white noise like a rain, wind or a waterfall?

There is no right or wrong answer and for you it may vary depending on your activity. If I need to really focus, I need music without words. If I'm cooking or doing something creative, I like music with words. If it has been a busy, noisy day, sometimes I just want it to be completely quiet.

The same is true for your student whether in the classroom or at home.

Research shows promise for children with reading disabilities and those with ADHD. In two separate studies, both conclude that white noise shows benefit for children who struggle with decoding and those with ADHD.

Most people have heard of white noise. It's noise that is just dull in the background. There are also several colors of noise. Green noise is basically nature sounds. Brown noise contains low tones and is good for relaxing.

You may consider adding some background noise for your child when they are doing their school work. Take note if there are noticeable changes in your child's ability to focus.

Many of our classrooms will play music, or nature sounds at various times throughout the day. Our teachers are so good at knowing when it would be an appropriate time to add a little noise to help students focus.



## Chapel

March 13  
March 20

1st Grade  
Pastor Brian

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

In January, February & March our chapel offering will go to Lutheran World Relief. \$218 raised so far!

In April & May we will be blessing Trinity Camp again with supplies and funds!

## Families In Touch

This coming week we will be lifting up our Childcare, Church & School support staff and the School Board 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](#)
- Spring PaperPie Book Fair [SIGNUP](#)
- Deliver thank you cards to Auction Donors - talk to TanjaHeuscher@trinityed.org
- 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)

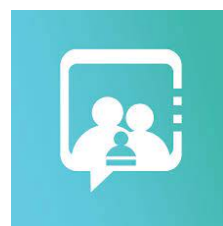
*Parents are responsible for recording their SALT hours. Please use the new app or the notebook in the school office to record.*



## ParentApps

Have you downloaded our new school app? It's pretty amazing!

- weekly newsletters
- report a tardy or absence
- record SALT hours



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## Jars

Trinity was recently given some old jars. Some of the jars are very unique, beautiful and interesting. Some may also have some value for a collector. We have taken what we could use, but still have an abundance. We will put the jars out on the table in the entryway. If you are interested in any of them, you are welcome to make a small donation to Trinity.

## County Science Fair

Trinity was represented well at the County Science Fair. We are proud of our 6th, 7th and 8th graders!

Thank you to Mrs. Elliott for her leadership in preparing our students for this fair.

**Total Cash - \$380**

**Specialty Awards - 2**

**Grand Champions - 5**

**Reserve Champions - 13**

**Blues - 5**

**Reds - 9**

### 6th

Physical

- Grand Champion
  - Devin Copeland - \$20
  - Lillian Kinkel
- Reserve Champion
  - Caralina Henry
- Blue
  - Madelyn Lee
- Red
  - Austin Evans
  - Annah Glimm

Biological

- Grand Champion
  - Evelyn Martin - \$20
- Reserve Champion
  - Jenna Morris
  - Aliyah Maestas
  - Laikin Heuscher
- Blue
  - Evy Smith
- Red
  - Charles Hagemeyer

### 7th

Physical

- Grand Champion
  - Katrina Bochman - \$50
- Reserve Champion
  - Jenica Burkholder
  - Jubal Wirth
- Blue
  - Audrey Mitchell
  - Samuel Burns
  - Ada Thiel
- Red
  - Greyson Schwartz
  - Lawson Heuscher
  - Coleson Baller
  - Jimmy Winchester

Biological

- Reserve Champion
  - Cash Hadley - \$20
  - Cosy Young
- Red
  - Hudson Wildhaber
  - Emmitt Dose

### 8th

Physical

- Reserve Champion
  - Allie Goff - \$20
  - Ella Stehr
  - Grace Byerley
- Red
  - Adam Dickerson

Biological

- Grand Champion
  - Brecken Thorn - \$50
- Reserve Champion
  - Audrey Rasmussen
  - Aubrie Hagemeyer
- Red
  - Isaac Pickering

### Specialty

- Audubon Society - Brecken Thorn - \$50
- Parson's Tractor Agricultural Award - Cash Hadley - \$150



The 2024-25 ACE Scholarship is OPEN!  
The application is open NOW thru April 15th!  
Have questions? Stop by the office!  
Here is the link to our state's application: [Montana application](#)

### Bell System

You have probably noticed that our bell system is not working. The bell system that Trinity has is original to the building so is most likely more than 60 years old. The system served us well, but it tolled it's last toll over Thanksgiving break. Since that time, we have contacted companies to get bids to update this system. Just this week we received a third bid and should be able to soon make a decision.

### 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.

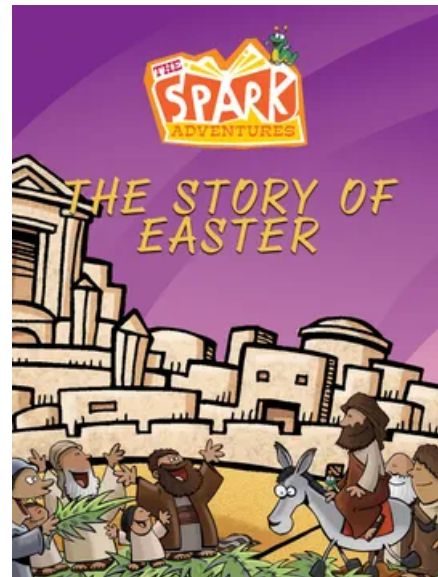
### Missoula Children's Theatre



Mark your calendars! April 22-27!

### Right Now Media

Have you tried Right Now Media lately?



### The Story of Easter :: RightNow Media

The Story of Jesus' resurrection comes alive for children in this animated show. Based on the award-winning Spark Story Bible, The Story of Easter will captivate children as they learn about God's love for the world through the miraculous life and ministry of Jesus.



### Cross Country

Hard to believe that it's almost time for Cross Country Season! [HERE](#) is the meet schedule.



Sports schedules can be found on our website and on the app too!





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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:**

## Christ for you

THREE WORDS THAT RESURRECT THE DEAD

## Midweek Worship Thursdays @ 6:30pm

February 22 & 29

March 7, 14, 21

## Holy Week

Maundy Thursday 6:30

Good Friday 12 & 6:30

## Easter

7 - Worship

8 - 10:30 - Breakfast

9 - Worship

10 - Egg Hunt

11 - Worship

### Community News

# PLAY RUGBY



FLATHEAD VALLEY BLACK & BLUE

U12 BOYS & GIRLS

U14 BOYS & GIRLS

U16 BOYS

U19 BOYS & GIRLS



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