



Good News Trinity!



2023 / 2024

October 13, 2023

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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| Oct 20 | Pizza & Italian Soda Fundraiser |
| Oct 19 | Individual School Pictures
(PreK Red pics on Oct 20) |
| | Boys Basketball Practice begins! |
| Oct 29 | 1st-4th Sing @ 10:45am Service |
| Oct 27 | 11:30am Early Release |
| Oct 29 | Trunk or Treat 2-4pm |
| Oct 30-Nov 2 | PaperPie (Usborne) Book Fair |
| Nov 1-3 | NO SCHOOL - Parent/Teacher
Conferences |
| Nov 10 | Veterans Day Celebration 2:30pm
Dessert to follow |
| Nov 12 | 5th-8th Sing @ 10:45 Worship Service |
| Nov 20-24 | Thanksgiving Break |

The Mission of TLS:

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



Principal's Corner

Attendance Matters!

- Thank you parents for making appointments on school out days or before and after school hours.
- Please call the school office to report **all** absences.
- Thank you for arriving at school by 8:00. Class starts at 8:10, so arriving by 8:00 gives your child 10 minutes to get ready for the day and settle into their classes.
- Arriving a few minutes early is a good life skill. As adults we arrive early to a job so we have time to hang up our coats, get a cup of coffee and greet our coworkers. The same is true for students, they need this time in the morning. You are helping to mold future employees.
- On the off chance that your child does arrive late, please sign your child into the office. Please do not walk your child to class. This causes an extra disruption since class has already started.
- Is it hard for your child to say goodbye and to separate from you at the classroom door? If this is the case, I would encourage you to use the drop off loop. Then the goodbye is happening at the car door. Your child will also see other children and can walk into school with a classmate instead of their parent.
- If your family has a planned absence, please notify the classroom teacher well in advance.



Chapel

October 18
October 25

Mrs. White
7th Grade

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

Chapel offering for September and October will go to Emmanuel Lutheran School in Maui. Funds will support their school families who were affected by the Maui fire.

Families In Touch

This week we will be lifting up our 4th grade students, their families, Miss Groeling and Mrs. Martin 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](#)
- Volunteer in the library on Fridays. See specific class times below.
- Volunteer in the lunchroom. (11:30 - 12:00 for grades 1-4 and 12:00 - 12:20 for grades 5-8)
- Hang artwork in the halls Friday afternoons
- Clean the school kitchen each Friday after 1pm: mop, wipe counters and cupboards
- Participate in Trunk or Treat. Sign up [HERE](#)
- We are looking for a SCRIP Coordinator - Info below!
- Sign up for Concessions during the Boys Basketball Season [HERE](#)
- Buy items off the Amazon Auction [Wishlist](#)

Quicklinks:

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

[TADs Tuition Accounts](#)

[School Year Calendar](#)

[October Lunch Menu](#)

[Hot Lunch Website](#)

[Middle School Website](#)

Band Club

Band club will only meet on Wednesdays beginning October 18. If you have questions, please contact Mr. Freeman at DanielFreeman@Trinityed.org

The Wonder of God's Creation

Tomorrow, we will have the opportunity to experience a partial annular solar eclipse as the moon passes between the Earth and Sun! While the eclipse won't completely block the sun's light, a unique "Ring of Fire" will occur in the direct path. In Montana, since we aren't in the direct path, coverage will be between 60-70% beginning about 9am and concluding around noon, with peak coverage in Kalispell at about 10:30am. Here are a few tips and tools to enjoy this super cool event:

- Never look directly into the sun! ☀️
- Only use specially designed eclipse glasses to protect your eyes; regular sunglasses are not a safe alternative 🕶️
- Create a safe eclipse viewer as a family using a cereal box:
<https://science.nasa.gov/resource/eclipse-cereal-box-viewer/>

God's Creation is pretty amazing!

-Mrs. Elliott, Middle School Science teacher

Class Auction Projects

We will begin creating class auction projects next month, and each grade has some exciting needs on our Amazon wishlist. Thank you in advance for donating one or more items to help us cross everything off our list! We appreciate the [wishlist](#) items that have already arrived!

TLS is Hiring

We are sad to say that Mrs. Phillips, our teacher assistant in 2nd grade, has accepted another job in her field of study. Mrs. Phillips has been a great team with Mrs. Rehbein and she will be missed by the teachers, staff and students.

If you, or someone you know, would be interested in working in second grade alongside Mrs. Rehbein, please contact Mrs. White (laurawhite@trinityed.org). Along with an hourly pay, employees also receive a tuition discount.

Thrivent Members

Calling all Thrivent members! If you have not yet applied for your two Action Team grants for this calendar year and are willing to apply for a \$250 grant to support a classroom auction project, please reach out to Mrs. Elliott at sarahelliott@trinityed.org. She will help you with all the details and application process. Thanks for considering!

Teacher Assistant Sub

Would you be interested in serving as a substitute for a teacher assistant? We have teacher assistants in Pre-kindergarten, kindergarten, 2nd, 3rd and 4th grade. If you are interested and would like more details, please contact Mrs. White at LauraWhite@Trinityed.org.

Adventures in Advent

We are collecting jars for Adventures in Advent. Please bring in your clean mayo, pickle or jelly jars to the office. It is even better if you can get the label off of them.

STEM Items needed

Miss Groeling and Miss Ogilvie are requesting some items you may have at your home and are willing to donate. The items can be old and even in poor condition and they will still take them. They are looking for: pool noodles, pvc pipe, cardboard, paper towel tubes, duck tape, dominoes or jenga blocks. All items can be brought to the STEM tub in the foyer by the school office.

TLS Shirts

Parents, would you like a TLS shirt with this years' theme? They can be purchased in the office for \$10. Come pick your size!





Get your costumes ready!
 Invite your friends and neighbors!
 Sign up [HERE](#) to decorate your trunk and be a part of the fun!

Right Now Media

RightNow Media is a Christian Streaming platform with tons of content for your family.

If you missed your invitation to join RightNow Media, follow this [LINK](#).



Bibleman is back in a new animated series for the whole family! Join Bibleman and his team as they fight evil with the power of God's Word! The Bible Team is here to save the day by bringing kids to Jesus. Join

Bibleman and Biblegirl to use the Word of God to defeat the villains Dr. Fear, the Baroness, the Master of Maybe, and many more!

<https://app.rightnowmedia.org/en/content/details/229971>

You won't want to miss this great opportunity, and it's all free. This is a gift from Trinity Lutheran School.

rightnow MEDIA

2023 Trinity Boys Basketball

- Who can participate?
 - ◆ All Trinity boys in grades 5th through 8th
- When are games and practices?
 - ◆ Practices and games fall on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday between 3:30 and 5:30pm
 - Schedules to follow later
- How do boys get signed up to participate?
 - ◆ Head to the school office to sign your child up
 - ◆ Things the office will require:
 - an up-to-date physical on file for your student
 - \$35 participation fee paid
- What equipment/ clothing does my child need?
 - ◆ Clean gym shoes (PE shoes work great)
 - ◆ School-appropriate workout clothing for practices
 - ◆ A water bottle
 - ◆ A coachable attitude
- Important dates to write down:
 - ◆ OPEN GYMS - A time for Trinity boys (5th - 8th grade) to run some drills, play some games with coaches, and see if they would like to play this season. Oct. 13 and 16 (Fri. and Mon.) from 3:30 to 5pm
 - ◆ First Official Practice - Thursday, Oct. 19, 3:30-5:30 (all grades together)
 - ◆ Parent Meeting - Thursday, Oct. 19, 5:35
 - ◆ Second Practice - Friday, Oct. 20, 3:30-5:30 (all grades together)
 - ◆ Team bonding - Friday, Oct. 20, 5:30-7:30

Trinity SCRIP Program

Get the SCRIP app:



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by ShopWithScrip

enrollment code: B569EC7429822

Use the app all year to offset your tuition! You can also stop by the office to pick up gift cards we keep onhand.

Have questions? Ask Heidi in the school office.

Looking for a SCRIP Coordinator!

This position would take care of all 25 SALT hours for the year

Involves:

- Inviting new families to participate and creating excitement around the program
- Asking new businesses around town to join our program
- Weekly placing orders online and getting deposits ready
- Picking up orders around town when needed

Lost & Found

Did your child lose something at school recently? Check the Trinity Facebook page for pictures of lost items and come claim them before they donated!



Cheer Club

Cheer club for 7th and 8th grade girls starts **THIS MONDAY 10/16!** We will generally practice Mon/Tues/Thurs 3:30-5pm. Updated schedule and additional information can be found [here](#). If you're on the fence, come to practice 10/16 to check it out -- we have so much fun! Go, Crusaders!



Auction Raffle Kickoff

Our Annual Auction/Fundraiser is coming February 10th! A huge part of our auction is our raffles. Each year we raffle off a vacation valued at \$7000 and 2 guns. We ask our students to each sell 10 raffle tickets to help us reach our goal of \$50,000! Be on the lookout for these tickets and instructions coming home Wednesday, Oct. 25th!



Invite family, friends and neighbors to our Celebration! Please submit photos for our Veterans Day slideshow [here](#). Thank you!

Lifetouch

PICTURE DAY IS COMING!


¡YA LLEGA EL DÍA DE LA FOTO!

Thursday, October 19th - Friday, October 20th
Trinity Lutheran School



Scan to order!
(¡Echa un vistazo para encargarte!)

How it Works:



Pre-order today on
mylifetouch.com
using your Student ID or
Picture Day ID:
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Students are
photographed on
Picture Day



Orders will be sent home
with your student after
Picture Day

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LifeTouch Photos

This year we are using Life Touch Studios for our class photos. When ordering online, you can use the code **FALL23** to receive a discount.



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Worship Schedule

8:00 am - Traditional

9:30 am - Sunday School & Bible Studies

10:45 - Blended/Contemporary Worship

Current Sermon Series:

