

# Trinity Tidings



February 14, 2022

**Principal's Corner** Today is Valentine's Day, and no matter who how you are spending the day or who you are spending it with, it is important to remember the most important thing. God loves you! He loves you so much he sent his son to die on the cross, not because his son did anything wrong, but because it was the only way we could be saved. We all fall short when we look at our lives and compare them to God's laws. But the good news is that God loves us so much that while we were still sinners, he sent his son, Jesus Christ, to die for us. That is true love. At Trinity Lutheran School we have the opportunity to share that love with our students and their families each and every day. What a joy it is to tell our students that God loves them so much, He sent his son into the world.



**Bible verse of the week** Matthew 22:37  
Jesus Replied: "Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind." This is the first and greatest commandment.

**February Chapel Offerings** will support Helping Hands in Bulgaria, specifically for care packages given to poor families in Bulgaria and Ukraine. Your offerings will fund care packages that have items to care for children, food, as well as materials to share the gospel message. Helping Hands is looking forward to seeing how God works through this connection between Eastern Europe and our Lutheran Schools. Please give generously to support Helping Hands in Bulgaria so they can help those in need. \$121.91 has been received to date.

**PTL Movie Night**  
Friday, February 18,  
At the Discipling Center



**5 pm - Pizza & Lemonade** - Free Will Donation  
Look for a SignUpGenius email to sign up for Pizza  
**6 pm - Movie** "Ice Age Adventure Buck Wild"  
Snacks provided, free



Kindergarten Round-Up will take place on Tuesday, February 15, at 6:30 pm.

Conferences will be held on **Tuesday, March 1, from 3:30 to 7:00pm.** They will be set up by request only, by either



**Parent-Teacher Conferences**

the parent or teacher. Not all students will need a conference as this one is up to the discretion of the teachers and parents. **Forms were sent home** with every student in grades K-8 today. Check to see if a conference is requested by the teacher. If not, you have the option to request one. **Please complete and return by Friday, February 18.**

**The School Silent Auction & the PTL Brunch will kick off our weeklong celebration of Lutheran Schools Week!**

**AUCTION**

**Silent Auction - Sunday, March 6**  
**Live Auction/Dinner- Friday Evening, April 1**  
**We are looking for donations – new merchandise, gift certificates, getaways, or monetary donations.**

To be included in the year's Silent Auction, all donations need to be received no later than Friday, February 25. Right now, **we are looking for volunteers** to call businesses, pick up donations and set up the auction scheduled for March 6. If interested, contact the school at 507-231-6646.

For those planning to attend the Tribute to Trinity on April 1, the **theme is a throwback to the 80's.**

**PTL's Annual Brunch - Sunday, March 6**

The SignUpGenius links for food donations and brunch volunteers were emailed to parents today. Please sign up where you are able to help. Thank you!!



*The purpose of Trinity Lutheran School is to equip the child to grow and serve as a disciple of Jesus Christ.*

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## Girls on the Run for girls in grades 3-5 begins March 1.



The goal of the program is to unleash confidence through accomplishment while establishing a lifetime appreciation of health and fitness. The girls will meet after school on Tuesdays and Thursdays at Trinity Lutheran School. If you are interested, please sign up soon so they know there are enough participants.



*100 days smarter in 3rd grade*

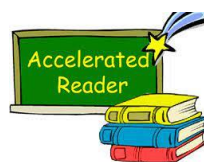


They enjoyed reading 100-year-old Fables and Folktales. They used 100 items from home to make multiplication equations in math, and measured, counted and did a variety of activities with the number 100. Each of them even received 100 dollars. Thanks to Mrs. Steel and the second grade for joining them making the day a great memory.



**If your children ride the bus, note that Wednesday, February 23, is School Bus Driver Appreciation Day in MN.** Be sure to show your

appreciation for these quiet heroes who transport your most precious cargo – your children – day in and day out.



**AR Challenge** for all students in grades 1-8 continues through March 4. Please encourage your child to READ EVERY DAY to the best of their ability. Set time aside for them to read and even for you to listen to them read. **LET'S KEEP READING!!**

End of the second week results for our students:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place 7<sup>th</sup> grade – 23.3 avg points per student
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place 4<sup>th</sup> grade – 17.8 avg points per student
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place 5<sup>th</sup> grade – 16.6 avg points per student
- 4<sup>th</sup> place 8<sup>th</sup> grade – 12.2 avg points per student
- 5<sup>th</sup> place 3<sup>rd</sup> grade – 9.2 avg points per student
- 6<sup>th</sup> place 2<sup>nd</sup> grade – 5.7 avg points per student
- 7<sup>th</sup> place 6<sup>th</sup> grade – 4.4 avg points per student
- 8<sup>th</sup> place 1<sup>st</sup> grade – 2.3 avg points per student

**Basketball** A Squads will continue to practice until their final tournament on March 18-19 at Zion Alexandria.



### A Girls Practice

Every Monday & Tuesday, 4:30-6:00

### A Boys Practice

Every Tuesday & Thursday, 5-6:30

(Practice for boys on Tuesday, Feb 15, cancelled)

**“I ♥ Janesville Area Foundation”** The fundraising goal for February is \$20,000. As of Thursday, February 10th, JAF had received roughly \$4,090 in support of “I ♥ Janesville Area Foundation” month.

Janesville area community members and businesses are encouraged to make a \$20, \$50, or \$100 donation to the foundation. In exchange for a donation, the donor or business name will be placed on a heart, which will be displayed around the Janesville community. Donations may be dropped off at the Janesville State Bank or the JWP School District Office during the month of February. Donations can also be mailed to Janesville Area Foundation, PO Box 369, Janesville, MN 56048, or by going to [bit.ly/ILoveJAF2022](https://bit.ly/ILoveJAF2022).

Trinity Lutheran School has received several grants from the Janesville Area Foundation, which helped pay for chromebooks, green screen, SAC games and equipment, kindergarten seating and a balance beam to be installed on our playground this spring. **Please support the Janesville community by making a donation today.**



**Janesville Community Food Shelf** A thank you was received for your generous 2021 Thanksgiving Chapel Offering of 296 pounds of food and \$41.23. Your concern for others is shared with many families in need in Janesville and the surrounding area.