

Trinity Tidings



March 7, 2022

Principal's Corner We celebrate National Lutheran Schools Week this week, but why do we celebrate it? We celebrate so we can have some fun days and break up this long winter stretch. Well, that is not the reason, but it sure does help to add some life and excitement to our school week. Do we do it because everyone else does it? No, and that is never a good reason to do something. Do we do it because we have done it for so long, it is now a tradition? No, even though this was the 40th Annual PTL Brunch, again just because we have always done something is not a reason to continue to do it. Do we do it so we can raise some money? Again no, but it is great to see all the support from the community and so many individuals. So why do we do it?

We do it to celebrate the wonderful gifts God has blessed us with; and one of those gifts is our Lutheran School. Our forefathers at Trinity Lutheran Church saw the need to teach students and to do it in a Christian setting where they can also learn about Jesus, each and every day. What a true blessing that the founders of this church had a vision for Lutheran Education that continues today, 132 years later. So, this week we celebrate the vision of the founders of this church, all the families that have sent their children to our school all the people that support our school, but most of all we praise God for the blessings He gives us, for helping to grow our faith and for bringing us here to this day to praise Him.



Trinity Lutheran School helps parents to train a child in the way they should go, so when they are old, they will not depart from it.

Bible verse of the week (Colossians. 1:19–20). “For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of the cross.”

Lutheran Schools Week Celebration March 6-11

Yesterday's kickoff of our celebration was a wonderful and successful day! To start off, God blessed us with nice weather. Then, what a joy to see all the students singing at church, bringing tears to some. The Bookfair was well attended, and we had 99 bidders for the Silent Auction. Thank you so much to all who donated auction items...we had 298 items for the auction, so much to choose from!! And a huge thank you to all the volunteers who called, picked up items, organized the auction and ran it on Sunday. We could not have done it without all your helping hands. The items won are being picked up at the school this week.

What a amazing turnout for the PTL Brunch; we served 345 people. PTL would like to thank Kwik Trip for the donation of cinnamon rolls and butter, Michael Foods for their donation of eggs, Wiste's for the donation of ham and sausage, and all the parents and volunteers for your time and donations. We appreciate all of you, thank you for making this event a success! With your support the PTL is able to continue to help support our school and staff.

The complete schedule will be emailed out again today. Here are some activities to have on your calendar:



Friday, March 6, 7:00-8:10 am

(note time correction) Dads, come to the gym and enjoy some special time with your son or daughter and have some donuts and coffee or juice! If Dad can't come, maybe Grandpa or a favorite uncle would be able to come.

Scholastic Bookfair Students will have opportunities to go with their class during the school day, and it will be open 3-3:30 M-F and also next Sunday 9-12. You can also shop at our school's Virtual Book Fair. Order ship directly to your home, and shipping is free for book orders over \$25. Visit our Book Fair homepage <https://www.scholastic.com/bf/trinitylutheralschool59> Profits from the Scholastic Bookfair to the library fund.



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All week long the pig will be moving around the school wanting to be fed with loose change (and \$ bills) getting ready to auctioned off at the Live Auction at Tribute to Trinity on Friday, April 1.

Everyone is invited to the Trinity All-School Spelling Bee for students in grades 1-8, which will take place on **Friday, March 11, at 9 am**, in the gym. Within each classroom, the students had their own spelling tests to determine participants.



The top two winners in each class will compete to be this year's Trinity champion speller. Congratulations to all our winners!

1st Grade: Carson Loeffler, Agnes Wolff

2nd Grade: Kendall Lang, Aveline Lofton

3rd Grade: Alese Wolff, Louis Ziemke

4th Grade: Lofton Johnson, Tobin Rutt

5th Grade: Ava Trahms, Ashlynn Wolff

6th Grade: Aiden Lau, Brennan Welvaert

7th Grade: Madison Donahue, Stella Ziemke

8th Grade: Tiera Anderson, Travyn Shoultz

After Friday's Spelling Bee, letters will be sent to parents for those who are first place in each class, inviting them to the 46th Annual Spelling Contest for Lutheran elementary schools in southern Minnesota on Saturday, April 23rd, at St. Paul's Lutheran School, Truman. Their alternates are the students who placed 2nd in their class.

Tribute to Trinity.... our 8th Annual Dinner and Live Auction fundraiser...Party Time!

When: Friday, April 1, Doors open at 5:30 pm

Where: The Mill in Waseca.

Theme: Throwback to the 80's. Dress in your Favorite 80's attire and join us for an evening of fun that supports the student at TLS!

Menu:

- Tossed Salad with choice of dressing
- Dinner Roll
- Meatloaf or Baked Cod
- Mashed Potatoes and Gravy
- Green Bean Almondine
- Mini Dessert

Tickets: \$25 each and are on sale at the school and church offices.

Questions: Contact Kendra Hoehn at 507-995-4849

**ATHLETIC
AWARDS
NIGHT**

Cardinals

Keep the evening of Thursday, March 24, open for the **Athletics Awards Night**, 6:30 at the Discipling Center.

We welcome all

- 2021-2022 athletic participants
- 8th graders who have participated in athletics during their Trinity years
- Parents of these athletes

Players will be recognized for participation in their respective sports.

8th grade players will be honored for their years of participation in sports while at Trinity.

An Ice Cream Sundae Bar will be provided.

Plan for a fun night of awards and fellowship!

**Zion Lutheran in Alexandria
Tournament for the A Teams**

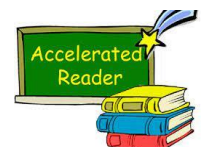
Go Cardinals!

March 18-19

- Girls Friday 7:40pm
- Saturday 9:10am
- Championship 1:10pm
- Boys Friday 6:40pm
- Saturday 3:10pm
- Championship 7:10pm



The **AR Challenge for our School** ended on Friday. Congratulations to the top three grades!



- 1st place 7th grade – 54.28 avg points per student
- 2nd place 4th grade – 51.65 avg points per student
- 3rd place 5th grade – 42.6 avg points per student

Look for details next week on how our school placed with the other participating schools.

God could not have provided more perfect skiing weather! 5th and 6th grade had a beautiful day for skiing last Friday! Thanks to all the parents and grandparents who came and enjoyed the day with us. 😊



Join Us! at Crossfire, a youth led opportunity for prayer and praise. **Students in grades 7th-12th** are invited to attend. It is held Sunday evenings, at TLC chapel, 7:30-8:30pm. The next one will take place **Sunday, March 13.**

WHEN WE PUT
OUR PROBLEMS IN
GOD'S HANDS,
HE PUTS HIS
PEACE IN OUR HEARTS.

March Chapel Offerings Camp Omega is a Lutheran Camp located right here in Southern Minnesota! As a school we have been blessed to take some day trips to Camp Omega, be involved in youth events, and many of our students and families have enjoyed summer camp there. On March 2nd, Camp Omega staff led our students in chapel to tell us more about the awesome things they do here. We are supporting them with our March chapel offerings. \$59.10 was received last week. Camp Omega is working on finishing a beautiful retreat center that will be used for more opportunities for people to come to Camp Omega and experience God's love through nature. They are hoping to install solar panels on top of the retreat center to help offset costs of electricity for the building. Our offerings this month will be used to help them with their fundraising efforts. Thank you for helping your children and encouraging them to bring offering so that we can continue to support these awesome causes and spread God's love!

Summer Camp Registration is open and can be done online at Campomega.org or you can contact them at 507-685-4266 or info@campomega.org.



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