



Trinity Tidings

October 4, 2021

Principal's Corner When we think of doing God's work, we may think of doing great things, traveling to somewhere far away from our home, teaching many people who have not heard about God, or spreading the love of God through our actions like building a house for someone. But doing God's work can also be done with the simple things. Naaman was a commander of the Syrian Army but he came down with leprosy. He went to see the prophet Elisha to see if God would heal him. Elisha told him to go wash himself 7 times in the Jordan River. Naaman was upset with this, they had better rivers in Syria. He was expecting a dramatic miracle, not a simple action. But his servant's calmness prevailed and Naaman went to the Jordan and washed 7 times and was cured. God can do big miraculous miracles, but he can also act in the simple gestures that can make a world of difference to the people around us.

Midterms will be sent home tomorrow with students in grades 3-8. Please review, sign, and return to school. Contact the teachers with any questions or concerns.

October Chapel Offerings – Operations Christmas Child shoeboxes. Once again, our Trinity families have an awesome opportunity to make a child's Christmas special! It is quick and simple to pack a shoebox and to put a smile on a child's face for Christmas. Chapel offerings in October will help with the \$9 cost to ship each Operation Shoeboxes to very special children all over the world. In November we will ask families to pack shoeboxes.

Since 1993, 188 million shoebox recipients in over 170 countries and territories have heard the Gospel through Operation Christmas Child! One of those recipients was a girl named Tsholofelo. She and her family followed African folk religion. A few years ago, a local church invited her to an Operation Christmas Child outreach event where she received her very own shoebox gift filled with a yellow stuffed animal, a doll, a pair of shoes, and some pens and pencils. She not only rejoiced over her gift, but also heard the Gospel and accepted Jesus as her Savior! Operation Christmas Child shoebox gifts lead to evangelism, discipleship, and the multiplication of believers and churches all around the world—and it all starts with you!

PTL would like to thank all the volunteers and those who donated all the goodies for the Fun Run. They made over \$400 in concession sales.

Donations for the Fun Run were to be turned in by October 1st, in order to be included in the determination of classroom prizes.

Due to the delay in having the Fun Run, this due date has been changed to **Wednesday, October 6**, one week from the date of the Fun Run. This will allow those students who had per lap sponsors to collect their donations. Donations after this date will still qualify for individual prizes.



What a
Glorious
Day GOD
Gave
Us!!



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

Field Trip The 6-8th grade students went to the Big Island Rendezvous in Albert Lee last week. They had a great time and got to experience and learn a lot about History. While there they looked at wigwams, talked to Benjamin Franklin, tried their hand at fabric printing and Atlatl, and heard stories from the civil war and pirates. They learned a little bit more about history and how what has happened in the past still affects us today. It was a great time to experience history in a fun hands-on way! Here are some pictures from their experience.



Feed A Farmer - Sunday, October 10

Sponsored by PTL 10:30am - 12:30pm

Trinity Lutheran Church Discipling Center

Not only for farmers, all are welcome!

Hot Turkey or Beef Commercials, green beans, pumpkin bars, and lemonade

Prices at the door: Beef \$13; Turkey \$11
\$2 early bird discount if purchased before

October 10

Tickets for sale at school and church offices.



Take out, delivery, and sit down available.

If you can help with donations or time, please sign up with the SignUp Genius emailed out.

Leave the cooking to us...

Come and enjoy a delicious take out meal and then take one out to a farmer working in the fields.

PTL Meeting All parents are invited to the next PTL meeting on Wednesday, October 6th, 7pm at the church library, to discuss and plan future events. All parents are welcome to attend. *Please consider joining in to help our school.*



PTL's VP position has been filled.

PTL welcomes Jacque Malzahn as the new VP!!

A REMINDER ABOUT DROP OFF BEFORE SCHOOL

ALL students in grades K-8 are to enter the building through the gym doors **only**. Although some students have siblings in preschool, who enter through the front door, K-8 grade students are to enter thru the gym doors and not wander the halls to get to the gym or drop off bookbags at lockers. Until 8:10, teachers use the time for personal devotions, to prepare for the day, and to possibly meet with other teachers.

If a student needs to go into the school prior to 8:10, the student is to ask the adult on duty in the gym so we are aware of where students are at.

Please help us to keep this policy, so that we do not have kids walking through the halls unsupervised. If they are dropped off in the front, we ask that they always walk around the south side of the building down to the gym doors. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Join Us! at Crossfire This is a time of praise and prayer for all teens grades 7-12; attending will truly bless you and help you to grow closer to your Heavenly Father. It is held Sunday evenings, at TLC chapel, 7:30-8:30pm. The next one will take place **October 10.**

Go Cardinals!

Come cheer on our soccer and volleyball teams!

Mon, Oct 4 – Home Games vs Immanuel-Courtland

5:00 B Volleyball

6:15 Soccer

Tue, Oct 5 – Away Games at St. Mary's-Owatonna

3:30 Bus (will be delayed about 15-20 minutes)

4:30 B Volleyball

5:30 A Volleyball

Thu, Oct 7 – Away Games vs Immanuel-Mankato

at Caswell Park

3:45 Bus

4:30 Soccer

Mon, Oct 11– Home Games vs Mt Olive-Mankato

4:00 A Volleyball \ Note change in usual

5:00 B Volleyball / order of games

6:15 Soccer

Tue, Oct 12 – Home Games vs Faribault Lutheran

4:30 B Volleyball

5:30 A Volleyball



Box Tops for Education is digital.

Participants are able to scan receipts through the Box Tops app. Look for the Box Tops logo on hundreds of products.

- Download the Box Tops app on your phone.
- Shop as you normally would.
- Scan your store receipts to find participating products.
- The app will automatically credit our school's Box Tops earnings online.

Money received from Box Tops will be used for purchasing school library books.



We received \$387.10 for the past year, \$1.00 for each \$150 in receipts collected.

Thank you to everyone who collected!

The money received goes to the Student Activities Fund which supports a variety of student activities during the school year. **REMEMBER TO BRING IN YOUR RECEIPTS!!**

Two years ago, almost double the amount of receipts was collected. Let's see if we can do that again this school year!!

- Send in your Mankato receipts anytime.
- Receipts for gas or gift card activation do not count.
- Must be dated from Sept 1, 2021 – June 1, 2022.

**YOU ARE HIS
MASTERPIECE!**

**A color blast
to top off a
day of celebration!**



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