



# Trinity Tidings

October 15, 2018

**Principal's Corner** How are you living within God's design? We were made by God to have fellowship with Him. God calls us His beloved children; and this gives us a blueprint for how life is supposed to be lived. The first thing we should do is make sure we have a right relationship with God. Will that fix all the problems in your life? That depends. If the problems were the result of making poor decisions that go against God's will, then improving our relationship with our Heavenly Father should help a lot. But it will not make your life problem free. We live in a sinful world and will come face to face with problems. All your problems might not go away, but as you move closer to God, talking and listening to Him, you will notice that you are better able to handle those problems and will let Him handle them for you.

## HEROES Fun Run

As of last Friday, one week after the Fun Run, \$12,679 had been brought in. Congratulations to the students in grade 4. They brought in the highest average/student of \$207.63. This won them a trip to the bowling alley and treats in the classroom. Each class averaged at least \$50 per student and will receive a movie afternoon with popcorn and a drink. Continue to bring in money from your sponsors. Additional money turned in will still count toward individual prizes and the school goal of \$16,000.

Congratulations to Conner Welvaert, our top runner with 90 laps, a new school record. WOW!!! Our students ran a total of 3,210 laps. Great job!

### Top Runners in Each Class

Preschool	Grant Trahms	30 laps
Kindergarten	Louis Ziemke	45 laps
1 <sup>st</sup> Grade	Brody Berndt	50 laps
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade	Samuel Hoehn	50 laps
3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	Aiden Truebenbach	43 laps
4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Parker Gearity	52 laps
5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Travyn Shoultz	37 laps
6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Carter Hoehn	50 laps
7 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Cole Blomstrom	61 laps
8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Conner Welvaert	90 laps

**NO SCHOOL on Thursday and Friday, October 18-19.** Our teachers will be at the Educator's Conference. Enjoy the beautiful fall weather with family and friends!

## Save the Dates - PTL Events



**FEED A FARMER** - Sponsored by PTL  
Sunday, October 21, 10:30am-1:00pm  
Trinity Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall  
Hot Turkey or Beef Commercials  
Prepaid: \$8 Turkey, \$9 Beef  
At the door: Add \$2  
Tickets on sale at church/school offices



PTL will be partnering with the TLC Board of Stewardship for the Fall Festival -  
Sunday, Nov 4<sup>th</sup>, 10:30 am-2:00 pm.  
This free will donation event will be held in the Discipling Center.

### Lunch Menu

Sloppy Joe, Mac & Cheese, Baked Beans  
Hot Chocolate, water, and coffee  
To-Go Option Available

**Bake Sale:** 9am-1pm

**Fun Family Activities:** dessert decoration contest, face painting, gourd tic-tac-toe and much more

**Book Walk - Cake-Walk with a little twist.** Instead of picking out a baked good, winners of the walk will get to pick a "new" book to take home. We are asking families to bring your "old" books.

Drop off box for **Operation Gratitude** donations

Proceeds will fund our upcoming school assembly, Mobile Ed STEAM Museum. Look for more details on this exciting program coming soon!

Want to be a part of helping us plan more of these fun events? Join us at the next meeting, Wednesday, November 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm at the church library. Please share your questions, ideas, comments, or concerns. We look forward to hearing from you. You can reach us at [trinityjanesvilleptl@gmail.com](mailto:trinityjanesvilleptl@gmail.com), through the school office, or by contacting one of the board members: Bridget Gehring-Chairperson, Amanda Bruender-Vice Chairperson and Amy Ostgarden-Treasurer.



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The **4<sup>th</sup> Graders** have been having lots of fun lately. Their trip to Jack McGowan's farm south of Mankato was full of fun and interesting activities. There were lots of enactors role-playing events of the past. The students tried on suits of armor, cut chunks of wood with saws, threw atlatls at a deer target, helped catapult a pumpkin into the river, crawled through an underground tunnel, got locked up in jail and got their faces painted.

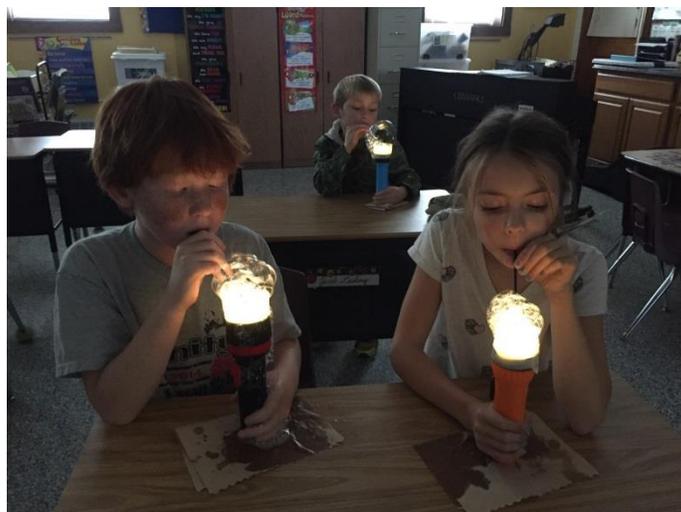
Their **scarecrows** are on display in front of the Janesville Nursing Home and look outstanding. The 4<sup>th</sup> graders are happy that they've created something that the whole community can enjoy. Be sure to stop and see their originality!



*Scarecrows at the Janesville Nursing Home*

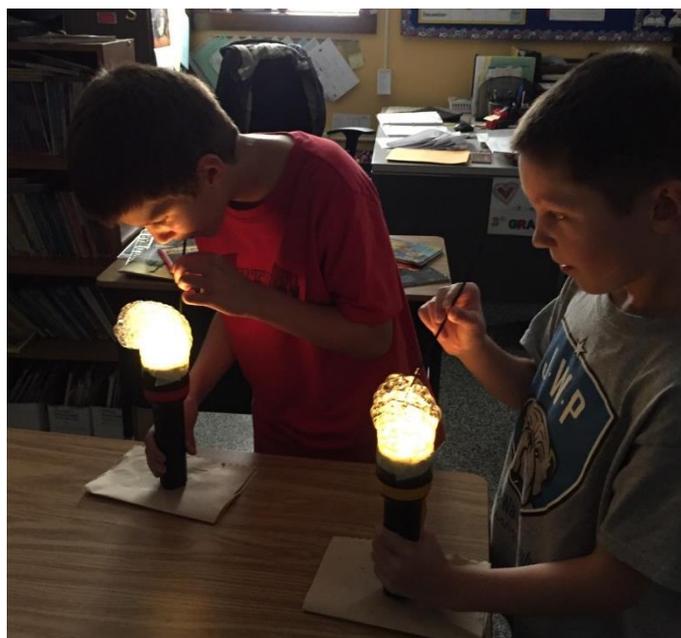


*Sawing Wood the Old-Fashioned Way*



*3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Science Activity*

The third graders learned how to examine bubbles up close! In playful fun of blowing soap bubbles and using the bright light of a flashlight, they discovered that bubbles have round walls with many different colors. These fragile spheres of soap film filled with air were both beautiful and captivating.



**Chapel** Our offerings for September and October will go to support the Liberian Children's Ministry. School started on September 3rd for over 5500 students and their families in these 14 schools. \$25 can send a child to school for a year in Liberia and \$3000 can fund an entire school for a year! Every gift makes a difference! So far, \$309.59 has been received in our chapel offerings. Thank you for sharing what God has first given you!

## Go Cardinals!



**Come cheer on our soccer and volleyball teams for the last games of the season!**

Mon Oct 15 - Home Games vs Immanuel Courtland

**4:00 B Volleyball**

**5:00 A Volleyball**

**6:00 Soccer on JWP Field**

Tue Oct 16 – Games vs Mt Olive @ Bethany Practice Soccer Field

**Parent Drive**

**3:45 Soccer**

Tue Oct 23 – Games at Holy Cross, Webster

**3:15 Bus**

**4:45 B Volleyball**

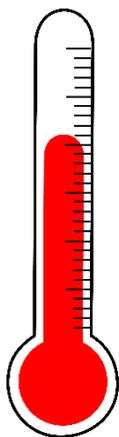
**5:45 A Volleyball**



Thank you to the Janesville Fire Department for their safety presentation/demonstration last week for our students in Kindergarten – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade. Keep your family safe by reviewing fire safety rules.

### Cold Weather Clothing

What to wear when the weather turns cold? Here are the guidelines we use to determine what the students should wear outside. Be advised that we are very firm on these rules, so please make sure that your child has the appropriate clothing that is needed.



**Below 55**, they need long sleeves.

**Below 50**, they need a sweatshirt or jacket.

**Below 45**, they need a winter coat, head covering (hat, headband or earmuffs, NOT just a hood), and gloves or mittens. If they do not have the correct type of coat, or head covering, they will need to borrow from someone else, or use something from the Lost and Found. We do not have kids stay inside unless they are sick.

**To play in the snow**, they **must** also have snow pants and boots. They will need to stand on the sidewalk if they do not have either of these items.

**Our 6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade students** are preparing for their musical to take place on Friday, October 26<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 pm. All 6-8<sup>th</sup> grade students are part of the chorus and will be taking part in the musical as a group. Keep the date open to enjoy a wildly entertaining trip through Alice's looking glass!

If family and friends would like to come to the dress rehearsal, it will also take place on Friday, October 26, at 1:15 pm. It will probably run until 2:30 pm.

**Thank you to Bethlehem Lutheran in Morristown** who continues to gift TLS with their monthly missions offering. Since the first of the year, they have given our school \$2,009.25. What a blessing to have people who help us in this way to keep our mission of sharing Jesus going!

### Parent Service Program Volunteer Opportunities



#### Concessions and Scoreboard:

Oct 15 5:00 & 6:00

Contact Kendra Hoehn or Google Docs

Sorting & Cutting labels, boxtops and receipts for earning free money from refunding. Contact Bridget Gehring.

Feed A Farmer Sunday, October 21. See SignUp Genius link and informational flyer emailed to parents.

Fall Festival Sunday, November 4.

*Be sure to sign your volunteer service hours into the 3-ring binder at the event or in the school office.*

**Thank you to all the Helping Hands!**



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