



# Trinity Tidings

November 10, 2020

## Principal's Corner

Being a Christian is not easy. The world

wants us to compromise our beliefs and go along with the beliefs they have created, which are contrary to God's word in the bible. It is easy to give lip service to being a Christian, show up for church, serve on a committee or board, and give money to God. But are we ready to give our lives to God and stand firm in His truths and live according to His laws? Romans 12:2 says, *Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect.* And in 2 Corinthians 5:17, *Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.*

**It is time to be transformed into the person God created you to be.**



## Parent-Teacher Conferences

Parent-Teacher Conferences for students in K-8 will take place on **Tues, Nov 10**, and **Thurs, Nov 12**. If you are

unable to attend at your scheduled time, please contact the teacher or call the school. Thank you!

**Thursday, November 19**

**Starting at 8:30am**

Please bring your original packet and a note indicating what was wrong, which will be helpful for the photographer.



**PTL Treat Bags** PTL hopes the students have enjoyed their Fall Festival treat bags. **PTL thanks** Tina Trahms for providing the bags, Sherri Stencil for the suckers, and a **special thank you to** Cheryl and Chad Bless, owners of Autumn Acres, for their donation of pumpkins.

**Chapel Offerings** thru November 18 will help with shipping Operation Shoeboxes to very special children all over the world. The cost to ship each shoebox is \$9.00. So far \$327.28 has been collected. We are also asking that Trinity families pack at least one shoebox. Note when wrapping your shoebox, to wrap it in such a way that the cover can be removed/opened. Shoeboxes need to be received **by the end of the school day on November 19**.



## Food Collection

### Thanksgiving Chapel Food Shelf Tuesday!

On Tuesday, November 24, we will have our Thanksgiving

Chapel. We ask our students to bring items to support our local Janesville Food Shelf. The money collected that day will go to the Food Shelf. Food items will be collected and taken over Tuesday morning as part of our Chapel Offerings. We encourage you to bring items from this list, as these items are in short supply:

Hamburger/Tuna/Chicken Helpers

Jars of Pasta / Spaghetti Sauces

Baked Beans / Chili Beans

Carrots / Peas / Cream Corn

Oatmeal and Healthy Cereals

Boxed Rice and Potatoes

Specialty Noodles

Chunky Soups

Pancake Syrup

Baking Ingredients

**Thanks for helping our food shelf and those in our community!**

**WELCOME to the Butlers De Jagars, and Nelsons**

who joined our Trinity Family today!

Jon and Lyric Butler

**Brayden, 4<sup>th</sup> grade**

37454 - 143rd St

Waseca, MN 56093

507-363-9127

Johann and Theresa De Jager

**Bryan, 4<sup>th</sup> grade**

14430 Rice Lake Dr

Waseca, MN 56093

507-213-8627

Brock and Karissa Nelson

**Kinsley, 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, Braxton 4<sup>th</sup> grade**

37479 - 143rd St

Waseca, MN 56093

507-837-2379



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



## Basketball and Cheerleading!!

We are hoping and praying that the winter sports season will start soon. Mr. Bruce Mertens, our Athletic Director, is working on final details. Look for more information coming home soon.

In the meantime, permission forms are being sent home today with all students in grades 5-8. Please complete and return soon so we know the number of students who plan to participate.



**THANK YOU to all the  
supporters of the TLS Athletic Program!  
Be sure to let them know how much  
we appreciate their support!**

Ag Partners Coop  
American Family Ins. – Jewison & Associates  
Born Family Farms – Pioneer Seed  
Crystal Valley Cooperative  
Environmental Tillage Systems  
Gidgets  
Heartland Animal Hospital  
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Holmes Ag Supply  
Huey's Farm Seed  
Indian Island Winery  
Infinity Catering  
J & S Repair Inc.  
Janesville Agency, Inc.  
Janesville Bowl  
Janesville State Bank  
JR's Barn  
Malterer Farms, Inc.  
McPherson Crop Management  
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Pearson Livestock  
Smiths Mill Implement  
Wiste's Meat Market

The banners of our sponsors are displayed in the gym. If you are interested or know of someone who would like to support our Athletic Program with a banner displayed in the gym, please call the school office.



## Christmas Programs

*Please keep these dates open*

**Grades K-8** Their Christmas Program will be a number of scenes from the Nativity and will take place on the evenings of **December 17 & December 18**. Most scenes will be held inside the church but some will take place outside.

Each family will be in attendance on one of the evenings. We would like to have about half the students perform on each date, so when you come for Parent-Teachers Conferences, you will be asked if your child(ren) will be able to participate and which date will work for your family. Once this has been determined, parts can be assigned.

**Preschool** Their Christmas Program will take place on **Monday, December 21** in the gym.



**Shoparoo Fundraiser** Thanks to those who participated in Shoparoo's fundraising last year, we received \$51.27. This will be put in the Student Activity Fund. 2019-2020 was the final fundraising year for Shoparoo.

**Lunch Account Refund Checks**, due to free lunches approved for all students by the MN Dept of Health and paid for by the USDA, will be sent home with students this week. If you want money on your lunch account refunded, but have not returned the form requesting the refund, please do so soon.

**Thank You to PTL** for providing bibles for our 3<sup>rd</sup> grade students and all new students who come in later years.

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WAY YOU  
LOVE OTHERS.