

# Trinity Tidings



December 13, 2021

**Principal's Corner** There are a lot of things in this world that bring fear into our lives. Some we add on purpose, some we have because of our life circumstances and some we avoid all together. When we go on rides at an amusement park, we scream, our heart rate increases, and we add fear into our lives. But when we get off the ride, we are usually all smiles and laughing about it with our friends. Then there is the fear of circumstances. We may have had to go out driving last Friday on snowy roads with high winds. Some probably had a little fear and apprehension until they reached their destination safely.

Then there are the things we avoid because of fear. One example would be witnessing to others about our faith and God. Because this can be one of the scariest things for people to do, they do not do it. But God tells us He is with us always and He will help give us the words we need when we venture out to witness to people. Another fear for some is death. But as Christians who know their Lord and Savior, that is something not to fear. For we rest assured in the resurrection of Jesus Christ, that God will bring us to Heaven to be with Him for eternity.



**Midterm Reports** Due to last Friday's weather, the Midterm Reports for Grades 3-8 will be sent home one day later, on Wednesday, December 15. Please review, sign and return to school.



Our December Chapel Offerings will go to **Toys for Tots**. \$73.68 has been received in chapel offerings to date. **Toys for Tots** helps local children from 0-16 receive a gift. We will collect NEW UNWRAPPED toys -- **December 15 is the last day to bring in toys. Just imagine if everyone bought just one extra toy!!** Help make a child's Christmas more meaningful!



## Christmas Programs

Our students have been practicing for their chance to tell everyone about the Good News of Jesus Christ's birth. This is a highlight of our school year. It is always a joy to watch them use their God-given talents to praise Him and tell others of this miraculous birth. *Keep these dates open:*

**Wednesday, Dec 15, 6:30 pm - Grades K-2 - Sanctuary**  
(Dress Rehearsal at 8:40 am)

### A Candy-Coated Christmas Carol

Emmaleeza Skootch, a powerful executive in the candy business, is far from being sweet! She hopes to "candy-crush" the competition with the world's best candy recipe! God sends three late night messengers.... but can Miss Smootch's heart of stone be brought back to life? Come join us and enjoy this very entertaining musical with a wonderful Christmas message for all!



**Tuesday, Dec 21, 7:00 pm - Preschool - Sanctuary**



**Wednesday, Dec 22, 6:30 pm - Grades 3-8 - Fellowship Hall**  
(Dress Rehearsal at 8:40 am)

Join us as we travel **Back to the Manger** this Christmas season. As we travel through time to the Caroling Outreach, where the people in their community church show tangible tastes of God's love to people in their community. In a variety of time periods, show by our dress and musical styles, the children learn that the greatest commandment is to love God with all our hearts, souls, minds and strength, AND our neighbor as ourselves. We hope you will be able to join us as we share the Christmas story through our words and songs!



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

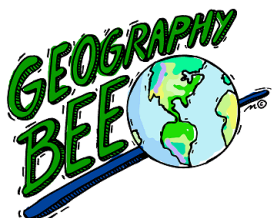


**Trinity Treasure Trunk**, where students can shop for their family and friends, will take place Thurs & Fri, Dec 16 & 17, 9:30-3:00, in the multi-purpose room. The items for sale will be from \$.50 - \$5.00. For younger children, please send their shopping money in a marked envelope or baggie, along with a list of names for whom they are to purchase. Free gift wrapping will be available. All proceeds will go to the Secret Angel Fund to help families in need of tuition assistance.

**Santa Hat Day** – Friday, December 17. Come dressed in your Santa Hat, or any type of Christmas head gear, and join in the festivities.



**2021 Fun Run Shirts** will be given out on Friday, December 17. Each student who brought in at least \$100 for the Fun Run will receive a shirt.



**Classroom Geography Bees** for students in grades 4-8, scheduled for December 15, have been moved to Wednesday, December 22.

**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 **December 19**.



**Happy  
Birthday  
Jesus!**

**Classroom Christmas Parties and a celebration of Jesus' birthday** will take place on Wednesday, December 22, in the afternoon. Classroom teachers will send out details of their class plans.

## Winter Sports Games in December – Go Cards!

*Change – Tues, Dec 14 - B Girls added Practice 3:15-4:00*

### Tues, Dec 14 – Home Games vs Mt Olive-Mankato

4:30 B Boys

5:30 A Boys

### Thur, Dec 16 – Home Games vs Immanuel-Mankato

4:30 B Girls

5:30 B Boys

6:30 A Boys



### Mon, Dec 20– Home Games vs Immanuel-Courtland

4:00 A Girls

5:00 A Boys

### Tues, Dec 21 – Home Games vs Martin County

4:30 B Girls

5:30 A Girls



### Tues, Dec 21 – Away Games vs Martin County @ Fairmont

3:00 Bus

4:30 B Boys

5:30 A Boys



## Scrip Gift Cards - ONE STOP SHOPPING

To receive by Christmas, orders must be placed by Wednesday, December 15th. There are many

special \$5 & \$10 Gift Cards for Stocking

Stuffers for the Christmas Season. If you are

not sure what to buy, just buy an undesignated gift

certificate for a specified amount. The recipient brings that

certificate to the school and selects the gift card desired.

