TIGER TRACKS

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LUTHERAN SCHOOL MENASHA

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Diaper Shower

Congratulation to the Barthel Family!

By the end of the month Trinity will welcome a new member with the birth of Baby Barthel. We are doing a diaper shower for the Barthel's. If you would like to bring a package of diapers to the church office during the month of February we will present them to Tim Mr. and Mrs. Barthel at the end of the month.

Notes From Pastor GeRue

Mark your calendar for family dining out night in January. The date is Tuesday, January 24th From 5-9 pm. The place is Perkins in Neenah. A portion of all sales during that day will be given back to Trinity, so come and give mom a night off. We have scrip on hand, so be sure to pick it up before you go.

UPON THIS ROCK

2017 National Lutheran Schools Week

"Trust in the Lord forever, for the Lord is an everlasting rock." (Is. 26:4)

It's time for a celebration! Isn't it great that more than 190,000 students attending Lutheran schools are able to join together in praise and thanksgiving for the training and preparation they receive in 2,068 Lutheran schools?

National Lutheran Schools Week provides our Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod congregations the opportunity to come together to celebrate one of God's greatest gifts to His church, Lutheran schools. From its beginning, the LCMS, founded in 1847 with 12 congregations and 14 schools, has built schools. Education has always been a priority for Lutheran congregations. Schools have never been an after-thought for our great Synod.

From the start, LCMS congregations operated schools for two important reasons: 1) Schools made disciples of all nations. 2) Schools taught children to obey all that Christ commanded. This great heritage of Lutheran education is built on this Rock, for then and now in Christ alone we stand.

Today, Lutheran schools share the Good News of God's Word every day with the children they serve. Teachers relate Jesus to every aspect of the curriculum. Teachers and students share the love of Jesus and His forgiveness. Lives are being transformed.

What was once true continues to be true in our schools. We trust in the Lord, for the Lord is our everlasting Rock. There is no better reason for a celebration!

Boys and Girls Basketball: All games are 4:30 Girls and 5:30 Boys

January 24@ home against Trinity Oshkosh January 31 @ Saint Paul Manawa

February 9 @ home against Valley Christian Oshkosh

February 17 Trinity Parent/ Student Basketball Party



- January 20 2:00 pm Hoops for Heart
- January 21 9:00-3:00 Conscious Discipline

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- January 22 7:00 –9:00 Pancake Breakfast 9:00 am students sing @ Trinity
- January 23 Tacky Tourist Day 2:00 pm Prayer Rock painting 5-7:30 pm Soup-R-Bowl
- January 24 Spirit Day
 Lutheran Schools Experience
 4:30 & 5:30 Basket Ball Games
 4:00—7:00 pm Open House
- January 25 Biblical Character Day 8:45 am Chapel 9:15—9:45 Pastries with Parents 10:00 Make Stone Soup
- January 26 Pajama Day 2:00 pm eat stone soup
- January 27 No School
- January 29 9:00 am students sing @ Peace,

Hot Lunch Menu for January 9 20

Jan. 23 Mini Corndogs, FF, Carrots, Pears, Bread Jan. 24 Spanish Rice, Corn, Mixed Fruit Cup, Bread Jan. 25 Sliced Ham, Mashed Potatoes, Peas, Peaches, Bread

Jan. 26 Taco's with Fixings, Corn, Mandarin Oranges, Bread

Jan. 27 No School

Jan. 30 Hamburger on Bun, FF, Mixed Fruit cup, Peas

Jan. 31 Meatloaf, Mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, peaches, Bread

PASTOR GERUE AND THE ARMY

As you know Pastor GeRue is a Chaplain in the Army Reserves. He will be activated from mid May 2017 through mid May 2018 to Fort Hood, TX. He along with the Board of Christian Education are putting in place a plan for that school year. Please watch for further information to come.

Check out our website by scanning the QR code.



Dining Out Night In January

Mark your calendar, Tuesday January 24th is the next dining out event at Perkins on 1121
Westowne Drive in Neenah (Across from Wal-Mart).

The event takes place from 5-8pm, and kids eat free with each paid adult meal, so this is a great deal for our families!

Check out the signs on the school doors and don't forget to buy SCRIP ahead of time.



Soup-R-Bowl

Mon, Jan 23rd from 5-7:30pm in the gym. If you would like to donate a fresh made soup, baked goods, milk, cases of water, plastic spoons or napkins please contact Dan or Heather Emery at (920) 727-0575.

This is a great opportunity to purchase and taste a variety of local business and home made soups. The prices are very reasonable, and you will not go home hungry! If you can't stay, you can also take it to go with you.

This event has always been a good fundraiser for our PTLS group.

If you need to pick up or drop off your child after 8:30pm, you must enter through door #7 on Tayco Street. All students dropped off after 8:30 will need a pass tardy pass to get to class. Thank you for your cooperation.

Basketball Notes

Come and join us next Tuesday, January 24th for the next home basketball game vs. Trinity Oshkosh. The girls play and 4:30 and the boys play at 5:30.

2017 Re-Enrollment

Forms for the 2017-2018 re-enrollment will be coming home very soon. Don't miss out on the early re-enrollment discount, which will save you \$25 off the registration fees for next year!

Open House Volunteer Needed

Mrs. Corrente, our Admissions Counselor is in need of a few parent volunteers to help with the open house this Tuesday, January 24th from 4-7pm. Main duties would be to greet people at the door and assist them in filling out paperwork. If you can help, please give her a call at (920) 229-3559. Even if you can only help for an hour or two, it would be greatly appreciated.

There is no school Friday, January 27th, enjoy the long three day weekend (Hopefully snow free)!

Outdoor Education

For students in grades 5-6, outdoor education at CWES in Amherst is coming up February 15-16th.

Scrip Notes

The current Scrip credit earning period will end this weekend, and once we've calculated credits, you will receive notification of your Scrip credit, which will allow you to apply it toward February's tuition or use at a later date, or bank it for next school year. Thank you for your continued support of our program!

End of 2nd Quarter

The 2nd quarter ends Tuesday, January 24th, so report cards will be coming home soon. We are also at or very close to our 100th day of school!

National Lutheran Schools Week Jan 22-29th

QUESTIONS?

If you have any suggestions or things you would like put in Tiger Tracks, please let me know at ndahms@trinitymenasha.com.

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The Good Shepherd!!

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life

Psalm 23:6a

Future Events, Mark Your Calendars

- ♦ January 22-29th; National Lutheran Schools Week
- ♦ January 23rd; Soup-R-Bowl in School Gym 5-7pm
- ♦ January 24th; End of 2nd Quarter
- ♦ January 24th; Dining out event at Perkins Neenah
- ♦ January 24th: Trinity open house 4-7pm
- ♦ January 27th; No School—Teacher Inservice
- ♦ January 31st; Baketball @ St Paul Manawa 4:30/5:30
- ♦ February 13th; Dining out night at Culvers in Darboy
- ♦ February 15-16th; Outdoor Ed grades 5-6

Band Lessons

Band lessons have resumed for the school year. Band students will be performing preservice music

If your child is interested in band lessons, mark your calendars, as we'll be having a date set aside in early January for students who are interested in learning to place an instrument. Lessons are \$14 each and are done right here at Trinity.

Popcorn Friday

The next
one is scheduled for Friday
February 3rd.



Ice Melt and Salt Needed

Because of our continuing battle with snow and ice, we are in need of Ice Melt and Salt. Any amount that can be donated would be greatly appreciated. After each event, it takes quite a bit of salt make our driveway and sidewalks safe to walk on.



Trinity Open House

Trinity's winter open house is Tuesday January 24th from 4-7pm. If you know of anyone interested in enrolling or taking a tour, please pass the word on, and take advantage of the referral program!

Help Needed

We are in the planning stages for our spring silent auction on conjunction with our spring musical. Once again we are looking for parents who are willing to help in any way. There are many different parts to be done, so if you have a few extra hours to spare we could sure use your help. This is a great way to fill your volunteer hour requirement as well.

Referral Program; Don't forget our Trinity referral program, which gives you the opportunity to reduce your tuition for next year. We are booking tours now, so please pass the word to prospective families!